

## **Stockton University Celebrates**

## **International Education Week Nov. 15-19**

More than 30 Free Events Open to the Community

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**Galloway**, **NJ** – Stockton University is hosting International Education Week from **Nov. 15-19**, **2015** to promote global education and awareness to University students and the local community. Stockton's Office of Global Engagement will offer more than 30 events on the main Galloway campus which are free and open to the public.

The weeklong celebration begins with the 11<sup>th</sup> annual International Fair Trade Gift Fair on **Sunday, Nov. 15**. Other events throughout the week include the Get a Passport Campaign, study abroad tables and workshops, a lecture on Fulbright Scholarship opportunities for study and research abroad, a Peace Corps panel discussion, and various guest speakers and documentary screenings.

"One of the foundation principles of providing a liberal arts education is that diverse perspectives inform the acquisition, shaping and delivery of knowledge," said India Karavackas, director of the Office of Global Engagement. "The world is increasingly connected and human actions in one country can reverberate around the world. Our students need to have an understanding of this interconnectedness for not just their professions and vocations, but for the conduct of their personal lives as responsible global citizens."

International Education Week is celebrated by colleges and universities around the globe and is a dual enterprise of the U.S. Department of Education and the U.S. Department of State.

To view the week's schedule, visit www.stockton.edu/iew

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