

INTERNATIONAL WEEK

NOV. 15-18, 2021

Celebrating Central America and the Caribbean

MON.
15

Kombit - Haiti

Ted Garner, Assistant Professor of Communication
6-7 p.m., Thurmond-McRae Lecture Hall

Kombit is a Haitian Creole term defined as a community working together toward a common goal. This session will describe the history and culture of Haiti and its impact on the world.



TUE.
16

Nicaragua - A Cultural Overview

Fredy Solis, Associate Professor of Physical Therapy
6-7 p.m., Thurmond-McRae Lecture Hall

Dr. Solis, a Nicaraguan native, will present the culture and main features that define Nicaragua.



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17

Rainforest and climate change in Panama and Brazil

Rudi Kiefer, Professor Emeritus of Physical Science
6-7 p.m., Thurmond-McRae Lecture Hall

With deforestation and climate change ravaging the planet, Dr. Kiefer will outline the direct effects and implications on communities and ecosystems of Panama and Brazil.



THU.
18

Cambiando Vidas - Changing Lives in Panama

Full Program, 7-8:30 p.m., Hosch Theater, Burd Center

This program is the culmination of six months of work by our first cohort of students from Panama. The program, created to showcase their culture with the Brenau and Gainesville communities, will include presentations and performances by the students. Following the program, there will be exhibits and displays throughout the Burd Center, where the students will be on hand to discuss their work, home culture and experiences here at Brenau.

