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Milo Bail Student Center
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NEBRASKA DREAMIN':

The lives of Omaha
DACA Students

Presentation by

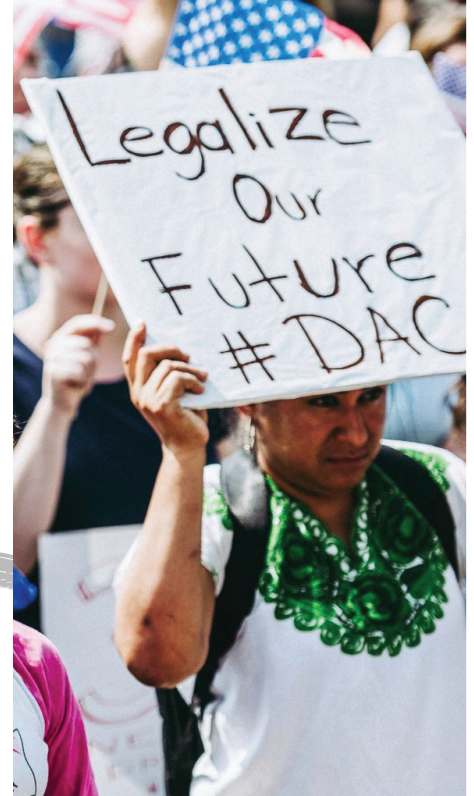
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Dr. Thomas Sanchez' presentation examines society's demonization of young Latino immigrants from their point of view and in their own words. In December 2015 and January 2017, Dr. Sanchez interviewed 10 DACA recipients on how they deal with the "criminal" label and the extent to which it affects not only their identity but the decisions they make regarding employment, education and where they choose to live. All are residents of the state of Nebraska who are eager to repay the state and local communities for educational and other opportunities they have had here. Despite changing laws and regulations they continue to contribute to the economic, social, and cultural well-being of Omaha and Nebraska.

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED



Omaha DACA Rally 9/10/17 Source: Josiah Mannion

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