

# PROFESSIONALS OF COLOR LECTURE SERIES

**Presented By: The Office of Multicultural Affairs**

## **A Conversation with Peter Bratt**

**Wednesday, October 2, 2013**

**6:30-8 p.m.**

**Russel H. Kirkhof Center, Grand River Room**

**Allendale Campus**

**Lib 100 & Lib 201**



Join us for an engaging conversation as we explore the intersection of race and sexual orientation and the story told in the 2009 film *La Mission* with filmmaker, Peter Bratt. Bratt is an acclaimed director, screenwriter and producer. His first film, *Follow Me Home*, premiered at the Sundance Film Festival in official competition in 1996. It opened audiences' eyes with its honest look at the social issues faced by five urban individuals as they traveled across the United States to Washington, D.C. Its exploration of the journey to redemption and the ultimate reach toward conquering societal ills is also a theme explored in Bratt's sophomore effort, *La Mission*.



The film *La Mission* will be shown September 23-27, everyday at 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. in the Russel H. Kirkhof Center, Spotlight Theater.

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