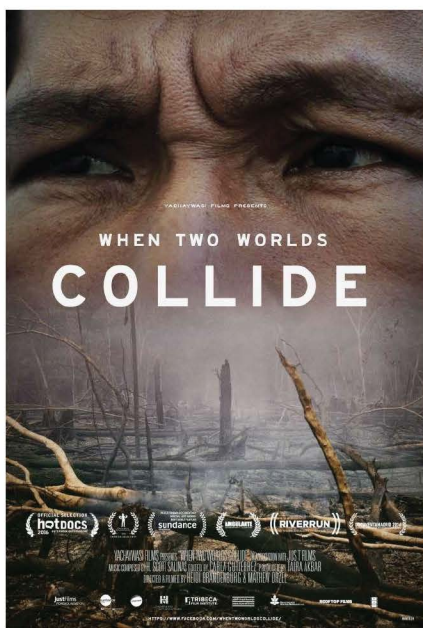


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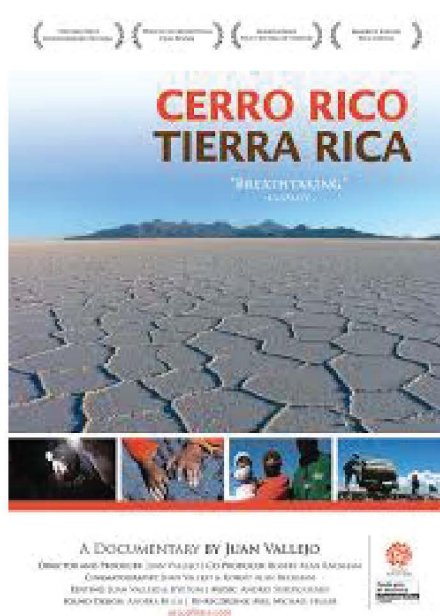


Participants will receive fun LACLS swag and possibly extra credit in a Spanish class!
 These events will take place on Zoom, and registration is necessary
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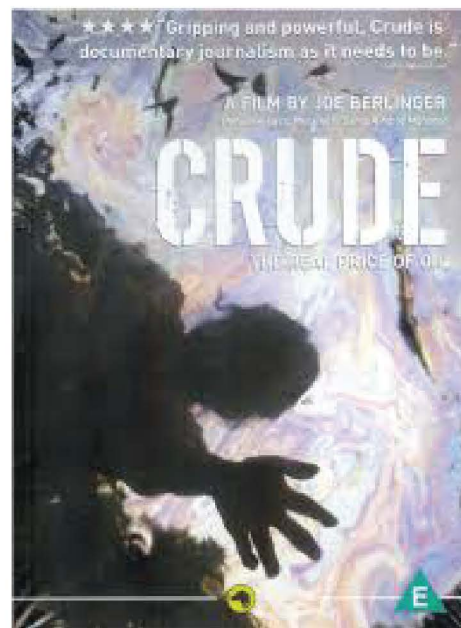
January 27
 When Two Worlds Collide
 (Brandenburg & Orzel 2016)
 6:00 pm via Zoom

This vivid documentary depicts the 2009 clash between indigenous groups in northern Peru and government interests eager to open up protected tribal lands to lucrative extraction projects as both a local political conflict and a flashpoint in a wider series of environmental crises.



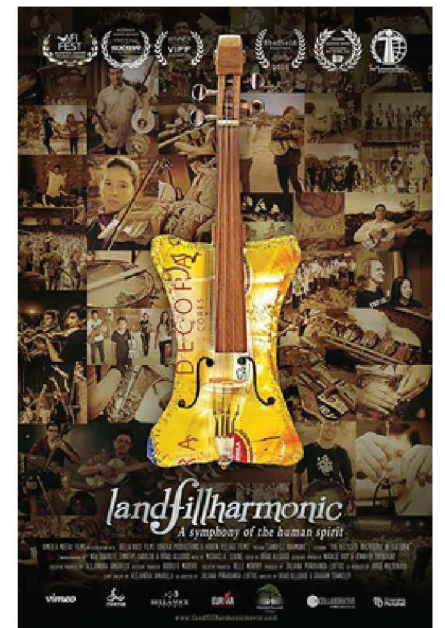
February 17
 Cerro rico, tierra rica
 (Vallejo 2012)
 6:00 pm via Zoom

The rituals of a mining community are observed in this portrait of life and work in Bolivia's altiplano. The miners' lives offer a strong denunciation of the hardships inherent in industrial work, underscoring the impact of global demands for earth's wealth on the local population.



March 24
 Crude: The Real Price of Oil
 (Berlinger 2009)
 6:00 pm via Zoom

The epic story of one of the largest and most controversial legal cases on the planet: the infamous \$27 billion "Amazon Chernobyl" lawsuit pitting 30,000 rainforest dwellers in Ecuador against the U.S. oil giant Chevron.



April 14
 Landfill Harmonic
 (Allgood & Townsley 2015)
 6:00 pm via Zoom

The story of internationally-acclaimed Paraguayan children's orchestra that plays instruments made of garbage. When their town is struck by a natural disaster, they find a way to keep playing and providing hope for their community.