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Cal Poly Celebrates Caribbean Culture with ‘Passport to Paradise,’ Nov 28-30

SAN LUIS OBISPO - Cal Poly’s Multicultural Center and Student Life & Leadership is proud to present a new edition to its annual Latino Heritage Month celebration, “Passport to Paradise: A New Look at Caribbean Culture.”

“Passport to Paradise” will be held Nov. 28-30. The following events are free and open to the public:

* On Tuesday, Nov. 28, from 5 - 7 p.m. in UU Room 212 A, Robert Maja, a Dominican Republican Native, will showcase his original oil paintings and speak about his experiences traveling abroad and throughout the United States.

* On Wednesday, Nov. 29, from 5 - 8 p.m. in UU Room 208, “Balseros: The Cuban Boat People,” a riveting documentary about the journey and struggles of Cuban refugees crossing dangerous waters in search of a better life, will be shown on a large screen. The viewing will be followed by a panel discussion.

* On Thursday, Nov. 30, from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Chumash Auditorium, Caribbean culture will come to life with traditional music by Los Angeles group Palos Latin Roots and dancing by the Cal Poly Salsa club.

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