

THE ERACISM

FILM & DISCUSSION SERIES

Designed to heighten awareness and create a better understanding of the issues facing people of color or of minority ethnic backgrounds

Made in L.A.

September 21

Main Library, 6:30pm

with Janet Barrett of DARRT
Denver Area Racial Reconciliation Team
 Co-Sponsor - *Fuerza Latina*



Made in L.A. follows the remarkable story of three Latina immigrants working in Los Angeles garment sweatshops as they embark on a three-year odyssey to win basic labor protections from a trendy clothing retailer. Compelling, humorous, deeply human, *Made in L.A.* is a story about immigration, the power of unity, and the courage it takes to find your voice.

America at a Crossroads: the Muslim Americans

September 28

Main Library, 6:30pm

with Shakir Mohammad,
 President of the Islamic Center
 Co-Sponsor - *Not In Our Town Alliance*



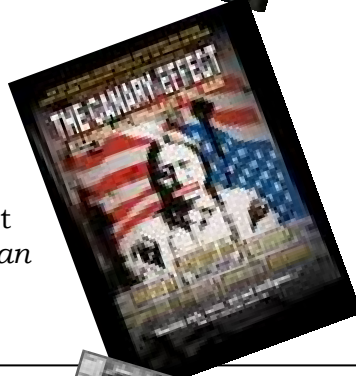
America at a Crossroads, explores the challenges confronting the world post 9/11 including the war on terrorism, the experience of American troops, and the struggle for balance within the Islamic world and Muslim life in America. **The Muslim Americans** explores the diversity of Muslims in America and the Muslim-American experience today.

The Canary Effect

October 5

Main Library, 6:30pm

with Paul Bame, Community Activist
 Co-Sponsored by *CSU Native American Student Services*



The Canary Effect delves deep into the often misunderstood and frequently overlooked historic realities of the American Indian. It follows the horrific abuses inflicted upon the Indigenous people of North America, and details the continuing effects of the U.S. government on present-day Indian country. This documentary features interviews with scholars and experts on Indian issues, including controversial author Ward Churchill.

Children of the Camps

October 12

Main Library, 6:30pm

with Stan Matsunaka, Former Colorado State Senate President
 Co-Sponsored by *Read On! Fort Collins*



The **Children of the Camps** documentary captures the experiences of six Americans of Japanese ancestry who were confined as innocent children to internment camps by the U.S. government during World War II. The film vividly portrays their personal journey to heal the deep wounds they suffered from this experience.

In Sickness and in Wealth

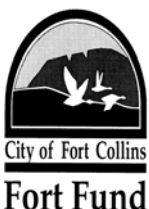
October 19

Main Library, 6:30pm

with Richard Breaux,
 CSU Ethnic Studies Professor
 Co-Sponsored by *Fort Collins High School Amnesty International*



In Sickness and in Wealth investigates findings that are shaking up conventional notions about what makes us healthy or sick. It's more than genes, behaviors and medical care. The social, economic, and physical environments in which we are born, live and work, profoundly affect our longevity and health.



Main Library
Sunday evenings at 6:30 p.m.
 201 Peterson Street, Fort Collins, CO

Admission is Free - Limited Seating



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Further information: www.fortnet.org/eracism