ACADEMIC INFORMATION

1. Fall 2015 classes begin on Monday, August 24, 2015.

2. Be sure to generate a NEW DEGREE AUDIT in ISIS/Student Records in order to see your spring/summer 2015 completed courses reflected, and to see how your fall 2015 enrollment will be used toward your degree requirements. Questions? Email karmen-berger@uiowa.edu

3. Karmen will be away from campus July 25 – August 9, 2015. If you need assistance during that time please contact the International Studies Program at 319-384-1328, 21 Schaeffer Hall.

NEW ONLINE APPOINTMENT SCHEDULER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES MAJORS

Please note that the online appointment scheduler is now located in ISIS: Log into ISIS; Student Records; Advising; My Appointments; Schedule Appointment; Choose "My Advisor" from drop down

- Declared IS majors can use this online scheduler to make an IS academic advising appointment, or to find out when Karmen's Walk-in Advising times are: https://isis.uiowa.edu/isis2/records/advising/appointments.page

- All students are also invited to call or stop by the International Studies Program (319-384-1328, 21 Schaeffer Hall) for assistance with appointments or other questions.

CHECK OUT THESE NEW FALL 2015 COURSES WHICH ARE APPROVED FOR THE ISBA AND IS MINOR

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GREAT FALL OPPORTUNITY!

Global@Iowa (CSI:3110)

Interested in learning about different cultures and building cross-cultural relationships? Looking for a 1 semester hour course in the fall? Please consider enrolling in Global@Iowa!

In the fall, the class will be focusing on building-cross cultural relationships. While course content will cover a variety of topics like defining culture, cultural self-awareness, building cross-cultural relationships, understanding diversity, etc., the students will also learn from others in the class who have a different background from their own.

Interested students will need to submit an application. Fill out the online application today!

Please contact Lin at Shuhui-lin@uiowa.edu if you have any questions.

Fall 2015 Course:

Francophone Cinema (FREN:4015:0001)

The course is taught in English and open to undergraduate and graduate students.

Approved for the following IS Tracks: African Studies; Caribbean Studies: Global Artistic Tradition and Change; Postcolonial and Diasporic Studies

This course explores the specificities of fascinating and diverse Francophone cinemas by filmmakers from the French Caribbean, the Indian Ocean, and North and Sub-Saharan Africa. Some of the issues examined include: oral traditions, slavery, colonialism, postcolonial mentalities, women’s agency, gender and race entanglements, migrations to Europe, popular cultures, the genocide of the Tutsis in Rwanda, globalized capitalism, and cultural identities and representation. No textbook is required for this course.
Fall 2015 Courses:
The Career Leadership Academy (CLA)

The Career Leadership Academy (CLA) is a Leadership Studies academic course series sponsored by the Pomerantz Career Center.

The Career Leadership Academy is an academic program worth 6 semester hours of elective credit that allows students to develop leadership skills, while also developing their professionalism. Beginning this fall CLA will be condensed into 2 – 3 credit courses that any undergraduate major can take. The two courses still consist of highly interactive sessions covering team work, problem-solving skills, resume writing, interviewing, etiquette, job searching strategies, personal branding and much more. Students who complete CLA get a chance to develop skills and incorporate those into their major field of interest so they can be successful at Iowa and beyond.

Please consider adding any one of the following Career Leadership Academy courses (LS:2002) next semester OR over the summer.

For more information go to: http://www.careers.uiowa.edu/leadershipacademy/
ICFRC Summer Lecture Luncheon

"2015-2016 Fulbright Scholars Discuss Their Plans"
Quinn Hejlik, Julia Julstrom-Agoyo, Daniel Goering; Fulbright Recipients
Tuesday, July 21, 2015, 12:00-1:15 pm
Congregational Church – 30 N. Clinton St., Iowa City, IA 52245
Register here, or contact (319) 335-0351 or ICFRC@uiowa.edu
Honors students eat free! (Catered by Oasis)

The Fulbright award is one of the most prestigious academic award in the world. Established to increase global perspective between the US and other countries via exchange of students, through an exclusive application process those awarded represent the best international scholars. This year the University of Iowa had record-setting thirteen Fulbright Recipients, three of these recipients will discuss their exciting research and future plans.

Quinn Hejlik graduated with a B.A. in History and International Studies in May. With his Fulbright U.S. award, Hejlik will work as an English Teaching Assistant in Russia, where he hopes to develop a deeper understanding of Russian culture and language while extending the same understanding of English language and American culture to his Russian students.

Daniel Goering is a Ph.D. candidate in organizational behavior and human resources in the UI Tippie College of Business. Goering will study work-life balance issues and investigate methods to increase resilience to work-family stress with experts at the University of Tokyo in Tokyo, Japan.

Julia Julstrom-Agoyo graduated with a B.A. in International studies with a focus in human rights, a certificate in sustainability, and minors in Political Science and Spanish in May. Julstrom-Agoyo will use her Fulbright U.S. award for an English Teaching Assistantship in Malaysia to create a dialogue about the cultures and values of Malaysian and American people in terms of the arts, environment, and values to build friendships.
Iowa International Center: Summer Lecture

Home in Des Moines for the summer? Attend this free lecture:

40 Years of Resettlement: The Vietnamese American Community in Iowa
David Skidmore, Professor of Political Science at Drake University

Tuesday, August 4 - Noon to 1 p.m.
Central Library, 1000 Grand Avenue
Downtown Des Moines

Vinh Nguyen is the English Language Learner (ELL) Program Coordinator for the Des Moines Public Schools, who helps to provide resources for young refugees and immigrants dealing with the language barriers and cultural struggles he once experienced. Vinh will be joined by a Vietnamese marine veteran and a young Vietnamese entrepreneur for this Dialogue program, and the group will share issues affecting the different waves of Vietnamese migration, and the impact in the community over the last 40 years - a timely subject given the fact that 2015 marks the 40th year since the Fall of Saigon.

The event is free to attend and open to the general public. No RSVP is required. Guests are welcome to bring lunch and eat during the program.

Click here for more program information.
Film screening: Explore the Importance of Seeds at ICPL

7:00 PM
Wednesday, July 22
Iowa City Public Library, Room A

The Iowa City Public Library will explore the shift of seeds from a local resource to a corporately-owned property with a screening of Open Sesame: The Story of Seeds on Wednesday, July 22.

This 2015 environmental documentary by M. Sean Kaminsky looks at the challenges facing one of the world’s most precious resources: seeds. In the past, seeds were saved season-to-season and shared gardener-to-gardener. Today, more than half of the seed stock is controlled by three major corporations. Open Sesame details the history of seeds and presents the challenges organic and small growers, seed savers and seed freedom advocates face today.

The film will be shown in Room A at 7 p.m. Popcorn will be provided.

Our exploration and understanding of seeds continues on Wednesday, July 29, with a presentation by Seed Savers Exchange from Decorah.

Seed Savers Exchange is a non-profit organization dedicated to promoting the preservation and utilization of heirloom varieties since 1975, working with farmers and gardeners to ensure that these unique varieties are not lost forever.

This event begins at 7 p.m. in Meeting Room A. It is co-sponsored by New Pioneer Food Co-op and will be broadcast LIVE on The Library Channel, Iowa City cable channel 20.

Both events are part of the 2015 Adult Summer Reading Program.

For more information, contact the Library at (319) 356-5200.
Come hear the inspirational story of native Iowan, Tara Fall, from Monticello, Iowa. Tara Fall is the author of the book *Brainstorming: Functional Lessons From a Dysfunctional Brain*. Her story has been shared on NBC’s “Today Show”, on “The Jeff Probst Show”, and at The University of Iowa.

**At the Iowa City Pedestrian Mall at 1:30 pm and a conversation with Tara Fall at the ICPL In Room A 2:00 pm-3:00 pm.**

**ADA Celebration Featured Speaker:**

**Tara Fall**

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*ADA Celebration 25 Years of Americans with Disabilities Act 1990-2015*

**Sat. July 25, 2015**
**11 am – 2 pm**
**Iowa City Ped Mall**

**Celebrating 25 Years of Removing Barriers & Empowering People**
Taiji Level I Workshop: The Confucius Institute will offer a Taiji Level I Workshop on Tuesday, July 28th from 5:30-8:30PM. The workshop will be held in room 1117 University Capitol Centre in the Old Capitol Mall, 201 South Clinton Street in downtown Iowa City.

More details HERE.

Legion Arts: Upcoming Events

The Concert for Nepal

Saturday August 1, 2015
CSPS Hall • 1103 Third St SE, Cedar Rapids, IA

Legion Arts has joined with local artists and the Purna Pam Tara Trust to raise awareness of and funding for the earthquakes that struck Nepal this past April. The Concert for Nepal will feature singer-songwriter Pieta Brown; performance artist Jeffery Byrd; actor-singer Lincoln Ginsberg; composer Robert Lindsey-Nassif; musician Tony Nickle; poet Akwi Nji; artist Dilip Reshmi; and others.

A post-concert reception will feature Nepali food and drinks.

Proceeds will directly benefit orphans and families in remote villages of Nepal, which are still struggling after the devastating quake of April 25. Buy tickets here.

View other upcoming events here.

Opera Studies Forum:

Met Live in HD Summer Encores, UI Opera The Gondoliers, & Senior College Course

MET LIVE IN HD

The MET Live in HD Summer Encore Series is coming to Sycamore Theatres. The cinecasts are being shown at 7:00 pm on Wednesday evenings during July, and the ticket price is only $12.50.

July 22nd, The Merry Widow (7:00 – 9:35)
July 29th, Aida (7:00 – 9:55)

SENIOR COLLEGE COURSE

The Opera Studies Forum will be offering a Senior College Course in fall 2015 titled "The Art of Opera." The course is scheduled to meet Mondays, October 5-26, 10am-12pm. Information will be posted on the Senior College web site: http://www.iowalum.com/srcollege/ in July. In the meantime, here's a preview.

This course attends to various issues associated with the study and performance of opera today and in the past. Beginning with a general matters related to updated stagings, the effects of modern technology, opera in translation, and defining the authentic version of an opera, the class will move on to considering three specific topics: how to understand less familiar repertory of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, including operas by Handel and Vivaldi; how drama is reflected in the music of enduring works by Mozart and Verdi, and challenges faced by opera singers, such as Maria Callas, Renee Fleming, Enrico Caruso, and Juan Diego Florez.
International Student Welcome

Sunday, August 16th
From: 5:30-8pm
Where: Pentacrest

Join international and domestic students for a night of games and ice cream, served by your favorite staff members.

Volunteers will be available to walk over with new students.

Individuals with disabilities are encouraged to attend all University of Iowa sponsored events. If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to participate in this program, please contact Emily Starr in advance at uiowaarhed@gmail.com.
MYEP: Job Opportunities

"MYEP is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing advocacy and person-centered services which facilitate personal growth and community inclusion to people with disabilities."

Mayor's Youth Empowerment Program (MYEP) in Iowa City is currently hiring for multiple positions--both part-time and full-time!

MYEP's Residential Program is hiring part time as well as full-time employees. Their Day Program is looking to hire summer only and permanent direct care staff.

Visit the website below to learn more and apply!

http://www.myep.us/employment.html

Intern with Legion Arts!

Legion Arts is an award-winning, Cedar Rapids nonprofit dedicated to the creation, presentation, understanding and impact of contemporary art.

Based at CSPS, a restored landmark building on the edge of downtown Cedar Rapids, Legion Arts presents cutting edge art, music theatre, film and other events at a variety of venues; supports young artists, experimental art forms and new idea.

Intern with us!

Are you a student looking for real world experience? A worker contemplating a career change? An individual just entering, or re-entering, the work force? Consider interning at Legion Arts. One of the most highly regarded arts organizations in the Midwest, Legion Arts can offer you practical, hands-on engagement in arts production; marketing and communication; or arts administration. Internships are flexible in terms of scheduling. They're generally unpaid, but academic credit may be arranged when appropriate.

Interested? Talk to any Legion Arts staff member or write info@legionarts.org.
WFAN Conference: Nov. 6-7

Registration now open!

WFAN is pleased to host our 2015 annual conference in partnership with the Quad Cities Food Hub! The conference will be Friday and Saturday, November 6 and 7, at the Radisson Quad City Plaza in Davenport, Iowa, and our theme is: Women Protecting Pollinators, Protecting Food.

Click here to learn more about the conference and to register.

The Quad Cities Food Hub is a bi-state initiative (staffed almost entirely by women) that connects farmers and consumers in Iowa and Illinois, in an effort to augment regional local food production and consumption. It's part of a network of Regional Food System Working Groups in the state of Iowa.

Two outstanding projects are their Shared Use Community Kitchen, and Local Market Store, both located in the QCFH headquarters at the historic Freight House building on the banks of the Mississippi River. The Freight House also contains a farmers' market, a farm-to-table deli and a craft brewery and pub -- all within walking distance of the Radisson. Our urban ag field tour on Friday will make a stop at the Food Hub, and our popular Friday evening farm-to-table tasting event will take place in the community kitchen.

See the draft agenda and learn more about lodging, field tours and intensives, and our keynote speaker at the conference page on our website.

Intern at the Iowa International Center!

Iowa International Center student interns have the opportunity to work with the oldest international non-profit organization in Des Moines and build real-world skills in a fun, fast-paced work environment. We welcome applications from university-level students in all majors, and for those still enrolled in an undergraduate program, college credit may be available.

Placements include:
International Visitors Program
Marketing/Communications
International Language Program
Administration

Internship may qualify as an academic internship credit or experience. Preferred start date is August 24, 2015.

Interested applicants may apply via HireAHawk Job ID#53605 or visit the website to download the application.
The U.S. Department of State’s Virtual Student Foreign Service (VSFS) eInternship program is bigger and better than ever! Last year, 610 students were selected as eInterns. In addition to contributing to important projects and work, eInterns are connected to each other through an online community and mentored by supervisors.

VSFS is a way for the American public and government employees to collaborate on projects of global importance. Selected applicants will volunteer up to 10 hours per week contributing to projects for an office or section from September 2015 through May 2016. As eInterns, they will play an important role in advancing the federal government’s reach in diplomacy, development, space, journalism, trade, environment, health, agriculture, technology, and housing initiatives. Together, we can create a more effective, efficient, and smarter government that takes advantage of an engaged and participatory citizenry.

The more than 330 projects available this year can be found here. Students can apply between July 2 – 22 on USAJobs to their top three projects from among those submitted by the following agencies:

• National Aeronautics and Space Administration
• National Institute of Standards and Technology
• National Institutes of Health
• National Weather Service
• Peace Corps
• The Smithsonian Institution
• U.S. Agency for International Development
• U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
• U.S. Department of Agriculture
• U.S. Department of Commerce
• U.S. Department of Education
• U.S. Department of Homeland Security
• U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
• U.S. Department of State
• U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Applicants must be U.S. citizens enrolled in university level courses in the U.S. or abroad.

Last year, we had students in programs ranging from undergraduate to PhD levels, both full and part-time, taking courses in person or online. A resume, transcript, and statement of interest are required as part of the application process. Interviews may be conducted in August. eInternships are unpaid and do not require a security clearance or travel.
The University of California at Santa Barbara offers a two-year Master of Arts in Global Studies. This cutting-edge, interdisciplinary program was launched in 2006 and has been highly successful in training students to think critically about the challenges of the 21st century. Generous fellowship packages are available on a competitive basis.

The curriculum includes three areas of specialization:

1) global political economy, sustainable development, environment
2) global culture, ideology, and religion
3) global governance, human rights, and civil society

The MA degree is intended to provide an understanding of the political, social, cultural and economic forces that are shaping global societies, institutions and organizations.

WHY DO A MASTERS IN GLOBAL STUDIES?

Students pursue the MA degree as preparation for working in private and public sectors as well as academia. Many graduates go on to PhD programs, law schools, careers in non-governmental organizations (NGOs), business and government.

In addition to the MA degree, UCSB also offers a PhD in Global Studies. [http://www.global.ucsb.edu/phd](http://www.global.ucsb.edu/phd)
PhD IN GLOBAL STUDIES

The University of California at Santa Barbara offers an interdisciplinary Doctorate in Global Studies. Launched in 2014, this cutting-edge program is designed to meet the challenges of the 21st century. Fellowship support is provided to incoming students on a competitive basis.

The new PhD Program at UCSB is the first of its kind at a Tier-1 Research University in the United States. It joins our highly successful MA in Global Studies which has been operating for the past decade. The Doctoral curriculum includes three areas of specialization:

1. global political economy, sustainable development, environment
2. global culture, ideology, and religion
3. global governance, human rights, and civil society

The program typically involves elective courses in an area of specialization, mastery of a second language, fieldwork, and the completion of a PhD dissertation to earn the degree. Students are encouraged to compose a doctoral committee of Global Studies core faculty and faculty affiliates from across the campus.

WHY DO A PhD IN GLOBAL STUDIES?

This PhD degree provides an understanding of the economic, political, social, and cultural forces that are shaping our contemporary world. Faculty specializations include political economy, development studies, law, human rights, religion, culture, sustainability, and international environmental politics.

http://www.global.ucsb.edu/
The Division of World Languages, Literatures and Cultures

Autonomous Language Learning Network (ALLNet)

Scholarship for the Study of Critical & Less Commonly Taught Languages (LCTLs) 2015-2016

Time: Flexible

The Division of World Languages, Literatures and Cultures (DWLLC) offers an opportunity to learn critical and LCTLs through autonomous language learning. This is open to UI students whose academic or professional goals require knowledge of a critical or less commonly taught language.

Many international opportunities require communication skills in a language NOT currently taught at the University of Iowa. With the support of the Autonomous Language Learning Network (ALLNet) staff members, learners design their own study plans to learn basic language skills or improve upon existing skills in preparation for academic or professional goals.

Students wishing to participate in ALLNet should complete an on-line application form - http://clas.uiowa.edu/dwllc/allnet

For more information on how to become a consultant for ALLNet or if you are a student who wishes to study critical or less commonly taught languages (LCTLs), please contact Elena Osinskaya, DWLLC Language Initiatives Manager, elena-osinsky@uiowa.edu.
The Division of World Languages, Literatures and Cultures

Autonomous Language Learning Network (ALLNet)

Do YOU speak

Dutch, Hebrew, Indonesian, Norwegian, Khmer, Mandinka, Turkish, Wolof, Yoruba

Paid Language/Culture Consultants are Needed!!!

ALLNet invites speakers of world languages to join the program and assist learners in the study of critical and less commonly taught languages. Each consultant meets with a student twice a week to give the learner an important opportunity to practice speaking the target language with a native speaker. He/she will be trained by ALLNet staff members and will be reimbursed for their services up to three hours a week ($16.00/hour).

For more information on how to become a consultant for ALLNet or if you are a UI student, faculty or staff member who wishes to study critical or less commonly taught languages contact Elena Osinskaya, Language Initiatives Manager, elena-osinsky@uiowa.edu.

More information about the ALLNet program: http://clas.uiowa.edu/dwllc/allnet
Bilingual VOLUNTEER Opportunity with the Iowa Youth Writing Project this summer!

The Iowa Youth Writing Project is partnering with Antelope Lending Library to bring the bookmobile and bilingual workshops to Cole's Mobile Home Court in Iowa City.

**What:** Bilingual Reading and Writing for Kids with Antelope Lending Library and the Iowa Youth Writing Project

**Where:** Cole's Mobile Home Court, 2128 S Riverside Dr, Iowa City, IA 52246

**When:** Tuesday mornings in summer, 10:00--12:00. Remaining dates are July 21, 28, August 4, 11, 18.

**Why:** To bring books and writing workshops to bilingual children who don't have many enrichment opportunities during summer. And because it will be FUN!

**Who:** Generous bilingual volunteers like YOU, in partnership with Braeden Jones, Assistant Director of Antelope Lending Library, and Lisa Roberts. Interim Director, Iowa Youth Writing Project.

**Contact:** Interested volunteers may write lisa@iywp.org or call 402-310-9377.

The plan is to visit the mobile home court from each Tuesday, running bilingual writing activities from 10:15 to 11:00, then let the kids check out books and/or play soccer or other sports with the volunteers, and lastly offer them a free snack. Braeden is completing a Ph.D. in the Spanish Department and is fully bilingual. He and Lisa are hoping to enlist other volunteers, preferably bilingual though not necessarily, to create and lead writing workshops, build supportive relationships with the kids, help kids find/check out books, and distribute snacks.

**Volunteers can sign up at [http://iywp.volunteerhub.com](http://iywp.volunteerhub.com)**

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Friends Without Borders

A new program connecting U.S. students with international students from around the globe

**Friends Without Borders** will begin its second year in 2015-16 and is designed to pair incoming international student arrivals with returning U.S. students interested in making international student connections. It's a great opportunity to help to create a more dynamic and integrated campus. Domestic undergraduate students who will be enrolled for the 2015-16 academic year are encouraged to apply for a spot next year.

This program assigns matches in the lead up to the kickoff in September where most will be introduced for the first time. After this initial mixer/kickoff event pairs are encouraged to keep up the connection by getting together regularly during the semester.

If you are interested in joining, please complete this [short online questionnaire](#).

Questions? Want to be more involved? Contact Kevin Roiseland, International Student and Scholar Advisor, by email at kevin-roiseland@uiowa.edu or phone (319) 335-0335.
Volunteer with Local Foods Connection!

Local Foods Connection (LFC) in Iowa City has some upcoming volunteer opportunities! If you are interested in tabling for LFC at the Farmers Market anytime over the next couple months, follow this Doodle Link to sign up: [http://doodle.com/bgsei6ygqy8b78ki](http://doodle.com/bgsei6ygqy8b78ki)

And they’re still looking for a couple volunteers to round out their team at Rummage in the Ramp this summer. Their shift is from 1:45 - 4PM on July 24. Contact Cassidy at info@localfoodsconnection.com if you're interested in getting involved.

Learn more at [http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/)

Backyard Abundance volunteering opportunities & events!

All upcoming events & volunteer opportunities listed [here](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/).

- **Rummage in the Ramp** | [learn more](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/)
  - July 24, 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM
  - 460 E. Washington St., Iowa City, IA

- **Gaia’s Peace Garden Open House** | [learn more](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/)
  - July 25, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
  - 2066 Bristol Drive, Iowa City, IA

- **Smoothie and Harvest Party** | [learn more](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/)
  - August 1, 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM
  - 2400 Taylor Drive, Iowa City, IA

Study abroad bloggers needed for fall 2015!

Are you interested in blogging about your study abroad experience? Then consider becoming an official Study Abroad Blogger!

No need to create your own blog; we will provide the tools you need so that all you have to do is supply us with your thoughts, comments, stories and pictures/videos! Blogs will be shared on our online journal, [International Accents](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/), as well as through our newsletters and social media.

**Requirements:**
- Send us at least two blog entries each month (more often for short-term programs)
- Blogs should be 300-500 words each
- Include a title for each entry
- Include at least one photo or video with each entry

**Apply:** Fill out the application form [HERE](http://www.localfoodsconnection.com/) for fall 2015 bloggers.
Dear Members of the University of Iowa community,

We are seeking volunteers for the University of Iowa booth at the State Fair from August 13 to 23 in Des Moines. The UI exhibit area has been expanded and completely redesigned, and we are excited to have you join us as we debut the terrific new space.

Volunteers are needed to greet and visit with the thousands of fairgoers who come through the exhibit. Volunteers apply temporary tattoos, distribute football posters, athletic schedules and other items, and share news about the great things happening on campus.

The UI booth is located in the Varied Industries Building at the fairgrounds. Shifts are four hours each: 9 a.m.-1 p.m., 1-5 p.m., and 5-9 p.m. Fair admission, a parking pass, and a Hawkeye T-shirt will be provided.

For more information and to sign up for a shift, please go to our website: http://www.uiowa.edu/statefair/volunteers. You can also contact us by email at President-state-fair@uiowa.edu
Department of Educational Policy and Leadership Studies

Fall 2015 course offering

Seminar in International Education
(EPLS:5240:0003)

Mondays, 4:30-7:00pm

We will examine the fields of international and comparative education. To do this, we will explore a range of topics around the idea of education as evolving within highly complex, uneven, and shifting global forces. We will explore contemporary issues in education such as internationalization, inequality, mobility, and reform. Using an interdisciplinary approach, we will study education from a variety of perspectives and within different cultural settings. The goals of the course will be to appreciate education as a socio-politically embedded institution within a global context, and to gain a better understanding of the range of complex factors that influence educational policy.

For questions about the course, please contact:
Peter Gerlach, Adjunct Assistant Professor: peter-gerlach@uiowa.edu

Dr. Gerlach (PhD, Syracuse University), a former Peace Corps Volunteer in Mongolia, focuses his research and teaching on international education, globalization, and international students.
HIST:4100:0001
Historical Background of Contemporary Issues: Crisis Intervention by the CDC, WHO, and MSF

This course will examine how the Centers for Disease Control, the World Health Organization, and Doctors without Borders play a role in responding to recent global health emergencies such as the 2014-15 Ebola outbreaks in West Africa.

Check ISIS for more info.

Fall 2015
Off-Cycle Course:
Oct 19-Dec 9

2 s.h.
4:30-6:20pm MW

Instructor:
Paul Greenough
New Fall Course!

Love and Kinship in South Asia
ANTH:3121 and GWSS:3121

This new fall course explores anthropological understandings of love in India and the region of South Asia more broadly, with an emphasis on contemporary society. Marriage, love and sexuality are deeply embedded in kinship organization, caste, economics, politics and religion. Topics include filial and motherly love, arranged marriage and romantic love, devotional and artistic expressions, love between siblings. What are the distinctive roles of courtesan, wife, prostitute—and even ascetic women who renounce family and marriage for a life of celibacy? Although patrilineal extended family is often idealized as the traditional way of organizing families in India, Pakistan and other South Asian countries, we will also learn about non-dominant forms of love and family (matrilineal, nuclear, etc.) as well as what it means to be a ‘modern’ family in South Asia.

If you have not had an introductory course in Anthropology or GWSS, then please consult the instructor for permission: meena-khandelwal@uiowa.edu.

Course meets Tuesday/Thursdays 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM in 132 MH.
The Chinese legal system is deeply embedded in its culture and history and therefore is very different from that of the western countries. Moreover, the Chinese legal tradition developed in early times still exerts considerable influence in China today. This course will introduce the legal history of China from the seventeenth century to the present. Readings for this course include philosophical writings, law codes, court cases, scholarly articles, fictions, and films. Topics covered in this course include civil and criminal law, formal and informal justice, law and the family, and the transformation of Chinese law and institutions. Students will not only learn the development of Chinese legal system but also acquire an in-depth understanding of the Chinese society.

All readings for this class will be in English. No previous knowledge of China is required.

For more information, please contact the instructor: Shuang Chen
shuang-chen@uiowa.edu
Politics and Ethics of Global Health: Who Gets What and Why

Topics in Global Health

Case studies and current events will be used to reveal issues where global health ethical conflicts arise. The politics of “who gets what, and why” will include interpretation of foreign affairs, private donor expectations, and funder mandates. Questions such as “Who will be first to get new EBOLA treatments and vaccines?” will be examined.

Fall, 2015

Instructor: Christine C. Brunner Luse
christine-brunnerluse@uiowa.edu
WORLD HISTORY

Antiquity to 16th Century

COURSE NO  HIST:4107 (16W:167)
TIME & DATE  3:30—4:45 p.m.  Tu Th
LOCATION  51 Schaeffer Hall
INSTRUCTOR  Michael A Žmolek

Approved for 9 ISBA Tracks

Excellent preparation for Secondary Education majors
In the twenty-first century, everybody travels. Backpacking in Nepal, studying abroad in London or Spring Break in Cancun are some of the many forms of travel that have become routine in our lives. But not all of us travel with the same light luggage. Journeys across geographical and cultural boundaries take on many different shapes: from the leisure activity of travel to the movements of labor migrants and the violent displacement of refugees.

In trying to understand these different journeys – forced or voluntary, temporary or permanent, within a country and across cultural borders – our main emphasis will be on African and on Caribbean literature and film. As individuals and groups cross cultural territories, what experiences do they have in other places? Are they welcomed or treated with hostility? How do local communities respond to tourists, immigrants and those seeking employment? Why do strangers sometimes become easy targets for accusations and prejudices; why are they blamed for transmitting HIV/AIDS or for taking away precious resources? How are these cross-cultural encounters represented in literature and film? Why do writers like Salman Rushdie celebrate their relationship with different cultural locations while others search in vain for a permanent place of belonging? And finally, how are the experiences of women travelers different from those of men? What are the pleasures and pains of leaving one’s home?

Texts and Films:
*Sugar Cane Alley*. Martinique/France 1983.
*Clando*. Cameroon 1996.
Non-profit organizations increasingly play a significant role in countering socio-economic inequalities across the US and poorer countries of the global south. Do these organizations impose western ideas about gender and sexual progress? Can they be more inclusive of leadership and ideas from the non-west? What are the implications of their policies of “development” and ideas of gender and sexuality?
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