



# **POLICY & PROGRAM UPDATES** for Indigenous Stakeholders

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March 18, 2024

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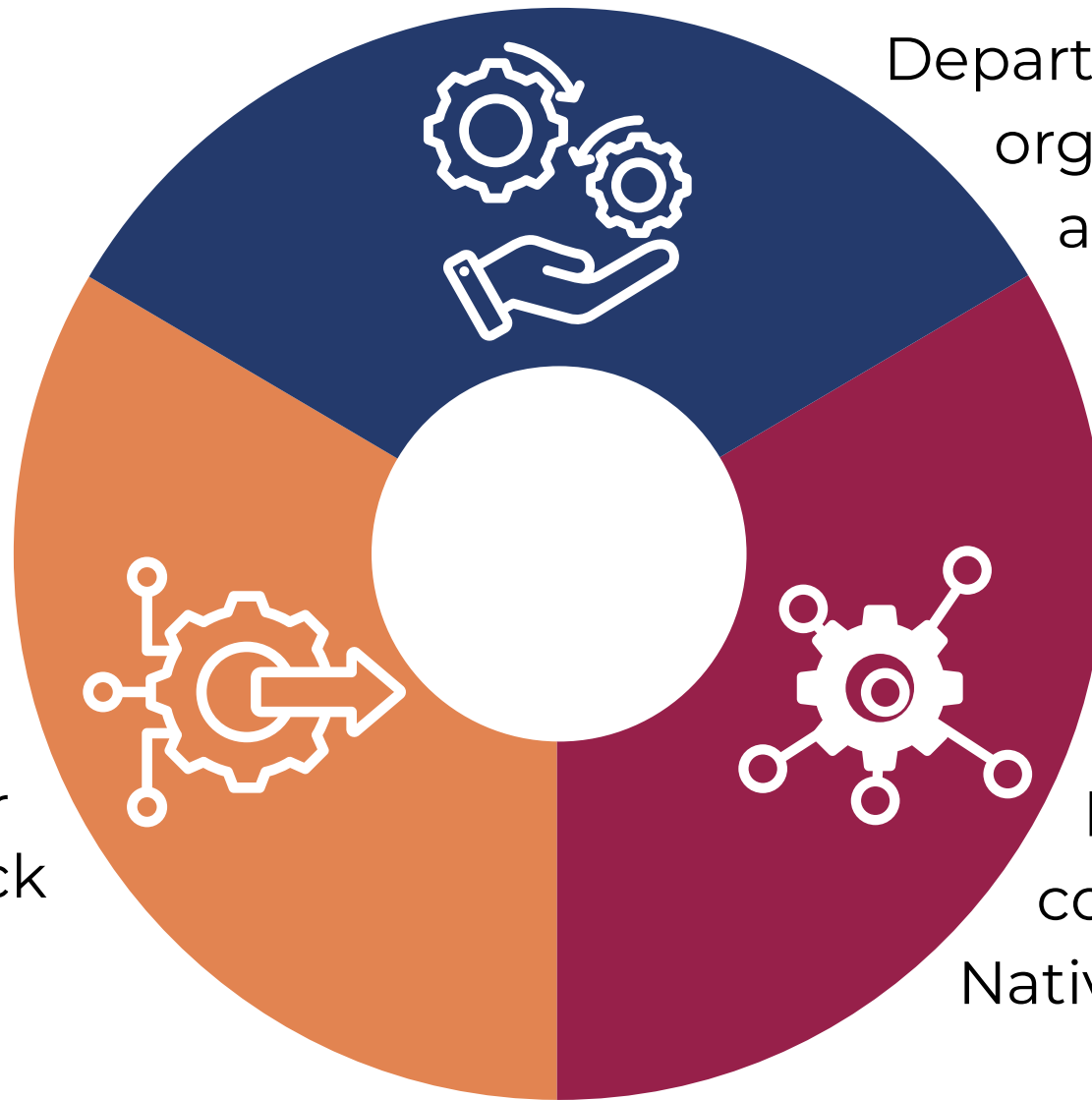


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# Convening Purpose

Host a monthly convening of partners in education to;

Provide direct avenues of **communication** that support continuous stakeholder input and feedback



**Facilitate** an understanding of the Arizona Department of Education as a service organization committed to raising academic outcomes for Native American students

Create and maintain **relationships** between ADE and Indigenous communities to drive positive change for Native American students



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**OFFICE OF INDIAN EDUCATION  
STAKEHOLDER SUMMIT**

**JULY 18-20, 2024**



**PHOENIX, ARIZONA**  
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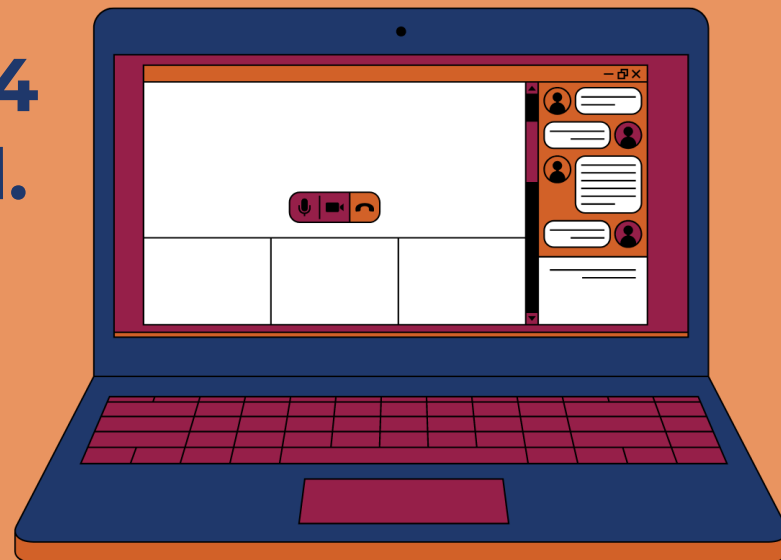
# K-12 STEM EDUCATOR SHOWCASE

LEARN HOW EDUCATORS ACROSS THE STATE ARE TEACHING SCIENCE, MATH, AND STEM FROM AN INDIGENOUS LENS

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WEDNESDAY  
APRIL 17, 2024  
3:30 5:00 P.M.



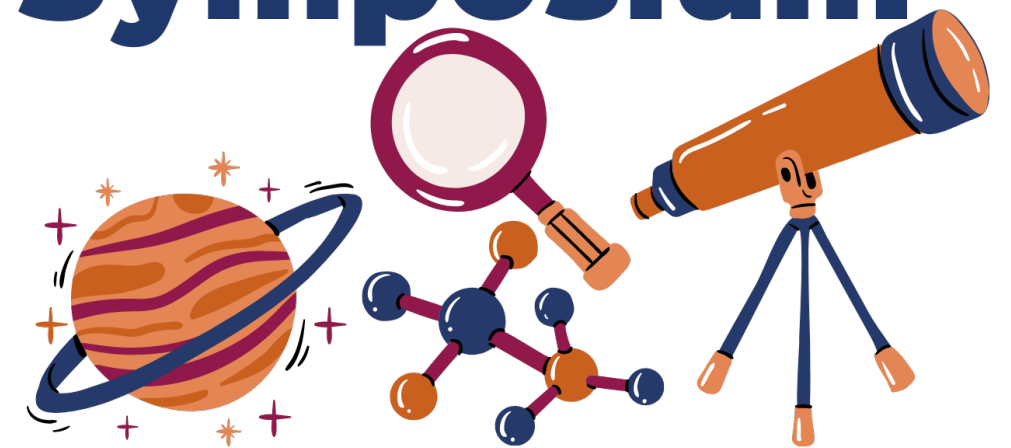
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## K-12 Indigenous STEM Symposium



Register Today!



Friday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2024  
8:00 – 4:00 pm

Arizona Science Center  
Phoenix, AZ



**FREE PROFESSIONAL LEARNING**

# **Integrating Indigenous Perspectives into K-12 Classrooms**

Wednesday, March 27, 2024 | 1 - 4:30 PM (MST)

**FOR THE VERDE VALLEY**

Join OIE and the Yavapai-Apache Nation for an interactive, professional learning opportunity where participants will learn about strategies and resources to integrate Indigenous perspectives into K-12 classrooms!



**Location**

Tunlii Community Building  
1530 E. Cherry Creek Rd., Camp Verde, AZ



**Audience**

Any educators in the area, including instructional leaders or support staff, who serve Native American students and/or teach content related to Indigenous communities

# REGISTER TODAY!



# Additional PL Opportunities

Padlet

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## Upcoming Professional Learning Opportunities from the Office of Indian Education

This padlet contains flyers and links regarding upcoming professional learning opportunities from the Office of Indian Education.

Reclaiming the Narrative | Summer 2024  
Week-long Workshop | Application Closes  
March 5th, 2024



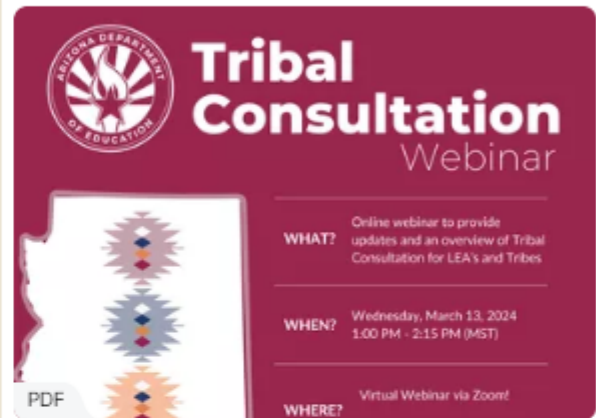
**Program Overview**  
Native American Connections and the Arizona Department of Education welcome you to register for an incredible weeklong professional learning workshop based at the historic Phoenix Indian School Visitor Center (PIVSC). The five-day workshop will focus on the history of Indian boarding schools in Arizona and the larger United States, the legacies and contemporary impacts of Indian boarding schools, along with culturally responsive and place-based approaches to teaching and learning about this topic.

reclaiming the narrative neh flyer

Native American Connections and the Arizona Department of Education invite educators from across the United States to apply for a free professional learning experience! The five-day workshop will provide culturally responsive and place-based approaches to teaching and learning about the truth of Indian Boarding schools.

Learn more about the program here: [Reclaiming the Narrative NEH Seminar](#)

Tribal Consultation Overview and Updates  
Webinar for LEA's and Tribes | March 13th  
1:00 - 2:15 pm

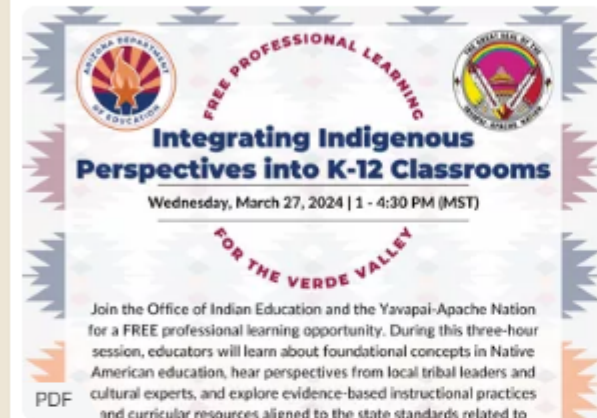


Tribal Con. Webinar Flyer\_LEA's and Tribes

Join the Office of Indian Education for an informational webinar regarding ESSA Tribal Consultation. This webinar is intended for representatives of Local Educational Agencies (LEA's) and Tribal Nations.

Register Here: [Zoom registration](#)

Integrating Indigenous Perspectives in K-12 Classrooms (Verde Valley) | March 27, 2024 | 1:00 - 4:30 pm



March 27th PD Flyer YAN 1

Join the Office of Indian Education and the Yavapai-Apache Nation for a free, three-hour session of professional learning. Participants will learn about foundational concepts in Native American education, hear local tribal perspectives, and explore evidence-based instructional practices and curricular resources aligned to the state standards. Open to all educators in the Verde Valley area!

Register Here:  
<https://azed.geniussis.com/Registration.aspx?aid=9641>

Virtual STEM Educator Showcase | April 17th, 2024 | 3:30 - 5:00 pm



WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 2024 FROM 3:30 - 5:00 P.M.

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ARE TEACHING SCIENCE, MATH, AND STEM FROM  
AN INDIGENOUS LENS

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The Office of Indian Education and Arizona Science Center invites you to attend our FREE online webinar! The webinar will include a panel of educators who will discuss and explore the importance of using Indigenous knowledge and perspectives in science, math, and STEM contexts.

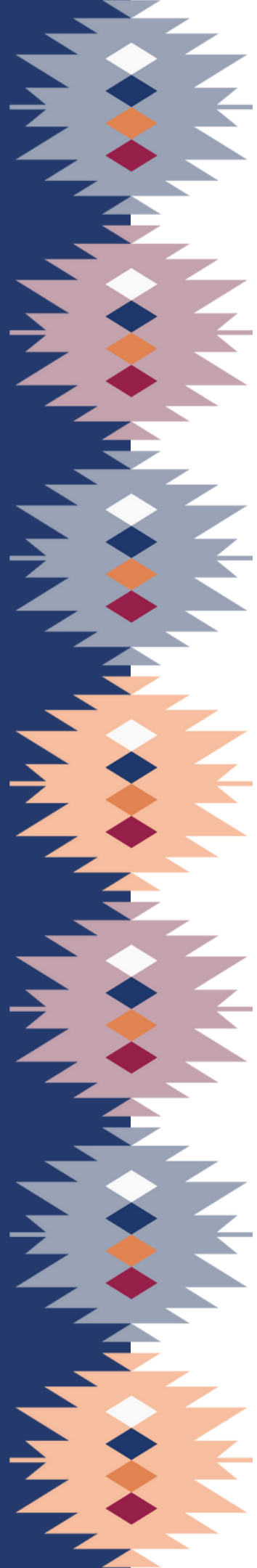
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K-12 Indigenous STEM Symposium | May 3rd, 2024 | 8:00 - 4:00 pm



In collaboration with Arizona Science Center, the Office of Indian Education invites you to join us for an exciting in-person professional learning opportunity focused on evidence-based and culturally relevant curriculum & instruction in math, science, and STEM contexts.

[https://padlet.com/indianeducation/OIE\\_PL](https://padlet.com/indianeducation/OIE_PL)



# NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY

Preparing Indigenous Teachers for Arizona Schools

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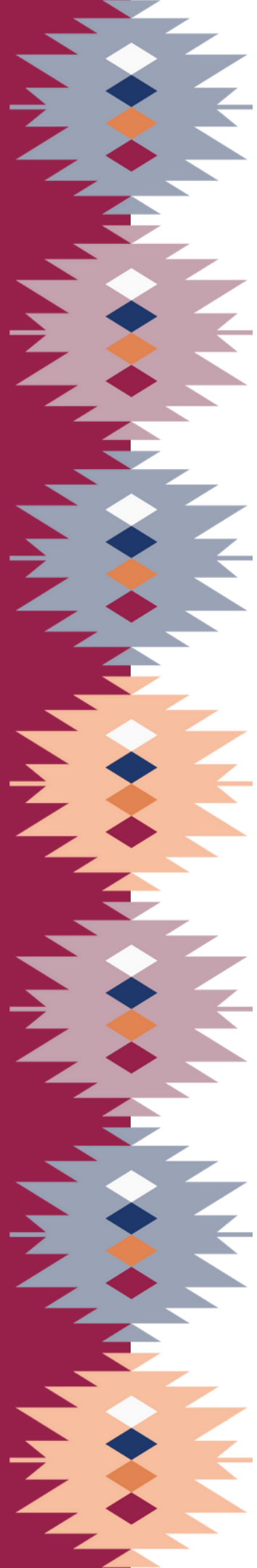
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# Thank You!



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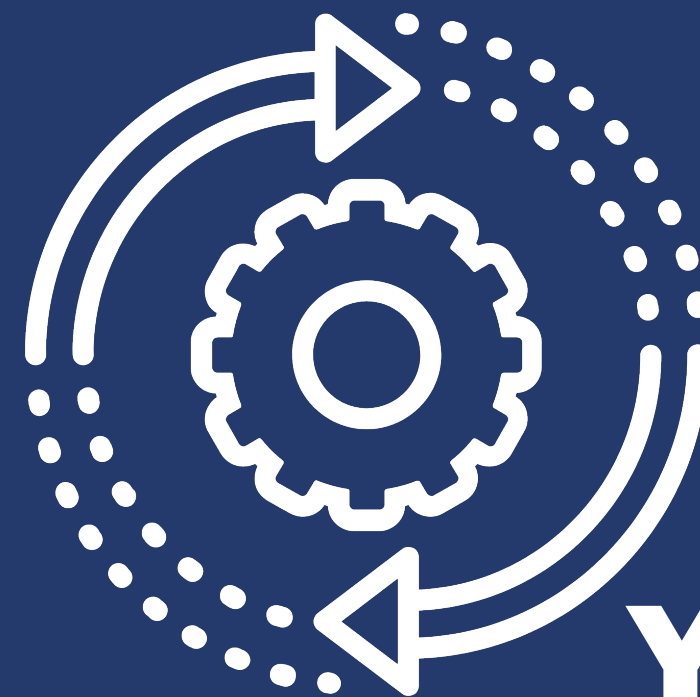
**Website**

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our next meeting!

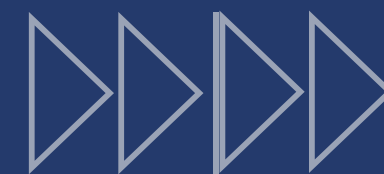
**April 15, 2024**



**You're invited  
to hang around!**

Join us and . . .

- Build community
- Ask questions
- Network & More!



# Informal Community Building

Open space to introduce yourself and share any thoughts, questions, or ideas about the discussion topic

## Room #1

Discussion Topic:

Educator Pathways  
(NAU – PITAS  
Program )

## Room #2

Discussion Topic:

Post-Secondary &  
FAFSA

## Room #3

Discussion Topic:

ADE/State Policy