Center For Global Citizenship Events Archive

2013

- The Transformative Power of Education (Presented by Wes Moore, author of The Other Wes Moore)

Wes Moore
The Transformative Power of Education
Author of The Other Wes Moore
Follow on Twitter @wesmoore1 and on Facebook at facebook.com/TheOtherWesMoore

Thursday, November 14, 2013
7:00 p.m.
Center for Global Citizenship
Keynote address followed by Q&A

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For more information on this Speaker/Performer please visit www.ashepolitics.com.
The Muslim Womb: Midwives, Colonial Obstetrics, and the Postcolonial Legacies of Medicalized Childbirth in Morocco (Presented by Ellen J. Amster, Phd, Associate Professor of History, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee)

Ellen J. Amster, Associate Professor of History, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, is a historian of the modern Middle East and North Africa, specializing in French and Islamic medicine.

November 15th at 1:30 pm
The Center for Global Citizenship
C.S. Huh Auditorium

Sponsored by: Saint Louis University Center for International Studies, Department of History, and College for Public Health and Social Justice
Celebration of African Cultures

The Black Student Alliance Presents
CELEBRATION OF AFRICAN CULTURES

Nov 17, 3PM-8PM
Saint Louis University Center for Global Citizenship

Food, Performers, Music & Vendors.
Free food with student ID.
$3 for general public
Hope After Haiyan

HOPE AFTER HAIYAN
A Celebration of Love and Life
Dinner & Benefit Concert for the Victims of Super Typhoon Haiyan

Presenting acts from SLU & Wash U students and various St Louis Filipino organizations

Monday, December 2nd
7 pm - 9:30 pm
Center for Global Citizenship
Saint Louis University
3672 West Pine Mall
St. Louis, MO 63108

$6 for children under 18
and SLU students with ID

$8 for ages 18+ and
non-SLU students

Filipino food included

ALL proceeds go to:
Diocese of Tacloban City
Philippine Red Cross

Presented by:
SLU Filipino Student Association
SLU Student Government Association
Office of International Services
Alliance of the Holy Family International - Alliance of the Two Hearts
Midland Wok and Tita Cleo
Cafe di Organo

For further information, please email tsa@slu.edu
2014

- MLK Movie Night *Boycott* (Hosted by the Office of International Services)
- Creating a Beloved Community: A Public Forum to Present the Findings of the Missouri Civic Health Index
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Legacy Celebration: Building King's Dream One Community at a Time
- Voices from Syria
Global Perspectives on Affirmative Action: A Live Debate between Afghanistan and the United States (Hosted by SLU Association for International Debate)

The Cross-Cultural Center, The Center for Intercultural Studies, The Open Debate Society of Afghanistan, and the Center for Global Citizenship present a live international debate:

Global Perspectives on Affirmative Action:
Afghanistan and United States

Thursday, February 6, 2014
8:30am
Rebroadcast 7:00pm
In the Center for Global Citizenship Auditorium

As part of Black History Month, the Cross Cultural Center, the Center for Intercultural Studies, and the Center for Global Citizenship invite the Saint Louis University community to an international debate on Affirmative Action. This live linkage between Saint Louis University students and students at Kabul University, Narmian University, Larkan University and Kabul Polytechnic University in Kabul, Afghanistan will take place live in the Center for Global Citizenship auditorium on Thursday, February 6, at 8:30 a.m. The event will be rebroadcast at 7:00 p.m. on the same day.

Using the format of British Parliamentary Debate, the event will explore the question: “Based on the U.S. history with Affirmative Action, the government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan should implement affirmative action policies to ensure that Afghan women and marginalized groups have the educational and employment opportunities throughout Afghan society.”

The debate will be judged by Professor Mike Wolff, Dean of Saint Louis University School of Law and Richard Harvey, Associate Professor of Psychology, in collaboration with debate judges in Kabul.

This event is open to the Saint Louis University community. Coffee and refreshments will be provided.
- **Cultural Tastes Series: Taste of Korea** (Hosted by the Office of International Services)
- **Beyond Borders**

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<td><strong>FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28</strong></td>
<td>3 p.m.</td>
<td>The Global and Local Social Justice Program Presents Spots on the Globe: Third World Communities in our Midst – A Keynote Address with Dr. Norm White. This keynote address is part of the 4th Annual Global and Local Social Justice Conference. Location: Center for Global Citizenship, C.S. Huh Auditorium.</td>
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<td><strong>SATURDAY, APRIL 5</strong></td>
<td>7 p.m.</td>
<td>A live performance YANG. A drama about recent immigrant farmers in the United States, “Yang,” (meaning “garden” or “farm” in Hmong) is a two-person play about recent immigrant farmers that highlights the challenges and successes of present-day immigrant farmers in the Midwest. Location: Center for Global Citizenship, C.S. Huh Auditorium.</td>
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<td><strong>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30</strong></td>
<td>6:30 p.m.</td>
<td>Film Screening and Panel Discussion To Catch a Dollar (Muhammad Yunis Banks on America). To Catch a Dollar follows Nobel Peace Prize winner Muhammad Yunis as he establishes his revolutionary microfinance program in the United States. The 55 minute film will be followed by a panel discussion with area experts working in the field of financial services for the poor. Location: Center for Global Citizenship, C.S. Huh Auditorium.</td>
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Beyond Borders is a series of events that are free and open to the public. Beyond Borders aims to increase dialogue about social justice and global citizenship in the Saint Louis University community through unique and engaging events and speakers. For more information about Beyond Borders and other programs at the Center for Global Citizenship please visit: slu.edu/globalcitizenship.
• **Stephen Hopson: The Great Awakening** (Presented by Interfaith Alliance & Disability Services Club)

• **Europe and the Collapse of Yugoslavia: The Role of Non-State Actors and European Diplomacy** - Branislav Radeljic (Presented by the Center for International Studies)

• **Remembering the Legacy: Brown v. Board of Education**, Linda Brown Thompson and Cheryl Brown Henderson

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**Remembering the Legacy: Brown v. Board of Education**

60 Years Later

**February 20, 2014  .  7:00pm**

**Saint Louis University**

Center for Global Citizenship . 3672 West Pine Blvd.

Saint Louis University welcomes

Linda Brown Thompson and Cheryl Brown Henderson, two of the children represented by the NAACP-sponsored lawsuit against the Board of Education of Topeka, Kansas. This U.S. Supreme Court landmark case paved the way for the racial desegregation of public schools nationwide.

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Sponsored by: Cross Cultural Center, Saint Louis University School of Law, Center for Global Citizenship, Division of Mission and Ministry, Center for Service and Community Engagement, and the African American Studies Program
The Sochi Olympics: Promise and Perils (Presented by the Center for Intercultural Studies)

The Center for Intercultural Studies
AND
Russian & East European Area Studies
The Department of Political Science
The Department of Modern and Classical Languages
The Department of History
The Center for International Studies

present a roundtable:

The Sochi Olympics: Promise and Perils

Friday, February 21
at 3:10 p.m.

At the Seminar Room 124 A
Center for Global Citizenship

When Baron Pierre de Coubertin revived the ancient Greek Olympic Games in 1896, the hope was that they would promote peaceful and friendly relations among the world’s nations. Everyone would play by the same rules, with respect for fairness, and without any discrimination. This dream is still alive, and today billions of people are able to participate in the remarkable excitement of this global spectacle. But precisely because the Games are so prominent, they are also invariably politicized as partisan ambitions, ethnic tensions, historical resentments, issues of human rights violations, and terrorist threats are injected into its peaceful rivalries. The panelists will comment on all these themes from different disciplinary perspectives.
• An Evening with Charlotte Hill O'Neal
• The Sacred Art of the Sand Mandala (Buddhist Monks of the Drepung Gomang Monastery in India)
• Cultural Taste Series: Taste of Saudi Arabia (Hosted by the Office of International Services)
• Lee Mun Wah: An Unfinished Conversation (Presented by the Cross Cultural Center)

Breaking Barriers: A Conversation of the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict (Sponsored by the Political Round Table and the Jewish Student Association)
- Developing Trusting Relationship Through Active Listening (Sponsored by the Baobab People, Center for Service and Community Engagement and the Center for Global Citizenship)
The Intellectual Benefits of Internationalizing Research and Curriculum: A Workshop for Faculty and Graduate Students (Presented by the Center for Intercultural Studies)
- Saint Louis International Film Festival

- International Education Week 2014
- Jesse Sullivan - Transformed for Life: Taking International Service Experiences Back Home
- Father Neely of the Kino Border Initiative presents: Welcoming the Stranger
Bridging Cultures: Jesuits from the "Russian" Society in Early 19th Century America (Presented by the Center for Intercultural Studies)

A Lecture by:
Daniel L. Schlafly
Professor of History
Director of the Russian and East European Area Studies Program
Saint Louis University

Friday, January 23, 2015
at 3:00 p.m.
Seminar Room 124 A
Center for Global Citizenship

Catherine the Great protected the Society of Jesus in the Russian Empire from the general suppression in 1773, and she and her successors encouraged it to develop there. Before and after the general restoration of the Society in 1814, the 'Russian' Society sent fourteen Jesuits to the United States. These European Jesuits successfully adapted to the quite different American setting, and made a crucial contribution to the American Society and the American Catholic Church as educators, administrators, pastors, and missionaries.
• Blessed are the Peacemakers: A Catholic and American Response to Global and Local Conflict: Reverend Richard Pates, Bishop of Des Moines, Iowa
• Youth Justice Leagues Conference

Youth Justice Conference
Presented by the Youth Justice League

Calling all students! High school and college students come together for this no-cost social justice crash-course. Make new friends, eat free food, and join the movement!

More info & RSVP at: bit.ly/YJLConference

Saturday, January 31st
11am-4pm
Center for Global Citizenship
at Saint Louis University
3672 West Pine Mall

• Service Dialogues - International Development: Engaging in Global Issues Locally and Internationally
The Energy-Water-Health Nexus by Dr. Susan Gilbertz (Presented by the Center for Sustainability)

The Energy-Water-Health Nexus
Assessing the Environmental Impacts and Public Health Implications of Oil and Gas Production in Eastern Montana

A lecture by
Susan J. Gilbertz
Associate Professor of Geography
Montana State University–Billings

Friday, February 6
12:00–1:00 p.m.
Center for Global Citizenship, Room 124
Free and open to the public.
Lunch will be provided.
RSVP here.

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• **Cultural Clashes on Russian Peripheries** (Presented by the Center for Intercultural Studies)

**Culture Clashes on Russian Peripheries:**

Encountering Fyodor Dostoevsky’s Subversive Catholic Underground

A Lecture by:

Dr. Elizabeth A. Blake

Assistant Professor, Department of Literatures and Cultures
Saint Louis University

Friday, February 6, 2015
at 3:00 p.m.
Seminar Room 124 A
Center for Global Citizenshhip,
Saint Louis University

This lecture will explore Fyodor Dostoevsky’s association of Catholicism with subversive conspiracies and armed resistance—an association informed by his experience in a Siberian prison with Polish insurrectionists, by his reading of various accounts depicting the 1863 Uprising in Warsaw, and by his witnessing transnational collaboration among Russian, Polish, Italian, and French revolutionaries in Geneva. His linking of Catholicism to socialism (The Idiot and A Writer’s Diary) as well as his famous image of the Grand Inquisitor (The Brothers Karamazov) will be discussed in connection with his fears about the vibrant appeal of “the Catholic Idea” for Westernized Russians as well as concerns regarding papal-sponsored unrest in the Russian borderlands.
Global and Local Social Justice Student Conference

FIFTH ANNUAL SLU

Global and Local Social Justice Student Conference

What you have done?

SLU undergraduate and graduate students will present their academic work pertaining to global and local social justice issues.
This conference will include both poster and paper presentations reporting on both research and internship projects.

Let others know!

February 27, 2015
1:30 – 5:30 PM
Abstracts due February 16th


Location: Saint Louis University Center for Global Citizenship

Questions?

Contact Dr. Robert Strikwerda,
Director of the Global and Local Social Justice Program.
mrt@slu.edu

For more information on the SLU Global and Local Social Justice Initiative and minor, please visit:
http://www.slu.edu/sl2233.xmll

Sponsored by the Department of American Studies, Political Science, Sociology, the Women’s and Gender Studies Program, the School of Social Work, and the School of Public Health

Which Is More Effective: Intercultural Dialogue or Government Policy?: A Live Debate between Afghanistan and the United States (Hosted by the Cross Cultural Center, Center for Intercultural Studies, SLU Association for International Debate)
- **A Tale of Two Koreas** with Dr. Seung Kim, Director of Boeing Institute of International Business

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**Asian Studies Forum Presents**

**“A Tale of Two Koreas”**

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**Feb. 26, 2015**

**4:00pm**

**Center for Global Citizenship – Seminar Room**

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**Dr. Seung H. Kim**

**Director of the Boeing Institute of International Business**

Sponsors: Asian Studies Program, the Boeing Institute of International Business, and the Atlas Program

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**SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY**

**John Cook School of Business**

**Boeing Institute of International Business**
Water for the World: The Power of the Poor, Market Forces, and Sustainability -
Gary White, CEO/Cofounder of Water.org (Presented by the Center for
International Studies)
Charity in Jewish, Christian, Muslim Traditions Conference (Presented by the Center for Intercultural Studies)

Charity in Jewish, Christian, and Islamic Traditions

Center for Intercultural Studies Conference at Saint Louis University
St. Louis, MO
March 26-27, 2015

The conference will reflect on cultural commonalities and differences in the ideas and practices of charity in Judaism, Christianity, and Islam in the modern era. To what extent is there a common paradigm in the ways Jews, Christians, and Muslims have addressed the needs of the poor? How do the three religions differ in their understanding of poverty and wealth, and in their justifications for giving charity? How do their charitable institutions affect social cohesion and cross-cultural interactions?

For more information, please contact Mary Bokern at bokernmp@slu.edu or visit http://www.slu.edu/x55379.xml
• Service Dialogues - Empowering Women in Transition: Breaking the Cycles of Poverty and Imprisonment
• University Town Hall Meeting with SLU President Dr. Fred Pestello
• Taste of Thailand and Songkran Festival (Hosted by the Office of International Services)
• Atlas Week
• Working Together So Youth Can Work Symposium

Breakout Sessions:
• Measuring Outcomes
• How Employers Can Mentor & Work With Youth
• How to Build Relationships with Employers
• Transitioning Youth to Education
• Youth and Entrepreneurship
• Training Youth to be Financially Responsible
• How to Recruit Youth
• Finding Your Diamond in the Rough

Working Together So Youth Can Work

This symposium, created specifically for organizations that employ youth, will focus on the best practices used in the region and take a look at what it would take to apply a collective impact approach to youth employment.

Tuesday, April 28th, 2015
9 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
Saint Louis University
SLU Campus Center for Global Citizenship
3672 West Pine Mall

Keynote Speaker:
Alice Prince, St. Louis Agency on Training and Employment

Building a Collective Impact Among Youth Employment Organizations:

I-Hsing Sun, Cities for Financial Empowerment, NYC
Serena Muhammad, St. Louis Mental Health Board
Robbyn Wahby, City of St. Louis

Register online at:
https://www.bazaarboy.com/youthemployment
Uncovering the Art of Burial: Medieval Wall Paintings in Clare Island Abbey, Ireland (Presented by the Center for International Studies and the Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies)

Monday, May 4
1:30 – 2:30pm
Center for Global Citizenship
Seminar Room 124

Co-sponsored by the Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies

Dr. Karen Morton is a visiting Fleming Fellow in International Studies at Saint Louis University. Dr. Morton is from the National Museum of Ireland and is a renowned specialist in the conservation and preservation of wall paintings.