

Dancing Between Worlds:



Being a Lakota Woman Today

Presented by
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Thursday, March 25
Noon - 1:00 p.m.
UNO's Milo Bail Student Center
Dodge Room
and
at the 7:00 p.m.
All Nations Community Gathering
Nebraska Indian Community College
2451 St. Mary's Avenue in Omaha

Alfreda Beartrack, M.A., (Running With a Rattle Woman) is an enrolled member of the Lower Brule Sioux Tribe (Kul Wicasa Oyate) and currently resides on the reservation in Lower Brule, South Dakota. Alfreda has a multifaceted background in fine art, literature, video production, and holistic health. Her work conveys her personal warmth, exuberance and spiritual insight. Alfreda has seen first hand the influxes of contemporary influences on tribal life, such as, alcohol, drugs, poverty and unemployment, and also how the traditional ways of the culture have remained intact. Alfreda has had numerous accomplishments in her lifetime but her highest aim is to maintain Lakota spiritual ways as she lives the dance between the contemporary and traditional worlds.

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