

EVENTS OF INTEREST: LATE OCTOBER AND EARLY NOVEMBER, 2019

IKI DIL, BIR BAVUL (ON THE WAY TO SCHOOL)

Saturday, Oct. 26, at 7:00 p.m., at IU Cinema

This documentary shows one year in the life of a Turkish teacher instructing Kurdish children in a remote village in Turkey. The children cannot speak Turkish; the teacher cannot speak Kurdish and is forced to become an exile in his own country. *On the Way to School* is a film about a Turkish teacher who is alone in a village as an authority of the state and explores his interaction with the Kurdish children who have to learn Turkish. In Turkish and Kurdish with English subtitles.

Curated by Noah Arjomand and Zeynep Elbasan-Bozdoğan of the Hamilton Lugar SGIS, with support from IU Cinema, Center for the Study of the Middle East, Inner Asian and Uralic National Resource Center, Department of Central Eurasian Studies, Department of Folklore and Ethnomusicology, Center for Documentary Research and Practice, and Directed by Women.

Series: Between Worlds: Cultural Hybridity in Turkish Film

SYRIAN CULTURE AND COOKING NIGHT

Monday, October 28, at 6:00 p.m., The IU Food Institute House (405 N. Park Ave.)

Come cook and share a meal with your friends at Preemptive Love at IU, the IU Arabic Department, and the IU Food Institute! We'll hear about Syrian culture and how to prepare a Syrian dish (no worries if you can't cook- we'll give you the easy stuff). Who doesn't love a good home-cooked meal just like **ماما** used to make?

Why: As of the Monday preceding this event, more than 300,000 people have fled northern Syria as Turkish bombs continue to fall. This dinner will be FREE but we ask that you donate what you can to benefit emergency relief efforts by Preemptive Love at the Turkish-Syrian border, and to join us in celebrating the beauty and joy of Syrian culture

CONCERT ON LOVE AND EXILE

Saturday, November 2, at 2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., in Auer Hall at IU

From the Director of Community Engagement for Indiana University's Singing Hoosiers. This Fall concert has special themes surrounding Love and Exile. We have established an incredible partnership with Zeshan Bagewaldi and will be performing his song *Brown Power* with him. We as an organization feel that it is incredibly important to put action behind the words and messaging of Brown Power.

THE BORDER IS HERE

Wednesday, November 6, from 7-8:30 p.m., in the Monroe County Public Library Auditorium.

This is an important Public Discussion on how local immigration enforcement impacts our community.