

Latin@ Graduate & Professional Network presents

# Poesia Viva

with special guest, spoken word artist

DAVID A. ROMERO

Thursday April 20, 2017 | 7pm-9pm

Benton Bingham Ballroom (N214/215) in Memorial Union

Join us for a night of celebrating poetry and literature, including readings of original work by community poets and a very special guest performance by David A. Romero. This year's theme will be based on identity and social justice. Light refreshments will be served.

## David A. Romero

As seen on Russell Simmons' All Def Digital, Latino spoken word artist David A. Romero travels from Los Angeles, CA to perform poetry and share his stories about food, family, social justice issues, and Latin@ culture. In a show that combines performance poetry, personal testimony, and politically-charged commentary with a slideshow featuring images from history, current events and Romero's own life experiences, Romero moves crowds to laugh hysterically, think critically, feel hungry, cry tears of joy or sorrow, and raise their fists in protest.

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