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The AS Gender and Sexuality Equity Center Hosts:

9th Annual Queer Conference: “Creating Queermunities: Exploring our Ignored Identities and Intersections”

CHICO, Calif. - The [Associated Students Gender and Sexuality Equity Center](#) will be hosting the 9th Annual Queer Conference on Dec. 4th from 12:00-5:00 p.m.

This year’s theme is “Creating Queermunities: Exploring our Ignored Identities and Intersections” and will be centralizing around the parts of the LGBTQ+ community that are underrepresented, ignored, or erased. Workshops include topics such as bisexual erasure, being homeless & LGBTQ+, being HIV+ in the 21st century, being a queer person of faith, and more.

The conference agenda is provided below:

11:30AM- 12:00PM: Registration & Coffee

12:00PM- 12:40PM: Keynote by President Gayle Hutchinson

12:50PM- 1:40PM: Breakout Session One

“Queer People of Faith: Breaking the Barrier” – Elaine Donlin

“Are you clean? Yes I’ve Showered Today: A Discussion on HIV Positivity” – Jeff Lange

1:50PM- 2:40PM: Breakout Session Two

“Coming Out: The Good the Bad and the Exhausting” – Lindsay Briggs

2:50PM- 3:20PM: Appetizers

3:20PM-4:10PM: Breakout Session Three

“We’re Here & We’re Fat, Femme and Queer” – Rachel Biccum & Margot Van Der Bie

“Beautiful Truths, Collective Resistance: QTBIPOC-Centered Art Activism” – Iraya Robles

4:20PM- 5:00PM: Bisexual Erasure Panel

Please pre-register for free with Eventbrite [here](#). For more information or questions, feel free to visit our office in BMU 004, call us at (530) 898-5724, or email us at asgsec.queer@csuchico.edu.

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The Associated Students Gender & Sexuality Equity Center (GSEC) is a student-run activist organization that strives to empower all students through its four programs: the Women’s Program, the Queer Program, the Trans Program, and the Outreach Program. The GSEC challenges societal norms that have been used to oppress and marginalize by providing opportunities for leadership, personal development, and referral services. We offer a safe and inclusive space where the campus and community can effectively support the academic mission of the university.