Please join The John L. Warfield Center for African and African American Studies in celebrating the 2016 Faculty Tenure and Promotions. [bit.ly/tenurepromotions]


**Department News**

**African and African Diaspora Studies.** Dr. Tinsley (Public Voices Fellow, Associate Professor) & Natassja Omidina Gunasena (Doctoral Candidate) had an essay featured in TIME Magazine. They also jointly teach the popular course "Beyonce Feminism/Rihanna Womanism." [bit.ly/tinsleytime]

**American Studies.** Congratulations to Dr. McInnis for her recent appointment as Provost as well as being named Jacob and Frances Sanger Mossiker Chair in the Humanities #1. [bit.ly/mcinnisprovost]

**Anthropology.** Congratulations to Graduate Student Giovanni Batz, who was awarded a Voiceless Speak Fund from the Guatemala Human Rights Commission/USA (GHRC). The purpose of the award is to fund Guatemalans who are raising awareness in the United States of human rights violations in Guatemala. [bit.ly/giovannighrc] • Dr. Ali of the South Asia Institute has a new book out called "Centre Stage: Gender, Politics and Performance in South Asia." [bit.ly/stagecentre]

**Asian Studies.** Hindi Urdu Flagship Student Dharu Lad Receives Letter from President Obama for Internship in India at Gharonda. [bit.ly/potusletter]

**Classics.** Graduate students Elizabeth Adams and TJ Bolt recently had a piece published in online classics journal Eidolon on Greek tragedy and the Scream trilogy. [bit.ly/eidolonscream] • Congratulations to Dr. Haimson-Lushkov, who specializes in Roman history and Latin literature, on the recent tenure promotion. [bit.ly/ayelethaimsonlushkov]

**Economics.** The 2014 Denis Sargan Econometrics Prize has been awarded to Dr. Xu for his paper “Estimation of Discrete Games with Correlated Types.” A formal presentation will be made at the 2016 Royal Economic Society Annual Conference at the University of Sussex at Brighton. [bit.ly/haqingxu]

**English.** Visit the Bullock Texas State History Museum's special exhibit, “Life and Death on the Border 1910-1920," on view until April 3rd. Professor Gonzalez was a team member of the Refusing to Forget Project, from which this exhibit grew. [bit.ly/borderlife] • Dr. Shingavi translated Bhisham Sahni's autobiography Aaj ke Ateet (Today’s Past), allowing English-speakers access to the memoir for the first time. [bit.ly/shingavi]

**History.** New book by Dr. Talbot "The Last Hindu Emperor," who was also recently awarded a fellowship at the National Humanities Center. [bit.ly/talbotfellow]

**Linguistics.** Graduate student Grace Neveu has been awarded an NSF Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant to support her research documenting the sign systems used by both deaf

Religious Studies. Dr. Crosson: Agent of Change. In this interview with the DDCE, Crosson discusses his research in the Caribbean and his experiences with the UT faculty and students. http://bit.ly/crossonddce

Slavic and Eurasian Studies. CREEES received it's first graduate student endowment. bit.ly/endowcrees

Sociology. Leading scholars analyze patrimonial politics in empires in regions throughout the world in "Patrimonial Capitalism and Empire," a new book co-edited by Dr. Charrad. bit.ly/patrimonycapitalism

Spanish and Portuguese. Congratulations to Professor Sandro Sessarego for winning the prestigious Marie Sosdowska Curie-Junior FCFP fellowship. bit.ly/sessarego

Center News


Australian & New Zealand Studies. Dr. Cawthon Receives Clark Center Funding. bit.ly/cawthonfunded

European Studies. The video of EU ambassador David O'Sullivan's recent on campus talk is now available online. bit.ly/euambassador


Linguistics Research. New Linguistics Research Center affiliated scholars include Dr. Law, Dr. Bullock, and Dr. Toribio. bit.ly/linguisticscenter • German Abroad 2, a conference dedicated to highlighting issues of sociolinguistics, language contact, and multilingualism among German-speaking minorities worldwide, will take place at The University of Texas at Austin November 2-4, 2016. bit.ly/germanabroad

Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies. Newsletter. bit.ly/creesut

Institute News


Latin American Studies and Collections. LLILAS Welcomes Spring 2016 Tinker Visiting Professors. bit.ly/tinkerfaculty • First-year student Patricia Zavala has been chosen to attend the Duke Summer Program on Global Policy and Governance in Geneva, Switzerland, where she will focus on economic and energy policies in the context of climate justice. bit.ly/genevasummer

Initiative News

Native American & Indigenous Studies. The College of Liberal Arts now Offers Nahua class. bit.ly/nahuatcl

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MARCH 2016 EVENTS

3/1 Tuesday 5pm. PERFORMANCE. Henry V (American Shakespeare Center) Host: Shakespeare at Winedale. Hogg Memorial Auditorium bit.ly/henrythe5th


3/2 Wednesday 4pm. PRESENTATION. The Giant Magellan Telescope in Chile with Dr. Armandroff (UT Austin) Host: Latin American Studies. SRH 1 bit.ly/magellanscpe

3/3 Thursday 7pm. FILM. Whose Is This Song? Host: Humanities. APL Terrazas Branch Library bit.ly/whoisthisssong


3/4-3/6 Friday 9am. WORKSHOP. 2016 UT Germanic Studies Workshop Host: Germanic Studies . AT&T Executive Education & Conference Center bit.ly/germanicstudies


3/4 Friday 2pm. COLLOQUIUM. From concubines to daughters: The adoption of female slaves in early modern Istanbul with Hadi Hosainy (UT Austin) Host: Islamic Studies. CAL 516 bit.ly/concubinedaughter

3/4 Friday 3:30pm. SEMINAR. Economic Theory Seminar Series with Dr. Rady (Universität Bonn) Host: Economics. BRB 2.136 bit.ly/economicsbonn


3/4 Friday 6:30pm. FILM. Silences of the Palace Host: Middle Eastern Studies. MEZ 1.306 bit.ly/silentpalace


3/5 Saturday 11am. PERFORMANCE. Explore UT: Songs & Tales from Around the World Host: Texas Language Center. MEZ 2.124 bit.ly/exploreutLTC

3/7 Monday 12pm. SEMINAR. Anthropology Seminar Series with Dr. Choy (UC Davis) Host: Anthropology. SAC 5.118 bit.ly/timchoy

3/7 Monday 12pm. TALK. The Last Hindu Emperor: Prithviraj Chauhan & the Indian Past 1200-2000 with Dr. Talbot (UT Austin) Host: South Asia. WCH 4.118 bit.ly/prithvirajchauhan


3/7 Monday 3pm. TALK. Re-staging the Grand Tour: Routes of Contemporary African Diaspora Art with Dr. Finley (Cornell University) Host: History, Historical Studies. GWB 2.206 bit.ly/cherylfinley

3/7 Monday 3pm. INFO SESSION. Rome Study Abroad Info Session Host: French & Italian. HRH 2.118 Lounge bit.ly/romestudyabroad

3/8 Tuesday 12:30pm. BOOK CLUB. Modern Islam Host: Religious Studies. CAL 515 bit.ly/modernislambook


3/9 Wednesday 4pm. TALK. Ms. Conceived Shakespeare with LaQuetta Carpenter (UT Austin) Host: Women's & Gender Studies. CLA 1.302B bit.ly/msconceivedshakespeare

3/10 Thursday 12pm. TALK. Dr. Nadia Marzouki (European University Institute) Host: History. POB 2.302 bit.ly/offendingliberties
3/10 Thursday 3:30pm. LECTURE. Illicit Worlds of Indian Dance with Dr. Anna Morcom (Royal Holloway University of London) Host: South Asia. WCH 4.118 bit.ly/illicitwords

3/10 Thursday 5pm. TALK. Thracian, Greek, or Roman? Ethnicity & Religion in the Roman Colony of Philippi (Macedonia) with Dr. Cedric Brelaz (University of Strasbourg) Host: Religious Studies. MEZ 2.124 bit.ly/philippiethnicityreligion

3/10 Thursday 12pm. TALK. Dr. Nadia Marzouki (European University Institute) Host: Historical Studies. AVAYA Auditorium bit.ly/nadiamarzouki

3/11 Friday 3:30pm. COLLOQUIUM. Colloquium Speaker Series with Dr. Cora Diamond (University of Virginia) Host: Philosophy. WAG 316 bit.ly/coradiamond


3/20 Sunday 2:30pm. FILM. Solaris Host: Slavic & Eurasian Studies. Austin Public Library bit.ly/1RtODdN

3/21 Monday 12pm. TALK. "Festivalization": A Conversation with Dr. Wynn (University of Massachusetts Amherst) Host: Sociology. CLA 3.214F bit.ly/1n2dLNX

3/21 Monday 3pm. WORKSHOP. "Policing the Family: Children & Authority in Eighteenth-Century France" by Dr. Gossard (UT Austin) Host: History, Historical Studies. GAR 4.100 bit.ly/1QLxnE1

3/22 Tuesday 12:30pm. BOOK CLUB. Modern Islam Host: Religious Studies. CAL 515 bit.ly/1VJdnQq

3/23 Wednesday 12pm. BOOK TALK. Migration in an Era of Restriction & Recession by David L. Leal & Néstor P. Rodríguez Host: Latin American Studies. SRH Unit 1 bit.ly/1Q90n4Z

3/23 Wednesday 3pm. FILM. Buttoners Host: Slavic & Eurasian Studies. SRH 1 bit.ly/1WOMOtf


3/23 Wednesday 4pm. TALK. “Will the Real Lesbian Please Stand Up?”: Married Women and the Lesbian Feminist Revolution with Dr. Guttermann Host: Women’s & Gender Studies. CLA 1.302E bit.ly/1WOMScA

3/24 Thursday 3:30pm. LECTURE. Between Textuality & Orality in Marathi Jewish Women's Song with Dr. Schultz Host: South Asia. WCH 4.118 bit.ly/1Q1TRWp

3/24 Thursday 6:30pm. FILM. Facing Mirrors Host: Middle Eastern Studies. BEL 328 bit.ly/1QLxZJG

3/24 Thursday 8:30pm. ROUNDTABLE. 1976: Argentina’s Last Military Coup d’état Host: History, Argentine Studies Program, Latin American Studies, Historical Studies. GAR 4.100 bit.ly/1S719Ca

3/24 Thursday 7:30pm. TALK. American Jews & the Future of Israel with Jeffrey Goldberg Host: Jewish Studies. ACES 2.302 bit.ly/1S71dlg

3/25 Friday 12pm. BROWN BAG. Megafloods on Earth, Mars, and Beyond with Dr. Baker Host: Geography & the Environment. CLA 1.302C bit.ly/marsmegaflood

3/25 Friday 12pm. SYMPOSIUM. Handmaidens of the Lord: Gender Roles in the U.S. Catholic Charismatic Renewal with Dr. Jackson Host: History. GAR 1.102 bit.ly/1OBmnkS


3/25 Friday 12pm. TALK. Population Research Center Brown Bag with Dr. Schudde (UT Austin) Host: Sociology. CLA 1.302E bit.ly/1oNIx02

3/25 Friday 12pm. LUNCHEON. Asian American Studies Majors Luncheon Host: Asian
3/25 Friday 2pm. COLLOQUIUM. Modern International Humanitarian Law & Islamic Law of Armed Conflict with Sophia Golvach Host: Religious Studies. CAL Reading Room bit.ly/1Tcq9tb

3/25 Friday 3pm. SEMINAR. East Asia Political Economy Series with Dr. Weathers (Osaka City University) Host: Asian Studies. WCH 4.118 bit.ly/1QGaNzT

3/25 Friday 3:30pm. SEMINAR. A Theory of Intergenerational Altruism with Dr. Galperti Host: Economics. BRB 1.118 bit.ly/intergenerationalaltruism

3/28 Monday 12pm. WORKSHOP. Toward a Global History of Trauma with Dr. Micale (University of Illinois) Host: History. GAR 4.100 bit.ly/1pdqLly

3/28 Monday 12pm. TALK. Center For Perceptual Systems Talk with Dr. Katz (UT Austin) Host: Perceptual Systems. SEA 4.244 bit.ly/1VJdyvC

3/29 Tuesday 3pm. TALK. Vernacular Literature: A Formal Reading by Dr. Ahmad (St. John’s University) Host: South Asia. CLA 1.302B bit.ly/1OBmEEm

3/29 Tuesday 4pm. LECTURE. Littlefield Lecture with Dr. Williams (University of Pennsylvania) Host: History. CLA 1.302E bit.ly/1TcqkVe

3/29 Tuesday 5pm. BOOK CLUB. "On the Radical Origination of Things" by Gottfried Leibniz Host: Study of Core Texts & Ideas. WAG 403B bit.ly/1Q90XQg

3/31 Thursday 3pm. TALK. Enlightenment & Political Fiction: The Everyday Intellectual with Dr. Miller (Wesleyan University) Host: History. GAR 4.100 bit.ly/1VJdD1K

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