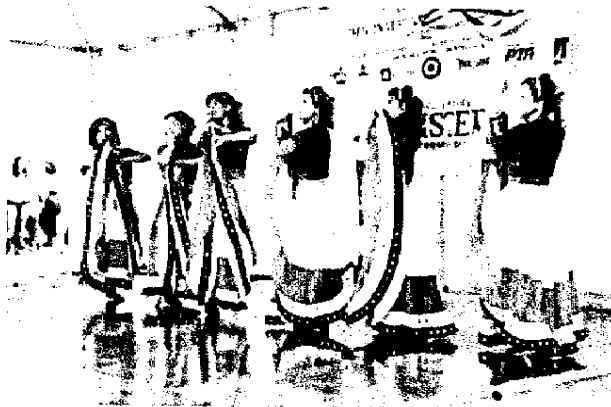


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Soka University's 9th Annual International Festival to feature 700 performers on three stages



A continuous program of international music and dance on three stages featuring over 700 performers will highlight Soka University's 9th Annual International Festival on Saturday, May 1st from 10:30 am to 5:30 pm. Soka's International Festival is part of the Orange County Imagination Celebration presented in cooperation with Arts Orange County and the Orange County Department of Education.

The International Festival also features a wonderful array of international food, art, ceramic demonstrations and

sale, more than 150 non-profit and business exhibitors, children's games, crafts and inflatable rides. Admission is free. Parking on campus is \$10. Please carpool!

See www.soka.edu/festival for more information.

Here's a partial list of some of the performing groups you can catch at the International Festival:

Agrupacion Llajtamasis
Aliso Niguel Dance Team
Bolivia Internacional
The California Conservatory of Dance Ensemble
Deep Stirrings
Eishinkan Aikido Dojo
Fraternida "D" Bolivia
Fujima Kansei Odori Kai
Ghungroo of SUA (Dances of India)
Global Groove
Grupo Folklorico Los Sonadores
J.J. & the Habibis Belly Dancers
Josho Daiko of SUA (Taiko Drums)
Ka Pilina Ho'olokahi of SUA
Ke Alohi Lani (Shining Heaven)
The Kids from A2Z
Laguna Woods Village Symphony and members of Saddleback College Emeritus Symphony Orchestra
Los Traviesos

Mei-Ling Lee Chinese Dance Group
Mudra Academy of Dance
Catherine Pham
The Pin Peat Ensemble of the Spirit of Shmer Angkor
Rhythmission of SUA (Hip Hop)
Rio Hondo Dance Collective
Jasmine Singh
San Diego North and South Chorus
San Diego SGI Jazz Band
SGI-USA Myo-On Taiko
SGI-USA Pearl Chorus
Son Merekumbe
Spirit Soul and Friends
Sualseros of SUA (Salsa)
Susana Elena Classical Spanish & Flamenco Dance
Syrtaki International Folk Dance Ensemble
Temple Bhajan Band
Troupe Melangees
US Blackbelt Academy
Vietnamese American Arts & Letters Association
Vovinam-Viet Vo Dao Vietnamese Martial Art
When Pigs Fly! Band

The 103-acre Soka University campus is located at 1 University Drive, Aliso Viejo. For a map and directions, see www.soka.edu/directions.

Soka University of America, Aliso Viejo is a private, non-profit, four-year liberal arts college. The campus has a 9:1 student/faculty ratio and an average class size of 13. All students study a non-native language and do a semester of study abroad their junior year. Founded on the Buddhist principles of peace, human rights and the sanctity of life, SUA offers a non-sectarian curriculum and is open to students of all nationalities and beliefs.

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