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CHATTANOOGA TN: The Chattanooga Indigenous Resource Center and Library (CIRCL), is pleased to announce "The Cherokee and the Long Man," a presentation by Dr. Michael Abram, on Thursday, September 25, 6:30 to 8:00 PM, at the Tennessee Aquarium in downtown Chattanooga. The program is an exploration of the river, traditionally known to the Cherokee as "the Long Man," and its relationship to the Cherokee culture.

Dr. Abram is renowned as one of the world's foremost experts on Cherokee culture, and is the director of the Cherokee Heritage Museum of Cherokee, North Carolina. He will discuss the role that water plays in Cherokee history and traditions in terms of ceremonies, medicines, legends, foods, transportation and everyday life. He will illustrate his talk with contemporary art from his extensive art collection.

This program is a joint presentation of the Chattanooga Indigenous Resource Center and Library and the Tennessee Aquarium. The program is free to the public, but advance registration is suggested. To register, call 267-FISH (423.267.3474).

