The National Hispanic University Distinguished Speakers Series Presents

HOMENAJE A LA MUJER: Past, Present & Future

An Academic Symposium Celebrating Bay Area Latinas

Friday, April 24, 2009, 10:00 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.
National Hispanic University, 14271 Story Road, San Jose, 95127

OUR PAST.......

Olga Loya, Internationally known storyteller & performance artist, will present a work based on the life of Juana Briones, land owner & healer in 19th century California

Author of Juana Briones of 19th Century California,
Jeanne Farr McDonnell will discuss the life and times of Juana Briones who is considered by many to be the first Latina leader and role model in the bay area.

OUR PRESENT

Cindy Chavez, former City Council woman and Vice Mayor for the City of San Jose, is the current Executive Director of the South Bay Central Labor Council. She will speak to the differences in leadership between men and women.

OUR FUTURE

Latina Leaders will convene a panel discussion with Latina students on strategies for overcoming barriers to success

Bring your shopping bags! There will be Latina vendors selling their beautiful wares with a percentage of the proceeds going to student scholarships.

Space is limited so we invite you to submit your RSVP immediately to lrobles@nhu.edu
Refreshments will be served!

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