

INTERNATIONAL LECTURE

It's a big world out there!

CONNECTING WITH CULTURES THROUGH NGOs

How can volunteering with a non-governmental organization (NGO) help you connect to the culture of a country?

In many countries, non-profit programs are critical to addressing social issues that otherwise do not get the attention of the local government. Sarvahitey is an NGO in India that's building both learning centers for underprivileged children and libraries throughout the country to enhance the quality of education and literacy where government programs are lacking. Join Heather Lewis, a Northern Michigan native, as she shares how working with Sarvahitey has provided rewarding opportunities to connect with the culture and people of India. She will also discuss points to consider when looking for an organization to work with, either in India or another country.

North Central's International Committee is sponsoring a free lunch of traditional Indian food (served at 11:45; limited to 15 guests). The lecture is free to attend for all, however RSVPs are required. Please call 231-348-6600 to reserve your seat.

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12 – 1 p.m. Library Conference Center