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DEOMI RELEASES 2016 NATIONAL AMERICAN INDIAN HERITAGE MONTH POSTER

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PATRICK AIR FORCE BASE, Fla. – In observance of National American Indian Heritage Month, celebrated each year in November, the Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute, proudly announces the availability of original artwork available for download from our public website at www.deomi.org.

Please note that you may download this hi-resolution image file by clicking the “download” link below the thumbnail image for this poster on the website and take it to your preferred printing facility for display in your organization or use during your special observance programs.

The Society of American Indian Government Employees, also known as SAIGE, has chosen the theme “Serving Our Nations,” for this year’s observance.

Currently, there are 567 federally recognized American Indian and Alaska Native nations. Each with their own unique history, beliefs, governance structure, and culture. Sovereignty is the right of a nation to be self-governing and is the most fundamental concept that defines the relationship between the government of the United States and governments of American Indian tribes. American Indians and Alaska Natives are U.S. citizens and citizens of their nation.

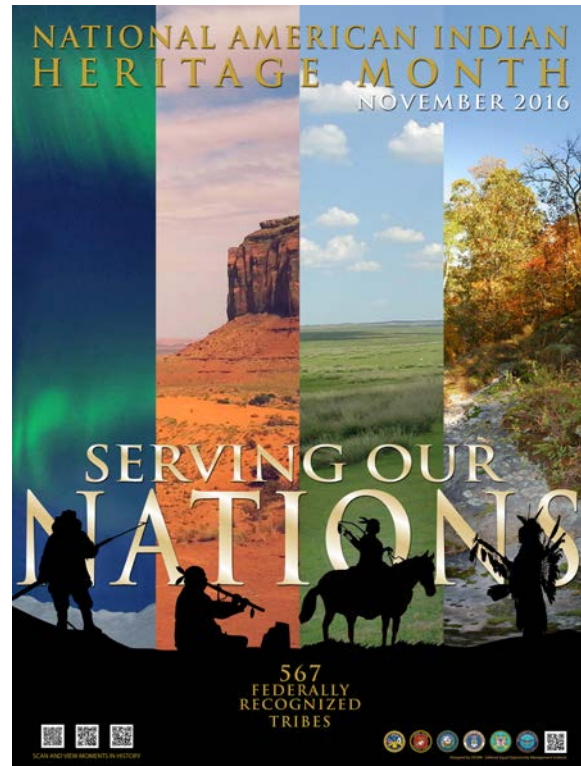
DEOMI has a small group of team members who, visualize, create and produce all our Institute’s monthly observance products.

“The design team wanted to visually showcase that American Indians and Alaskan Natives are across the United States and within the 50 states, 567 nations co-exist,” they said.

“The background was divided in four geographical representations. The silhouetted images along the bottom of the poster were chosen to represent the Alaskan Natives and American Indians in each location as well as honor the first Americans to inhabit our nation.”

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In addition, please check out our website for a wide variety of new products we've prepared to help our EO/EEO professionals in the field with their support of the special observance and awareness months, in addition to the standard poster, PowerPoint, and Facts of the Day items previously used.

Here are just a few of the upgrades we are working on at the present time.

- Templates which can be easily tailored to meet specific organizational needs.
- Themed Mini-poster with facts.
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- Information Database (facts, quotes, photos, etc.) which can be used in a variety of ways.
- Themed Invitation / Thank You card template.
- Generic Thank You card template
- Themed Activity Book
- Themed Book Mark

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