Event Highlights

A list of Duke and local events relevant to visiting scholars. *Free and open to Duke community or to the public. **No registration is required unless noted otherwise. ***Some events are kids and family friendly.

Week of April 21, 2014

On-Campus Events

Talks and Special Events

Visions for Successful K-12 Education in North Carolina: A discussion with Governor Pat McCrory’s Senior Advisor on Education Eric Guckian and N.C. Representative Graig Meyer
Mon, 4/21, 2:45-4pm
Sanford 223, Rhodes Conference Room, West Campus

Energy Security in the Era of Climate Change
Daniel Poneman, Deputy Secretary of Energy
Mon, 4/21, 5:6-30pm
Sanford Fleishman Commons, West Campus

Providing Lower-Cost Power from Fossil Fuels while Eliminating Atmospheric CO2 Emissions
Bill Brown, CEO of Net Power and Co-Founder of 8 Rivers Capital
Mon, 4/21, 5:15-7pm
Fitzpatrick Center Schiciano Auditorium Side B, West Campus

The Referendum on Scottish Independence
Prof. Christopher Carman, head of the School of Social and Political Sciences at the University of Glasgow
Mon, 4/21, 6-7pm
Sanford 223, Rhodes Conference Room, West Campus

Bass Connections Showcase at Visible Thinking
Mon, 4/22, 11:30-2pm
French Family Science Center Atrium, West Campus

Meet Human Rights Faculty
Mon, 4/22, 4-5pm
Duke Chapel Quad, West Campus

The Crisis of Equality in the Age of Social Media
Teju Cole, writer, art historian, photographer
Thu, 4/24, 7:30-9:30pm
Fitzpatrick Center Schiciano Auditorium

English and American Culture

Monday Motivation: Jeopardy - TV Shows
Mon, 4/21, 11am-1pm
Multicultural Center, lower level of Bryan Center

English Conversation Club

Arabic Night at Duke
Mon, 4/21, 7-8pm
White 107 (White Lecture Hall), East Campus

Home Movie Day/Annual Celebration of Amateur Films and Filmmaking
This Sat, 1-4pm
Duke Center for documentary Studies
1317 W. Pettigrew St, Durham

Duke Chorale
Fri, 4/25, 8pm
Biddle Music Building, fountain Area, East Campus

Duke University String School Ensembles and Orchestra
Sat, 4/26, 3pm & 7pm
Baldwin Auditorium, East Campus

Duke University String School Chamber Music Concert
Sun, 4/27, 4pm
Nelson Music Room, East Duke Building, East Campus

Family Day
Sun, 4/27, 12pm
Nasher Museum of Art, Duke
2001 Campus Drive, Durham, 27705
Talks and Special Events

On 60 Years of Being a Scientist
Nobel laureate Dr. Oliver Smithies
Tue, 4/22, 5-7pm
Governance Chamber (room 4140), Talley Student Center, NCSU, 2610 Cates Avenue, Raleigh, NC 27695

Fair Housing & Sustainability Conference
Stella Adams of SJ Adams Consulting as a keynote speaker and panels
Thu, 4/24, 8:30-12:30pm
The Cotton Room at Golden Belt, 807 E Main St, Durham
Pre-registration is required at jewettew@legalaidnc.org

Ten Secrets to Getting Published
Thu, 4/24, 7pm
South Regional Branch Library
4505 S Alston Ave, Durham

Chancellor's Faculty Excellence Program Symposium: A Celebration of Excellence
Fri, 4/25, 1-6pm
Hunt Library, NCSU
1070 Partners Way, Raleigh, NC 27606
Space is limited, so please RSVP by April 23 at http://ncsu.qualtrics.com//SE/?SID=SV_6hZABLcnuiwTsjz

Holidays and Festivals

26th Annual Dogwood Festival
Sat, 4/26, 10am-10pm
Downtown Mebane, NC
Live music, entertainment, vendor and more.

Songbird Celebration
Sat, 4/26, 11am-3pm
Blue Jay Point County Park
3200 Pleasant Union Church Rd, Raleigh, NC
Enjoy a variety of bird-related activities.

Spring Daze Arts & Crafts Festival
Sat, 4/26, 9am-5pm
Bond Park, 801 High House Rd, Cary, NC
Take the family to enjoy local artists, entertainment, games, and more.

Local Tour

Piper-Cox Open House
This Sat., 4/19, 2-4pm
Eno River State Park
6101 Cole Mill Rd, Durham, NC 27705
After arrive, go into the park, and take 2nd right turn. Join volunteers for a tour of this historic house and learn about pioneer life in the early 1800’s.

Classic Carolina Tour (Guided Tour)
Mon, 4/21, Thu, 4/24, 3-4pm; Wed, 4/23, 1-2pm
UNC Visitors' Center, inside the Morehead Planetarium
250 East Franklin Street, Chapel Hill

Reception and Gallery Tour: Imagining the U.S. Civil War
Thu, 4/24, 5-6:30pm
Melba Remig Saltarelli Exhibit Room, Wilson Library, Louis Round, UNC, Chapel Hill, 27599

Priceless Gem Tour: Springtime in Coker Arboretum
Fri, 4/25, 3-4pm
UNC Visitors' Center, inside the Morehead Planetarium
250 East Franklin Street, Chapel Hill

Durham Architecture & the Urban Landscape Walking Tour
Sat, 4/26, 10am
Farmer’s Market, 501 Foster St., Durham
Volunteers lead a 45 minute tour through downtown highlighting the many architectural styles popular in the 20th century. Bring bottled water.

Arts

The opening reception for Parts of the Sum: MFA 2014
Thu, 4/24, 6-8pm
Ackland Art Museum, 101 S Columbia Street, Chapel Hill

Electroacoustic Music Recital
Tue, 4/22, 7:30-9pm
Person Hall, UNC, Chapel Hill, NC, 27599

Storytime in the Gallery
Thu, 4/24, 10-10:30am
NC Museum of History
5 East Edenton Street, Raleigh, NC 27601
Ages 3 and up (with adult)

UNC Baroque Ensemble
Fri, 4/25, 8-10pm
Person Hall, UNC, Chapel Hill, NC, 27599

Family Day: “Exploring Sculpture”
Sun, 4/27, 2-5pm
Ackland Art Museum
101 S Columbia Street, Chapel Hill
Recommended for children ages 4 to 12 years old.

Brickyard Brass Quintet
Sun, 4/27, at 4pm
Hunt Library - Auditorium, NCSU
1070 Partners Way, Raleigh, NC 27606

Community Contribution

Paper shredding & E-Scrap Recycling Event
Sat, 4/26, 8am-2pm
Durham County Stadium, 750 Stadium Dr, Durham
Nearly all electronic devices with a cord will be accepted (TVs and microwaves are ok, but no larger appliances or appliances with freon).

Church World Service Immigration and Refugee Program provides housing for more than 250 refugees each year. Each refugee’s apartment needs beds, dishes, tables, chairs, couches, lamps, towels, blankets, sheets, trash cans, shower curtains, etc. If you have small items (IN GOOD CONDITION), bring them to 112 S. Duke Street, Suite 4B, Durham NC 27701. To donate furniture, call 919-680-4310 to schedule a time to pick up. Email: kcohen@cwsglobal.org

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