

# INTERSECTIONS OF AIS & STEM

Community-University Partnerships to Assess Exposures  
and Risk Perceptions of Diné Communities following the  
Gold King Mine Spill

**Monday, April 27, 2020**

**4:30–6:30 pm**

**UCLA La Kretz Garden Pavilion**

RSVP: <http://bit.ly/KarlettaChief>



On August 5, 2015, 3 million gallons of acid mine drainage was released from the Gold King Mine, eventually reaching the San Juan River – the lifeblood of the Navajo Nation. In this talk, Dr. Karletta Chief will discuss ways to build community and university partnerships to quickly develop and implement a community-based risk assessment in environmental disasters.

Dr. Karletta Chief (Diné) is an Associate Professor and Extension Specialist at the University of Arizona, Department of Soil, Water, and Environmental Sciences.

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