Cultural News Colombia

Culture gives us hope. This month the Embassy of Colombia in Austria shares with you cultural news from our country that encourages us to continue building. Also important calls in Colombia and Austria for different disciplines. We want to transmit through culture a message of empathy, solidarity and respect.

Documentary Hilos Viajeros: Colombian migrants who inspire

Hilos Viajeros is a documentary series that begins with the story of Juanita Guerra, a Colombian who left her country and today is a source of inspiration in Austria. In the seventh chapter Laura Valbuena, a Colombian musician based in Vienna, tells us how she found her life project in music since she was little, and how she has woven stories around the world with this talent.

Youtube Channel: http://bit.ly/2LyjBJp

More information: https://hilosviajeros.com/



National Culture Awards 2021- Colombia



More information: https://bit.ly/331NuqJ The National Culture Awards is an initiative that reaffirms the mobilizing and transforming possibilities of the arts. This year its 53rd edition is celebrated. The University of Antioquia also summons Colombians residing abroad and foreigners residing in Colombia. Call open until June 30.



Call for the Intercultural Achievement Award - Austria

The Austrian Federal Ministry for European and **Affairs** launched International The Intercultural Achievement Award, this award recognizes successful and innovative projects in the field of intercultural and interreligious dialogue, both in Austria and on a global scale. They look for projects that promote Art, Culture, Youth, Human Rights, Education and Integration for Global Citizenship.



Deadline: June 6, 2021. More information: https://bit.ly/3qO2ujZ

Colombia achieved place number 37 for Tokyo 2021

The athlete Jeisson Suárez won a new quota for Colombia in the Tokyo 2021 Olympic Games thanks to the test he completed in Hamburg, Germany. Suárez declared himself happy and sent a message to Colombians focused on believing in national athletes and continuing the support that, like him, athletes have received from the Government.

More information: https://bit.ly/3e1EwQx



Guardians of native languages, category of the Ministry of Culture in SmartFilms

The Ministry of Culture announced its participation in the Festival of films made with cell phones, SmartFilms, with the category 'Guardians of native languages'. The participation of the Ministry of Culture seeks to contribute to the recovery and promotion of the linguistic heritage of Colombia. To participate, the filmmaker must belong to ethnic communities and the short must be entirely in a native language.

More information: https://bit.ly/3uoHzbc



Series of virtual talks "Architecture in Colombia"



Relive the talks at: https://bit.ly/3tfc8Q7

Contemporary architecture worldwide increasingly explores territories, socio-environmental and climatic conditions. In this framework, the current proposals of Colombian architecture have been developed from observation and field work, considering the conditions of the country.

"Against Oblivion, Stories of Musical Resilience"



Relive the talks at: https://bit.ly/2QQDs9D

On March 9, the Colombian Embassies in Europe and Israel invited a discussion on the documentary series "Against Oblivion" that reflects on the most human aspect of the work of our musicians and the common effort to bring the Orchestra closer to the hearts of a audience in times of Pandemic. Juan Antonio Cuéllar - OSNC Manager, Olivier Grangean - OSNC Director, Avi Shoshani - General Secretary of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra and Julia Salvi, president of the Cartagena International Music Festival participated in the panel. Moderó Yalilé Cardona Colombian Cultural Manager based in Vienna, Co-director of the Bogotá Classical Music Festival.

Guests Pianissimo, Recital Pablo Rojas



Colombian pianist Pablo Rojas, based in the city of Vienna, was invited by the Pianissimo organization to perform a recital at the Bank Austria Hall in April. The program included adaptations by Rojas of pieces by maestro José Recelo. The video made by Juan Muñoz, also Colombian, can be seen on YouTube.

Video: https://bit.ly/3f65C8D

RTVC Play- Recommended of the Month: Colombia Bio

RTVC Play is a free Colombian platform with interesting content. This month's recommended is Colombia Bio. In this series, researchers passionate about biodiversity travel the country with the aim of documenting the fauna, flora and microorganisms, completing the inventory that gives the title to Colombia the second most biodiverse country in the world.





Zonazine, Malaga Film Festival - Cinema in Spanish



The Instituto Cervantes premieres on its Vimeo channel, in collaboration with the Malaga Film Festival - Cinema in Spanish, one month after its XIV edition, Zonazine. This stable program of the Instituto Cervantes - whose name comes from one of the sections of the Andalusian festival - has been dedicated to documentary cinema since 2014. In the

Program is the film Baracoa (Cuba-Colombia-Switzerland, USA, 2019), which will be presented online on May 21.

More information: https://bit.ly/3uEyf3k

Storytelling Workshop

On April 24, the Instituto Cervantes in Central Europe launched the Storytelling program. The online and face-to-face Storytelling program is aimed at the little ones so that they can practice and improve their Spanish. Next workshop "The pirate Pepe and his stinky feet"

Course 003 - Friday May 28 from 15:00 - 16:00

More information: https://bit.ly/331ZMzi

