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Events: Week of 4 October

Wednesday, 6 October

Community Engagement in the Peruvian Andes: An Overseas Study Service-Learning Experience

Speakers: Dennis Corsi, Arts and Letters; Kathryn Bonnen, Engineering; Chelsea Yondo, James Madison; Celina Wille, MSU Extension

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3pm, 201 International Center

Yellow journalism and Public TV service in Taiwan

[Asian Studies](#)

3-4:30pm, 303 International Center

Thursday, 7 October

Shamans, Nostalgias, and the IMF: South Korean Popular Religion in Motion

[Asian Studies](#)

4-5:30pm, 303 International Center

Friday, 8 October

The Land Question in Southern Africa: 2010

Speaker: Bill Derman, Department of Anthropology

[CASID/GenCen Friday Forum](#)

12-1pm, 201 International Center

International Coffee Hour

[OISS](#)

4-6pm, Spartan B and C International Center

Events: Week of 11 October

Wednesday, 13 October

The Implications of Open Educational Resources for Higher Education

Speakers: Carolina Rossini, Coordinator, Brazilian Open Educational Resources Project and Berkman Center for Internet and Society (Harvard University) Fellow; Christine Geith, Assistant Provost and Executive Director, MSUglobal Learning Solutions; Sunnie Kim, Creative Technologies Strategist, MSUglobal

Co-sponsors: Co-sponsors: MSU Virtual University Design and Technology (VuDAT), MSUglobal Learning Information and Communication Technology 4 Development (ICT4D) Initiative

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3pm, 201 International Center

Approaching the Subject: Faith, Violence and Visitors in Cambodia and Behind Walls

Speaker: Amy Thompson Avishai

[Asian Studies](#)

3-4:30pm, 303 International Center

Thursday, 14 October

Emerging Africa: How 17 Countries are Leading the Way

Speaker: Steven Radelet, Senior Advisor for Development (Office of the Secretary of State)

[African Studies](#)

12-1:30pm, Spartan B and C International Center

Friday, 15 October

[CASID/Gen-Cen Friday Forum](#)

12-1pm, 201 International Center

International Coffee Hour

[OISS](#)

4-6pm, Spartan B and C International Center

Announcements

4TH ANNUAL MSU AFRICANIST GRADUATE STUDENT CONFERENCE

The fourth annual Africanist graduate student research conference at Michigan State University to be held October 8-9, 2010, will focus on the theme, "Emerging Perspectives in African Studies." This theme is meant to inspire graduate students focusing on African Studies, and to explore new methodological, theoretical and topical directions amongst their peers and future colleagues. By doing so at MSU, one of the nation's first African Studies Centers, the organizers hope graduate students will

acknowledge their debt to those who have gone before them even as they work toward developing new perspectives in African studies.

The purpose of the conference is to provide an opportunity for graduate students to discuss their research, receive constructive feedback, network with other students and scholars, and sharpen presentation skills in a comfortable and relaxed environment. The conference is interdisciplinary and open to students at all levels of their graduate careers. More conference details are available at: <http://africa.msu.edu/gradconference>; e-mail: msuasgc@msu.edu or join the Graduate Student Facebook group: MSU Africanist Graduate Student Conference.

CALL FOR PAPERS

Gendered Perspectives on International Development (GPID) publishes scholarly work on global social, political, and economic change and its gendered effects in developing nations. GPID cross-cuts disciplines, bringing together research, critical analyses, and proposals for change. Our previous series, the WID Working Papers (1981-2008), was among the first scholarly publications dedicated to promoting research on the links between international development and women and gender issues. In this tradition, GPID recognizes diverse processes of international development and globalization, and new directions in scholarship on gender relations.

The goals of GPID are:

- 1) to promote research that contributes to gendered analysis of social change;
- 2) to highlight the effects of international development policy and globalization on gender roles and gender relations; and
- 3) to encourage new approaches to international development policy and programming.

GPID Working Papers are article-length manuscripts (9,000-word maximum) by scholars from a broad range of disciplines, disseminating materials at a late stage of formulation that contribute new understandings of women's and men's roles and gender relations amidst economic, social, and political change. Individual papers in the series address a range of topics, such as: gender, violence, and human rights; gender and agriculture; reproductive health and healthcare; gender and social movements; masculinities and development; and the gendered division of labor. We particularly encourage manuscripts that bridge the gap between research, policy, and practice.

Previously published WID and GPID Working Papers are freely available and can be viewed online at <http://www.gencen.msu.edu/publications.htm>.

If you are interested in submitting a manuscript to the GPID Working Papers series, please send a 150-word abstract summarizing the paper's essential points and findings to Dr. Anne Ferguson, Editor, or Anna Jefferson, Managing Editor, at

papers@msu.edu. If the abstract suggests your paper is suitable for the GPID Working Papers, the full paper will be invited for peer review and publication consideration. Please note that authors retain the copyright to their papers and are encouraged to publish their papers in other journals.

SYMPOSIUM

The Center for Higher and Adult Education at Michigan State University is pleased to announce the Global View symposium, "Promoting Global Learning in Undergraduate Education" on November 3, 2010. The intention of the symposium is to frame and examine diverse perspectives on global learning in undergraduate education. Recognizing the importance of preparing students for a complex, interrelated world, the presentations and discussions will acknowledge the diversity of perspectives concerning intercultural competencies and international, global, and multicultural learning. The symposium will complement and contribute to the ongoing work at Michigan State University dedicated to enhancing global competency as well as such efforts at many other higher education institutions. The symposium will be of interest to a wide audience: institutional leaders including provosts, deans, and department chairs; faculty members; faculty developers; and graduate students studying issues in higher education or planning for faculty careers in a range of fields.

Global View: Promoting Global Learning in Undergraduate Education

Date: November 3, 2010, 9:30am - 4pm

Location: The Henry Center for Executive Development, Michigan State University

Cost is \$35 for administrative leaders and faculty members (\$20 for graduate students) and includes parking, attendance at all events, meals and closing reception. Visit <http://gihe.msu.edu/globalview/index.html> for more information and to register online.