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Feeding and Building Communities of Care on the U.S.-Mexico Border

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This webinar will present research related to food and community-building on the U.S. Mexico border. This work examines various examples of how food becomes a medium for expressing care, compassion, and resistance on the U.S.-Mexico border. By exploring the politics of care through a Chicana feminist praxis lens, this work documents the ways in which people on the U.S.-Mexico border offer what they have to care for each other. Food builds social solidarity by unifying people across diverse backgrounds and building stronger webs of social support and cohesion through the politics of care.

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