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December Holidays

Dec 10: International Human Rights Day
Dec 10-18: Hanukkah
Dec 13: St. Lucia Day
Dec 16-24: Las Posadas
Dec 21: Yule Winter Solstice
Dec 25: Christmas Day
Dec 26: Boxing Day
Dec 26—Jan 1: Kwanzaa
Dec 26: Zartosht No-Diso
Dec 31: Watch Night

January Holidays

Jan 1: New Year's Day
Jan 5: Guru Gobind Singh Ji's Birthday
Jan 6: Epiphany/Dia de los Reyes
Jan 7: Christmas Day (Eastern Orthodox)
Jan 14-Apr 27: Kumbh Mela
Jan 14: Makar Sankranti
Jan 17: World Religion Day
Jan 27: Tu B'shevat
Jan 28: Mahayana New Year

Note: this is in no way meant to be a complete list of holidays/celebrations in these months.

Engage:

- [‘Watch Nights,’ A New Year’s Celebration of Emancipation](#) (2.5 min read)
- [Why Kwanzaa Is So Meaningful to Black Americans](#) (9 min read)
- [In His Own Words: An Interview with Maulana Karenga](#) (8 min read)
- [Hanukkah Lights 2020](#) (1 hour 3 min listen)
- [It’s Diversity Season Once Again](#) (3 min read)
- [Diverse TV Holiday Season Includes All-Asian Lifetime Movie](#) (5 min read)
- [8 Holiday Traditions Around the World](#) (7 min read)

Support:

- [Support Black-Owned Businesses and Communities](#)
- [33 BIPOC Brands to Support](#)
- [The Intentionalist](#)
- [Seattle Good Business Network](#)
- [Culture Greetings Will Send Your Holiday Cards For You This Year](#)

Participate:

- [Children’s Kwanzaa Celebration](#): learn through songs and stories
- [Seattle Holiday Events to See in 2020](#)
- [All Holiday Market Events Near Seattle](#)

RDC News:

RDC Applicant Diversity Happy Hour

Save the dates! We have scheduled five virtual happy hour sessions specifically for applicants from diverse and underrepresented backgrounds to speak with current residents in the IM program.

The dates and times are as follows (all times Pacific):

[December 21st at 6pm](#)

[January 12th at 4pm](#)

[February 4th at 6pm](#)

Registration links are hyperlinked to the individual remaining dates. Zoom links will be sent in a future email. Send an email to jmdiverse@uw.edu with any further questions.



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