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# COLUMBUS ON TRIAL

An 18 minute

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**Lourdes Portillo**

Lourdes Portillo brings you a provocative, short comedy, featuring CULTURE CLASH, Los Angeles' outrageous, talented Latino comedy troupe, in a piece commemorating "500 Years of Resistance." Columbus is on trial and using a multi-layered visual track and music from legendary boleros to Latin Rock we discover a surprise ending! Could this be an Indigineous - Latino - Chicano fantasy?



Lourdes Portillo is a Chicana filmmaker, whose works include the award-winning *Las Madres: The Mothers of Plaza de Mayo* and *La Offrenda: The Days of the Dead*. She has directed and produced the narrative shorts *Vida* and *After the Earthquake* and is presently producing a feature length film written by Maria Irene Fornes.

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