

## **EVERYONE INVITED**

*Chicana/o Studies Department and the Center for the Study of the Peoples of the Americas (CESPA) at California State University Northridge*

### **Present**



**Friday, April 25, 2014**

**Jerome Richfield (JR) 118**

**9:30am-10:45am**

*Receptions before and after presentation*

Among others Rep. Grijalva is a member of the Congressional Border Caucus, LGBT Equality Caucus, Native American Caucus, co-chair of the Congressional Progressive Caucus and the Immigration Task Force (of the Congressional Progressive Caucus)

Rep. Grijalva is introducing an alternative immigration bill to the Pelosi-Becerra Bill. He will discuss comprehensive immigration reform that includes a pathway to legalization. Grijalva says that Congress cannot continue with a “one fence fits all” mentality. The congressman continues that approximately 2.8 million students graduate from U.S. high schools every year, and that some will go on to college, some will join the military and others will take different paths. However, about 65,000 students will not be as fortunate.

As we all know, the devil is in the detail. Rarely do students get the opportunity to discuss the devil. Rep. Grijalva after his presentation will engage in a dialogue; among other things he will address questions on “How does his bill differ from those already in the hopper?” “What about the militarization of the border?” “What about the families of the Dream Act students under the policy of family reunification?” “What about the growing influence of Homeland Security?”

**REMEMBER APRIL 25TH @ 9:30 A.M.**

**Jerome Richfield 118, also known as the Chicana/o Studies Mural Room**

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