



disABILITY Awareness Week

PROMOTING DISABILITY AWARENESS, EQUITY & INCLUSION

In recognition of October as National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM), Foothill College is hosting Disability Awareness Week to increase awareness & understanding, and change attitudes among the community. This week's events aim to promote dialogue about issues faced by students with disabilities and highlight stigma surrounding disabilities.

Opening Event

Monday, October 21

Hearthside Lounge Room 2313

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- **10:30–11:45AM** DRC Open House
- **12–1:30PM** Lunch (free pizza!), Meet & Greet
- **1:30–2:30PM** Keynote talk: *Disability and Technology Innovation* by Dr. Richard E. Ladner (Welcome remarks by President Nguyen)
- **2:45–3:30PM** Video: *Meet Haben Girma* by Laurie Scolari & Poetry Reading by Sophia Falco

Dr. Richard E. Ladner is Professor Emeritus in the Paul G. Allen School of Computer Science & Engineering. He is well known for accessibility technology & research, especially for deaf, deaf-blind, hard-of-hearing, and blind people. He is a renowned leader in promoting the inclusion of persons with disabilities in computing fields.

Visions of Warriors Film Screening

Tuesday, October 22, 2–4PM, Room 5001

- In *Visions of Warriors*, by Ming Lai (Producer/Writer/Editor/Director) four veterans from the Vietnam War era to the Iraq War participate in the groundbreaking Veteran Photo Recovery Project at the VA Menlo Park and use innovative photography therapy to treat their mental illness.
- Popcorn provided!

Chalk the Quad & Community Resource Fair

Wednesday, October 23, 11AM–2PM, Library Quad 3500

- Raising awareness about disability on campus
- Check out our broad range of disability and health related campus and community resources
- Popcorn and Snow Cones will be provided.

Educational Seminars

Thursday, October 24, 12PM–2PM, Room 5419

- Universal Design for Learning (UDL) Faculty Panel Discussion
- Alumni/Current Student Panel
- Internet of Things (IoT) and People with Disabilities

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