



Project of Chinese Americans Citizens Alliance - Albuquerque Lodge Presents
9th Annual Albuquerque Chinese American Film Festival (ACAFF)

Change Agents

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18 and Sunday October 19, 2025
SOUTH BROADWAY CULTURAL CENTER, 1025 Broadway Blvd. SE
FREE ADMISSION: \$10 PER PERSON DONATION SUGGESTED

TICKETS AT <https://ABQTickets.com>

(click South Broadway Cultural Center) Free lunch for First 100 registrants.

Saturday, October 18

10:00 AM to 10:20 AM
History of The Chinese American Citizen's Alliance in Albuquerque



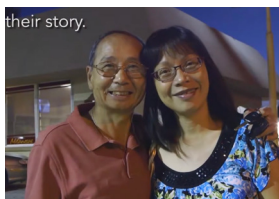
11:50 AM Lunch

12:30 PM to 1:30 PM
Builders of the Silicon Dream



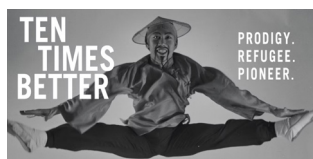
A groundbreaking social impact film that chronicles the untold stories of Asian American entrepreneurs who helped shape Silicon Valley into the global hub of technology and innovation across the West.

10:20 AM to 10:40 AM
Closing Time



Sherwin Lau, an associate film professor at New Mexico State University, tells the story of his parents' journey from Hong Kong to the U.S. in 1983. Closing Time explores how they built a new life and pursued a better future for their family.

10:45 AM to 11:15 AM
Ten Times Better



The heartwarming story of George Lee, a pioneering Asian dancer who originated a featured role in George Balanchine's The Nutcracker 70 years ago as a teenage immigrant from China. In his later years, George worked as a Blackjack Dealer in Las Vegas.

11:20 AM to 11:50 AM
The Butte Chinese Boycott of 1897



In 1897, Butte's Chinese community faced a harsh union-led boycott, but through resilience and legal action, they won a landmark case that affirmed their rights, sending a powerful message against anti-Chinese discrimination across the West.

1:45 PM to 2:30 PM

Filmmakers Panel Discussion



2:45 PM to 4:40 PM
Mulan (2020 Live Action Version)



To keep her ailing father from serving in the Imperial Army, a fearless young woman disguises herself as a man and battles northern invaders in China showdown.

Sunday, October 19

10:00 AM to 10:40 AM
Asian Americans: Breaking Ground



In an era of exclusion and U.S. empire, new immigrants arrive from China and beyond. Barred by anti-Asian laws they become America's first "undocumented immigrants," yet they build railroads, dazzle on the silver screen, and take their fight for equality to the Supreme Court.

12:30 PM Lunch

10:45 AM to 10:55 AM
Hazel Ying Lee



Oregon's Hazel Ying Lee broke barriers at home and abroad as the first ever Chinese American woman to fly for the U.S. military.

11:00 AM to 12:30 PM: Didi



In 2008, during the last month of summer before high school begins, an impressionable 13-year-old Taiwanese American boy learns what his family can't teach him: how to skate, how to flirt, and how to love your mom.

1:15 PM to 1:45 PM
C.A.C.A. Dancers and AKKA Karate Demonstration



2:00 PM to 2:15 PM
Shangri-La The Blue 9 Tails

2:20 PM to 4:20 PM
Karate Kid Legends



Kung fu prodigy Li Fong moves from Beijing to New York. When a friend needs help, he enters a karate competition. With guidance from his teacher Mr. Han and Karate Kid legend Daniel LaRusso, Li learns to merge styles for the ultimate martial arts showdown.

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