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## DR. MIKE MENA Assistant Professor

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Dr. Mena is a Mexican American researcher, educational technologist, and public intellectual. In addition to publishing his work in academic journals, he has an award-winning YouTube channel, "The Social Life of Language." The Hispanic Studies department & the Spanish Club present

## "SOFT" LINGUISTIC TERRORISM

## 21ST CENTURY RE-ARTICULATIONS

Dr. Mena's research focuses on the ideological perceptions of race and language in the context of American education. He will discuss how Chicanos have been delegitimized via "linguistic terrorism," or, routine forms of psychological and physical punishment meant to enforce idealized white, middle-class, monolingual social norms.

Join us

TUESDAY, APRIL 16 7:00 PM UPPER GORECKI, CSB