ALLIANCE FOR CULTURAL DEMOCRACY
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The Alliance is a participant in the international response to the upcoming five hundredth anniversary of Columbus' "discovery" of the Americas. The goal of this effort is to challenge the upcoming official celebrations of the European conquest, to provide alternative perspectives and a link among other groups in the campaign. We work in cooperation with many other organizations, especially those representing Native American leadership.

Our role in the Counter-Quincentennial complements our ongoing work of helping to tell the untold truths and suppressed stories of all peoples. We believe that the truthful telling of our past will help us to better support each other in the struggles of today, and to put an end to the age of colonialism — to stop the wounding so that the healing can begin.

The Alliance for Cultural Democracy

is the only national, non-profit network for cultural activists — artists, critics, teachers, and organizers — who work for grassroots empowerment and democratic participation through cultural activity. We are committed to celebrating and defending free cultural expression for our many diverse communities in addition to encouraging respect for differences and the links between cultural work and the struggles for political, economic and social justice.

Some of our special 1992 Quincentennial projects are...

huracán, our national networking publication, with feature articles on counter-Quincentennial events and issues, newsbriefs and quotes, art, media, and resources from throughout the Americas and beyond. "huracán," which is the name given by the Taino people to the storms that periodically batter the Caribbean, denotes the five hundred years of resistance by all peoples — native, transplanted and transformed — to the injustices of colonialism.

How To...'92, an illustrated handbook which lays out in practical terms cultural activist strategies for repossessing the silenced histories of the last five hundred years. The comicbook format guide, to be published in Fall, 1991, is designed as a resource for grass-roots resistance, and focuses on Native American leadership. The guide will contain a pull-out map and calendar with planned national activities.

ACD 1992 Conference, which will be held in Atlanta, Georgia, May 23rd thru 25th. This national/international conference will feature: participatory performance workshops engaging the "teaching moment" of the Counter-Quincentennial; workshops and discussions on actions and networking strategies for 1992 and beyond. ACD members receive a discount on registration.

In addition to its annual conference, the Alliance publishes Regional Bulletins, Cultural Democracy magazine, and the ACD Membership Directory — a national "Yellow Pages" of cultural activism. ACD sponsors additional regional activities, and operates as a volunteer, member-funded organization.

Join ACD now and stay informed on the Counter-Quincentennial and a broad range of cultural activist developments