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### **International Fair to welcome new citizens**

OMAHA, Neb. — Metropolitan Community College's International Fair will bring food, fashion and entertainment from around the world to the South Omaha Campus Connector Building on Tuesday, April 15, 10 a.m.–7:30 p.m. The public is invited to browse global displays, learn about community organizations and — new this year — watch a naturalization ceremony.

The free, annual event is aimed at giving students and community members of all ages the opportunity to learn about cultures from around the world. The day begins at 10 a.m. with the USCIS Naturalization Ceremony in the Industrial Training Center, Room 120. Throughout the day, musicians, dancers and performers will take the stage in the Connector Building Commons. At 6:30 p.m., internationally acclaimed guitarist Asif Sinan presents "Jazzical," a soundscape that blends the traditions of Indian classical music with jazz. A quintessential world musician, Sinan has gained recognition for making his guitar sound like a sitar.

All events are free and open to the public. MCC's South Omaha Campus is located at 27th and Q streets. For more information, call 402-457-2253.

The International Fair is presented with the support of the Nebraska Arts Council and the Nebraska Cultural Endowment.

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Metropolitan Community College, accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association, is a comprehensive, public community college that offers affordable and quality education to all residents of Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy and Washington counties. Founded in 1974, MCC has the largest enrollment out of six community colleges in Nebraska and is the

second largest postsecondary institution in the state. MCC serves more than 40,000 students annually.