

# *Indigenous Planning Division*



A division of the American Planning  
Association



## *Who are we?*

- The IP Division is a non-profit organization that is chartered under the sponsorship of the American Planning Association (APA).
- IP basically recruits its membership from the APA although individuals can also opt to join as non-APA members.

# *Mission Statement*

- To develop a professional organization that advocates for a community development approach based on an indigenous planning paradigm. The practice of indigenous planning is predicted on adhering to land-tenure traditions and upholding the unique cultural worldview of indigenous communities.

## *What we strive for:*

- Link planning practitioners that work among tribal nations and indigenous communities.
- To provide a forum for sharing and showcasing the planning efforts of indigenous practitioners.
- To advocate for the use of cultural values in Community Development.
- To support the development of an educational curriculum in Indigenous communities.
- To facilitate the creations and placement of student planning internships among indigenous communities.

# *Membership Benefits*

- Full access to the Division website, including access to the:
  - Resources page
  - Online newsletter
  - Events page
  - Member profiles
- Subscription to the Indigenous Planning Division Newsletter
- Subscription to the IP listserv
- Networking opportunities

# *Membership*



- Membership Fees:

– APA Member	\$25.00
– APA Student	\$10.00
– Other	\$40.00

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