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This special issue is an updated collection of information about active American Indian, Native American and Indigenous Studies programs in the United States. One survey identified as many as 112 such programs and departments in both the United States and in Canada, of which 84 are in the U.S. A call for essays was put out and the following essays were submitted. The *Indigenous Nations Studies Journal* is open to receiving other program/department essays for future issues of the Journal.

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