Events of 2018-19 involving Whitman-CTUIR collaboration

• August 25, 2018: For the third year in a row, Home in Páxapa was a central component of the Orientation program for incoming Whitman students.


• April 11, 2019: Reception for community partners, including guests from CTUIR, took place at the Gesa Power House Theatre hosted by Center for Teaching and Learning included leadership from CTUIR.

• During 2018-19, the SEC supported students with Whitman Internship Grants:
  o Two year-long SEC-funded internships were at the CTUIR fisheries lab (based at WWCC) and one was at TCI.
  o Summer of 2019, the SEC supported one student at the CTUIR fisheries lab and one student in the CTUIR Education department (at CTUIR).

• April 6th, 2019: Creator’s Game held at Whitman.

• April and May, 2019: Professor Stan Thayne coordinated with CTUIR and TCI for his courses, REL 153: Religion and Native America and ANTH 246: Indigenous Ecologies. Specific events:
  o 2 field trips to TCI with guided tours by Marjorie Waheneka and Randall Melton, April 4 & 17
  o Department of Natural Resources Open House at the Longhouse, April 4
  o Field trip to the Native Plant Nursery, guided by Gail Redburg, April 16
  o Field trip to the Water and Environmental Center Wet Lab, guided by Alexa Maine, April 23
  o Attended the Root Feast with six students and three faculty, by invitation from Armand Minthorn, April 28
  o Class visit and guest lecture by Armand Minthorn on May 2 (followed by lunch)

• Spring 2019: The Maxey Museum hosted Caution: Broken Past (Whitman students Grace Fritzke, Leksi Kostur, Izzy Sherwood-Reid), with Jennifer Karson and Randall Melton as speakers for the opening on April 11.

Other Events Related to Education about American Indian Concerns

• June 18-19, 2018: Professors Suzanne Morrissey (Anthropology and Gender Studies), Lauren Berger (Psychology) and Matt Reynolds (Art History and Visual Culture Studies) attended the Enduring Legacies Native Case Studies Institute.
March 18-19, 2019: Professor Libby Miller, Director of Whitman’s Maxey Museum, attended NAGPRA training offered by the National Preservation Institute.
Veronica Ortiz, Senior Associate Director of Admission, attended the College Horizons program at Brown University, June 22-28, 2018.

Upcoming Events for 2019-20

- July 2019. Whitman faculty hosted six STEM sessions for CTUIR middle school students.
- September. *Whale People: Protectors of the Sea* will be exhibited at the Sheehan Gallery with support from the Maxey Museum. The exhibition is a collaboration between the Lummi Nation and the artist/activist collective, Not an Alternative's project, The Natural History Museum.
- Sarah Hurlburt’s conference on French Canadians, metis, etc. in spring 2020.