

## Native American Pre-BEX Tour

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**Chantal Nez Dominguez** — Enrolled member of the Navajo Nation; Program Manager at WSU's Community Engagement Institute with 18+ years in health promotion and wellness; focuses on resilience through culture and language revitalization, community engagement, and strengthening kinship and identity. Serves on the KATCH Executive Board and the Board of Hunter Health. Guided by K'é (family).

Social: [Instagram](#) [LinkedIn](#)

**Elder Mark Brown** — Lakota spiritual leader.

**Newman Washington** — Citizen of the Eastern Shoshone Tribe; Traditional Health Advocate & Licensed Addiction Counselor with 30+ years of experience; serves at Hunter Health I.H.S. Urban Indian Healthcare Clinic in Kansas.

**Erin Raux** — Interim Director (formerly Curator) at the Mid-America All-Indian Museum; MFA; dedicated to community partnerships, visitor experience, and mission-driven programming.

Website & Social: [theindianmuseum.org](http://theindianmuseum.org) [Facebook](#) [YouTube](#) [Instagram](#)

**Sidney Toppah Sr.** — Enrolled member of the Kiowa Tribe; originally from Carnegie, OK; 32 years in Wichita; with wife Shawndae, their family actively carries forward traditions and values through song and dance.

**Candace Dave** — Enrolled member of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla; WSU Graduate Assistant supporting inclusion and student success; focused on building pathways for Native students in higher education.

**Rodrick Pocowatchit** — Comanche/Pawnee/Shawnee; Wichita-based filmmaker, writer, and storyteller; director of the AlterNative Film Festival; Sundance screenwriting alum; L.A. SkinsFest directing fellow; social media content specialist for Hunter Health.

Website & Social: [alternativefilmfestival.org](http://alternativefilmfestival.org) [Facebook](#)

**Jason Champagne** — Member of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa (MN); Chef/Owner of Native Chef LLC; Le Cordon Bleu-trained; former Walt Disney World chef; BS in Community Nutrition & Indian Studies; MPH in Public Health Nutrition; founded Native Chef LLC (2017) to help communities integrate traditional foods into contemporary cooking.

Website & Social: [indigenousnativechef.com](http://indigenousnativechef.com) [Instagram](#) [TikTok](#) Facebook: Native Chef LLC

**Amber Williams** — Citizen of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation; Industrial Engineer; founder of Circa81 Design; leads projects for tribal communities, government agencies, and private clients; passionate about STEM, sustainability, and workforce development.

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