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Welcome back from Spring Break! We are officially in the home stretch of Spring Semester 2011. There are many events on campus so use the nice(r) weather as a reason to get out and about! (And don't forget to "spring forward" on March 13 at 2am!)

Check out these campus calendars for more events:

[ISP Calendar](#)

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Events: Week of 14 March

Tuesday, 15 March

Comfort Women, Virtually

Speaker: Professor Sheng-Mei Ma

[Asian Studies](#)

3:30-5pm, 303 International Center

Wednesday, 16 March

Global Water Challenges for Industrial and Domestic Uses

Speakers: Charles Petty, Chemical Engineering and Materials Science; Volodymyr Tarabara, Civil and Environmental Engineering; and Andre Benard, Mechanical Engineering

[CLACS](#)

3-4:30pm, 201 International Center

Thursday, 17 March

China in Africa: An Economic Analysis

Speaker: Lisa Cook, Economics & James Madison College

[African Studies](#)

12pm, 201 International Center

Friday, 18 March

From Locusts to Ladies Men: Masculinity, Magic Bullets and Fertility Fears in HIV/AIDS Botswana

Speaker: Rebecca Upton, Department of Anthropology, DePauw University

[CASID/GenCen Friday Forum](#)

12-1pm, 201 International Center

Censorship and St. Christopher in Early Modern Spain

brown bag lunch

[CERS](#)

12-1pm, 302 International Center

International Coffee Hour

A great place to make friends, be involved and start the weekend... and the coffee is free!

[OISS](#)

4-6pm, Spartan B and C International Center

Events: Week of 21 March

Tuesday, 22 March

Postwar Japanese War Remembrance: Artists and Gender

Speaker: Laura Hein, Department of History, Northwestern University

[Asian Studies](#)

3:30-5pm, 303 International Center

Wednesday, 23 March

A Journey through Argentina Cultural Agencies: An Interdisciplinary Reading, 1990-2010

Speaker: Zulema Moret, director, Latin American Studies Program, Grand Valley State University

[CLACS](#)

3-4:30pm, 201 International Center

Thursday, 24 March

African Initiatives in Constructing the Global Black Diaspora: The AU's Sixth Zone

Speaker: Rita "Kiki" Edozie, Faculty, James Madison College and Director, African & African-American Studies

[African Studies](#)

12pm, 201 International Center

Friday, 25 March

Building Capacity for Development: Lessons from Nepal

Speaker: Murari Suvedi, CARRS

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Announcements

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY EXTENDED

The deadline for applications for **Summer 2011** internship coordination through GenCen has been extended to **Wednesday, March 23**.

If you know a student who has an internship or community engagement requirement to fulfill for a major, doing so during the summer semester is a great opportunity. Also, it's not too early to apply for a Fall 2011 internship and get placed before summer!

The Center for Gender in Global Context (GenCen) internship program offers internship coordination services and support to MSU undergraduate and graduate students interested in gender issues related to social justice, human rights, community development, reproductive health, domestic violence, and/or environmental health and justice. The internship is designed to help students explore gender-related career fields while gaining valuable hands-on experience at local, national or international organizations.

Internship Details

- Work with the GenCen Internship Coordinator to find the right organization and to arrange for MSU credit
- Flexible schedules
- Fall and Spring internships are typically 10 hours per week
- Summer internships can be part-time or full-time
- Students can complete international GenCen internships along with some MSU study abroad programs
- Advanced undergraduate and graduate students are encouraged to apply
- Most internships are unpaid, however some offer work-study to eligible students. Students are encouraged to contact the GenCen internship coordinator to discuss upcoming scholarship opportunities.

For more information, including an application and lists of potential local, national, and international internship opportunities, please go to http://www.gencen.msu.edu/academics/u_internships.htm.

Students interested in international internships should contact the GenCen Internship Coordinator at gencenic@msu.edu as soon as possible to discuss programs and specific deadlines.

DIVERSITY AND GLOBAL CHANGE INTERNSHIP

Application Deadline: Monday, April 4

MSU's Center for Gender in Global Context is seeking two interns for its Gender, Development, and Globalization (GDG) Program for Fall Semester 2011.

This is a paid position requiring a commitment of 10-20 hours per week. Applicants must be enrolled at Michigan State University and should be **sophomores or juniors** by Fall Semester 2011. Excellent writing and research skills are required. Also necessary are computer knowledge, an ability to work independently, and a strong interest in issues of diversity and

women's issues on an international and global level. Web abilities are preferable but not required.

The internship involves working on GenCen's website, the *Gendered Perspectives on International Development Resource Bulletin*, and other projects. In addition, each intern is assigned a special project of his/her own, identified in collaboration with the Co-Directors. Depending on performance, the position may continue through Spring Semester 2012.

This is an excellent opportunity for students of International Relations, Public Policy, Political Science, Anthropology, Sociology, Geography, or anyone interested in development and globalization issues and their effects on women.

If interested, please mail or email a **letter of interest** describing your qualifications and how the position contributes to your career goals, as well as a **resume** and **brief writing sample**, **by April 4, 2011**, to:

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