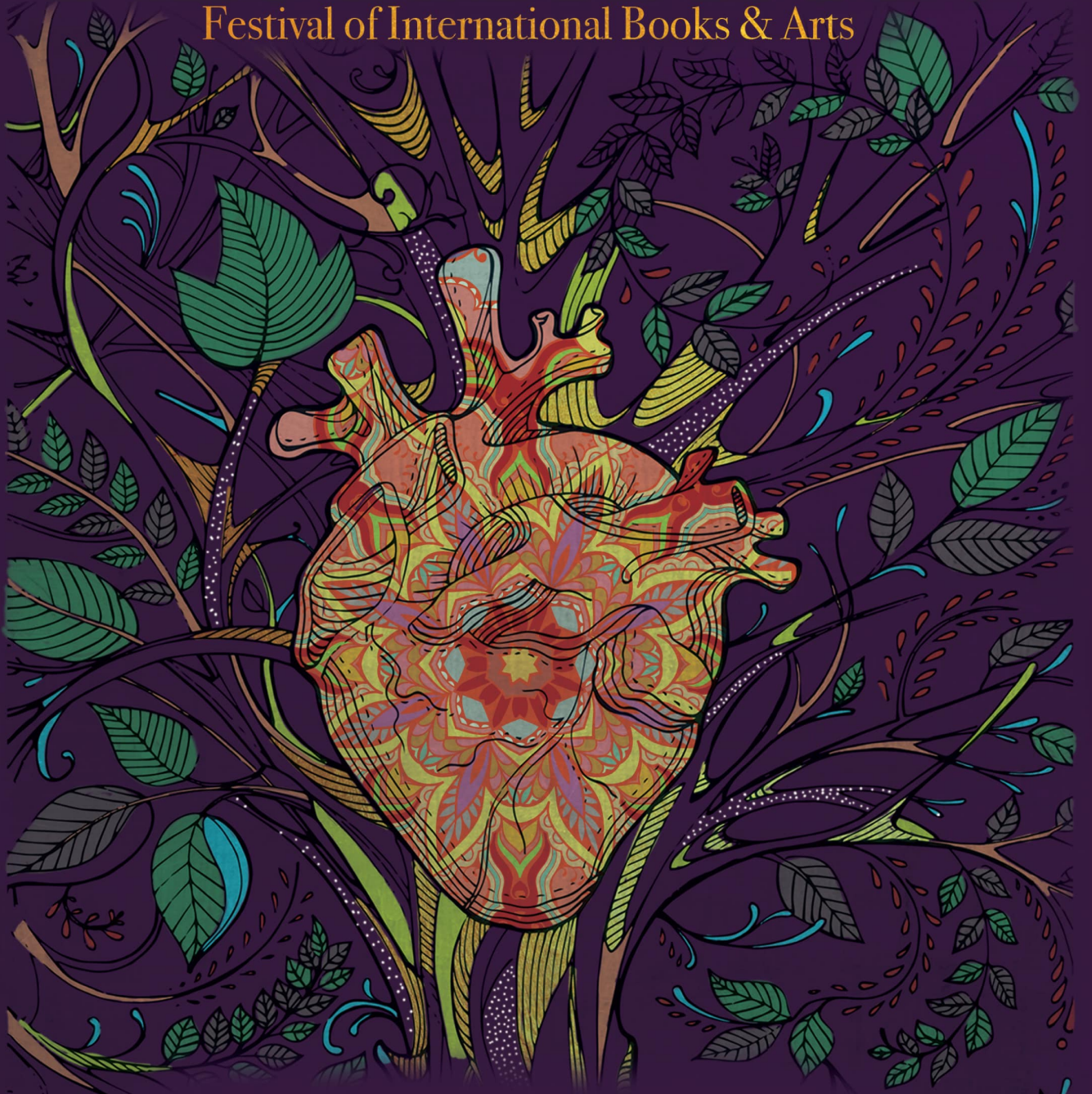


The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

FESTIBA 2017

Festival of International Books & Arts



THE HEALING ARTS:

Arte y Salud

Una Buena Alianza

February 27 to March 5, 2017

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Men's Choral Festival Concert

Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Faculty Duo Recital

Krista Jobson & Hector Rodriguez

Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
7:30 p.m.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27 - SATURDAY, MARCH 4

Susan Fitzsimmons Bronze Sculptures & Paintings

Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
Lobby Gallery

Odra Arriaga – MFA Exhibition

Edinburg Campus/Visual Arts Gallery,
Visual Arts Building

Natalia Soto – MFA Exhibition

Edinburg Campus / Charles & Dorothy
Clark Gallery, ELABS

Faculty Art Exhibition

Brownsville Campus / The Art Gallery at
Rusteberg Hall

Big Read Themed Art Exhibit

City of Edinburg / Dustin Michael Sekula
Memorial Library

Behemoth of a Storm:

Hurricane Beulah and the Rio Grande Valley

Edinburg Campus / ELABN, 2nd floor

Paper Dreams/Unearthed-Gaby Rico

Brownsville Campus/ University Library

Traveling Soles Art Exhibit- Verónica Cárdenas

Brownsville Campus/ University Library

Open Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27

Fighting Electric Death:

Raúl Galván and Mexican Mobilization

Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
10:50 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Overcoming "Tamale Tech":

The Identity of the Border Institutions

Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

UTRGV Library Short Film Series:

Live Action Film Shorts

Edinburg Campus/ UTRGV Library, Shary Room
12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

SCENE WRITING WORKSHOP

Edinburg Campus/ ELABS 177

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Border Man: Recovering Federico Ronstadt and his Memoirs of Southern Arizona

Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
1:40 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.

University Library

FESTIBA Documentary Series

Brownsville Campus/ BLIBR 1.118
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Department of Theatre/Television/ Film Festival

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 107
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

UTRGV Symphony Orchestra

Brownsville Campus / TSC Arts Center
7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Words + Pictures Group

COMICS Day at FESTIBA

Screening of international animation shorts (student work)

Edinburg Campus / EHABE 1.114
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

UTRGV Library Short Film Series

Animated Short Film Series

Edinburg Campus / UTRGV Library, Shary Room
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Comics Session 1

Representations and Distortions (Stereotypes and Mass Media)

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 161
1:40 p.m. - 2:55 p.m.

Comics Session 2

State of the Art: Animation, Video Game Design, and Interdisciplinary Opportunities at UTRGV

Edinburg Campus / EHABE 1.114
3:05 p.m. - 4:20 p.m.

Comics Session 3

Human and Transhuman:

Critical Approaches to Bestselling Manga

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 249
4:40 p.m. - 5:25 p.m.

Comics Mini-session 4

"A Spoonful of Sugar: Luring Students to Literature Through Superhero Movies"

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 249
5:30 p.m. - 5:55 p.m.

Comics Session 5

Information Vectors

(posters, memes, and infographics)

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 351
6:00 p.m. - 7:25 p.m.

Comics Session 6

Scholarship and Controversy

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 351
7:30 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.

Comics Session 7

"Brief History of Video Games in Japan: After WWII to Modern Times"

Edinburg Campus / EACSB 1.104
9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Telling Stories on the Border

Brownsville Campus/ BLHSB 1.314
10:50 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

The Rio Grande Valley Civil War Trail: Place-Based Learning in K-12 Education

Edinburg Campus / ESTAC 1.112B
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Butterfly Garden:

Saxophone Choir/ Book Distribution In the Time of the Butterflies

Edinburg Campus / Butterfly Garden next to Chapel
12:00 p.m.

Creative Writing Faculty Reading Showcase

Brownsville Campus/ BSABH 1.106
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Dance Program Lecture and Demonstration

Edinburg Campus/EHPE 2.133
12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Institutional Racial Microaggressions

Edinburg Campus / EDUC 2.216
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Gallery Magazine Presents:

An Afternoon with Rebecca Aronson

Edinburg Campus / UTRGV QUAD
12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Philosophy through Fiction in Latin America

Edinburg Campus/EDUC 2.102C
1:40 p.m. - 2:55 p.m.

riverSedge Presents

"Writing in Sorrow, Writing in Strength"

Edinburg Campus / ELABS 110
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Stress-Busting in the Writing Center: Round-table Discussion and Workshop

Edinburg Campus/Writing Center
ESTAC Building, Room 3.119
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

University Library FESTIBA Documentary Series

Brownsville Campus/BLHSB 1.118
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Cobus du Toit, Flute, and Patrick Sutton, guitar

Brownsville Campus/TSC Arts Center
Masterclass Time: 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Concert Time: 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

Levanta Tu Alma y Canta:

Songs Inspiring Hope and Faith with LBJ Elementary School Choir

Edinburg Campus: Visitors Center
10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Tu Cuentas – Escucha Estos Cuentos:

A Reading of Books with P.O.E. (People of Color) with LBJ Elementary Students

Edinburg Campus: Visitors Center
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

**DECODING THE "LIGHTENING"
STONES OF COLOMBIA: GEOLOGIC
INSIGHTS INTO AMERIND PREHISTORY**

Edinburg Campus/ECOB E Building, Room 121
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Texas Poets Reading Showcase

Brownsville Campus/ BEIDM 100
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**RECEPTION & CHARLA WITH U.S. POET
LAUREATE, JUAN FELIPE HERRERA**

Edinburg Campus/Borderlands Room
EDUC Building, Room 3.201
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**UTRGV Library Short Film Series –
Documentary Film Shorts**

Edinburg Campus/Shary Room, UTRGV Library
12:30 p.m.-1:30 p.m.

**El Corazon Latida con Poesia:
Bilingual Spoken Word Poetry
with LBJ Elementary Students**

Edinburg Campus: Visitors Center
1:05 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

BioArt

Edinburg Campus/Shary Room, UTRGV Library
2:30 p.m.

**IN AN ERA OF FAKE NEWS,
NEWSPAPERS ARE TOO IMPORTANT TO IGNORE**

Edinburg Campus/ ELABS 179
1:40 p.m. - 2:55 p.m.

University Library FESTIBA Documentary Series

University Library
Brownsville Campus/ BLHSB 1.118
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

ENGL 3351 CREATIVE WRITING READING I

Edinburg Campus/ESTAC Building, Room 1.102
4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

"Writing Fiction for Young Adults"

Edinburg Campus/ELABS Building, Room 175
5:00 p.m.

CHICANX & TEJANX POETRY READING

Edinburg Campus/EDUC Building, Room 2.216
6:00 p.m. - 7:10 p.m.

**Náhuatl for Children/ Náhuatl para niños
with Rossy Evelin Lima**

Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

TEN MINUTE PLAY FESTIVAL

Edinburg Campus/Studio Theater,
ELABS Building, Room 107
7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Bonnie and Clyde, Musical

Edinburg Campus/Albert L. Jeffers Theatre
ELABS Building
7:30 p.m.
Price: Call the Theatre Box Office for reservations
and admission prices – 956-665-3888

**WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY
MARCH 1-2**

Region One ESC GEAR UP Day at UTRGV

**Student Union Theater, Jeffers Theatre,
Library Media Theater (LIBR 1.311)**
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

Poesía: Flor y Canto (Spanish)

Brownsville Campus/Main Hall 2.526
9:25 a.m. - 10:40 a.m.

FACULTY FICTION READING

Edinburg Campus/Liberal Arts
Building North, Room 110
9:30 a.m. - 10:40 a.m.

"Publishing Latinx Voices in South Texas"

Edinburg Campus/ELABS Building, Room 349
9:30 a.m.

ENGL 3351 CREATIVE WRITING READING II

Edinburg Campus/EHABW Building, Room 1.404
10:50 a.m. -12:05 p.m.

Cuentos: short stories (Spanish)

Brownsville Campus/BLHSB 1.314
10:50 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Scenes from "Bonnie and Clyde"

Edinburg Campus/Albert L. Jeffers Theatre
ELABS Building
11:00 a.m. to noon

**BIG READ KEYNOTE PANEL featuring
Juan Felipe Herrera, U.S. Poet Laureate
Session title: Literature and Social Justice**

Edinburg Campus/Performing Arts Complex
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

THE ROEGIERS FAMILY:

A PORCION OF EDINBURG

Edinburg Campus/ELABS Building, Room 177
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**The Codex of Sheila: A Presentation of
her Poetry with Sheila Maldonado**

Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 1.502
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Chiquito: A Chapbook Workshop

Brownsville Campus/ Main Hall 2.526
1:40 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.

**BIRTH AND DEATH IN LATIN AMERICA AND
ITS BORDERLANDS: A HISTORICAL VIEW**

Edinburg Campus/ITT Building, International Room
2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

STRESS-BUSTING in the WRITING CENTER:

Round-table Discussion and Workshop

Brownsville Campus/Library Writing Center
UBLB Building, Room 3.206
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Master of Fine Arts (MFA)
ALUMNI FICTION READING**

Edinburg Campus/ELABS Building, Room 181
3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

**Bruja: Confessions of a L.A. Writer
with Wendy C. Ortiz**

Brownsville Campus/ BLHSB 1.312
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

riverSedge PRESENTS:

THE POETRY OF HEALTH AND HEALING

Edinburg Campus/College of Ed Building,
Borderlands Room
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.

**Title: El Desierto: Poesía y más (Spanish)
with Estrella del Valle**

Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Authors and Presenters Reception
Meet the U.S. Poet Laureate, the Texas Book
Festival Reading Stars, and Local Authors!**

Edinburg Campus/ Performing Arts Complex Lobby
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**Laberinto de la Espera: Poesía (Spanish)
with Maria Palitachi**

Brownsville Campus/ TBA
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Bonnie and Clyde, Musical

Edinburg Campus/Albert L. Jeffers Theatre
ELABS Building
7:30 p.m.

**Eurythmy: Visible Speech, Artistically
Expressive and Therapeutic Movement
with Gabrielle Armenier**

Location: Brownsville Campus/TSC Fine Arts Center
7:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY-FRIDAY,
MARCH 2 - 3**

**TEXAS BOOK FESTIVAL
READING ROCK STARS PROGRAM**

The Texas Book Festival will bring books to life for young readers during FESTIBA 2017 through Reading Rock Stars, an engaging literacy program in which authors from across the country are invited to present their works to students at economically-disadvantaged public schools across the RG. V.

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

MARIACHI FESTIVAL

Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**LIBRARIANS AND EDUCATORS DAY
with a Congressional Roundtable**

Edinburg Campus/Ballroom
9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Recycling Fashion Show
Athlos Leadership Academy
Edinburg Campus/Ball Room
11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

CENTER FOR MEXICAN AMERICAN STUDIES PLÁTICAS MARATHON
Edinburg Campus/EDUC Building, Room 2.216
10 a.m. – 2 p.m. - Drop in any time!

Living Writer's Archive Donation Ceremony
Brownsville Campus/BLIBR 2.202
10:50 a.m. - 12:05 p.m.

AND THEN THE ARMY WAS GONE: RIO GRANDE CITY AND FORT RINGGOLD IN THE 1930s AND 1940s
Edinburg Campus/ELABN Building, Room 109
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Poesía: Flor y Canto II (Spanish)
Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
12:15 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Poesía: Flor y Canto III (Spanish)
Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
1:40 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.

Cuentos: Short Stories II (Spanish)
Brownsville Campus/ BMAIN 2.402
3:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Reading at the Mexican Consulate in Brownsville
Mexican Consulate, 301 Mexico Blvd. #F2, Brownsville
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Bonnie and Clyde, Musical
Edinburg Campus/Albert L. Jeffers Theatre ELABS Building
7:30 p.m.

FESTIBA AT JARDÍN DEL ARTE COMMUNITY FESTIVAL
Edinburg City Hall and grounds
6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

WINE GARDEN
Sponsored by University Draffthouse
UTRGV #subculture: Urban Art Experience @FESTIBA
Community Festival

CREATIVE TENT
Presented and Sponsored by the International Museum of Arts and Sciences

TOP READER AWARDS in the Edinburg Auditorium
6:00 p.m. - 7 p.m. & 8:05 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

WAKE-UP Latino/a Poetry Reading
Community Festival Stage
6:10 p.m.

POETRY by Rossy Evelin Lima
Edinburg City Auditorium
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

THEATRE GROUP – Lucia Macias Theatre Company
Edinburg City Auditorium
9:15 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

MUSIC by Epi & Friends and Draft

SATURDAY, MARCH 4

Mariachi Competition and Concert
Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

The Magic of Mariachi /La Magia del Mariachi by Steven and Reefka Schneider
Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Miscast: Sing Your Heart Out, Even If You're Miscast - with LBJ Elementary Students
Edinburg Campus/ Visitors Center
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Bonnie and Clyde, Musical
Edinburg Campus/Albert L. Jeffers Theatre – ELABS Building
7:30 p.m.

FESTIBA Mariachi Festival Concert
Edinburg Campus / Performing Arts Complex
7:30 p.m.
Admission \$20.00

Society for Ethnomusicology Southern Plains Annual Conference
School of Medicine Building
Rooms 1105, 1106 and the Auditorium
7:45 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.: Opening Reception in Lobby

Sessions 1
Panel A: Sustaining Tejano Conjunto & Mexican Norteña Traditions
Panel B: Mariachi Identities
8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Session 2
Panel A: Musical Constructions of Gender
Panel B: Transnational Idioms in Local Music
10:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Session 3
Panel A: Mariachi and Gender
Panel B: Music as Healing and Advocacy
1:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

SEM SP Business Meeting
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Keynote - Gregory F. Barz, Professor of Musicology & Associate Dean for Academic Initiatives; Vanderbilt University
Introduction by Dr. Susan Hurley-Glowa
4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Reception Sponsored by the College of Fine Arts
5:15 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

FESTIBA 2017 Mariachi Festival Concert
Performing Arts Complex
7:30 p.m.

Sin Fronteras Independent Book Festival
Downtown Brownsville (Adams Street)
10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, MARCH 5

Bonnie and Clyde, Musical
Edinburg Campus/Albert L. Jeffers Theatre ELABS Building
2:00 p.m.

UTRGV Wind Ensemble
Edinburg Campus/Performing Arts Complex
3:00 p.m.

UTRGV Symphonic Band
Edinburg Campus/Performing Arts Complex
5:00 p.m.

