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Celebration of Mahatma Gandhi on Thursday, October 2, 2014, at the U of M Crookston

By Itollefts on Monday, September 29, 2014 In celebration of Mahatma Gandhi's birthday on Thursday, Oct. 2, 2014, there will be a program that honors his life at the University of Minnesota Crookston. The program, which takes place in the Northern Lights Lounge, Sargeant Student Center, begins at 3:30 p.m. and is free and open to all.

From 3:30 to 4 p.m. Associate Professor Venu Mukku will present on the life of Gandhi followed by refreshments. A panel discussion will take place from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. on the topic: "Gandhian values and their relevance to modern society" moderated by Lora Hollowell, director, Diversity and Multicultural Programs. The program will conclude with the showing of the movie Gandhi from 6 to 9 p.m. The movie is rated PG and pizza will be served.

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