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Come visit the MISSION COLLEGE Library for an Asian American & Pacific Islander Speaker Event





Speaker:

Patrick Landeza

Date:

Wednesday, Nov. 5, 2014

Time Schedule:

Introduction:

11:00 am - 11:15 am

Speaker:

11:15 am - 12:00 pm

CDs, Jewelry & Jam Sale:

12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

Location:

Mission College Library

Parking:

Daily parking permits are available for \$3.00 in Lots B, C & D

"Raised on the island of Berkeley," is

what Patrick Kahakauwila Kamaholelani Landeza told the audience when he won Hawaiian music's highest honor, the prestigious 2013 Nā Hōkō Hanohano Award, the Hawaiian equivalent to a Grammy Award.

Representing mainland Hawaiians, he made history as the first mainland-born artist to win the award with his slack key guitar album *Slack Key Huaka'i*. Landeza, fighting for his Hawaiian identity since childhood, was constantly told that a kid from Berkeley couldn't really be considered Hawaiian. He says, "Hawaii isn't just a place. Wherever I am, that's where Hawaii is."

Landeza has guest lectured on slack key guitar and on Asian Pacific American issues at Stanford University, UC Berkeley, his alma mater CSU Hayward, and he performed at Carnegie Hall in 2012. He teaches slack key guitar as well as middle school in Oakland, California.





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