

The Current

University of Louisville
Honors Program Newsletter

Advising Edition

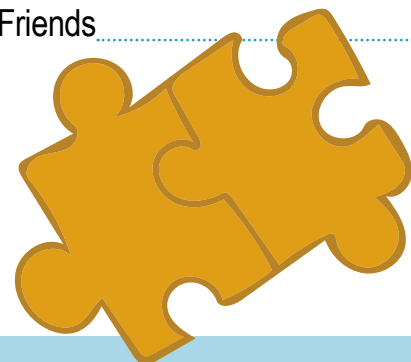
QUICK CALENDAR

- 9/8** Honors Volunteer Program (HVP)
Open House
- 9/9** Scholars Seminar Showcase
- 9/10** Honors Scholar Advising Sign Up
- 9/11** General Honors Advising Sign Up
- 9/11** Fulbright Workshop III
- 9/17** The White Squirrel (TWS) Editors
Interest Meeting
- 9/18** Pie with a Professor

More important dates and deadlines are listed throughout this newsletter. **Please read carefully.*

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Honors News

SENIOR HONORS THESIS DEADLINE

Are you an A&S major hoping to graduate with Highest Honors (summa cum laude)?

For those who plan to graduate in May 2016 and want to complete a Senior Honors Thesis for the College of Arts & Sciences, please note that the deadline to submit a thesis proposal and your thesis initiation packet is **Monday, September 14 by 4:30 PM**.

Proposals will only be accepted electronically and should be e-mailed directly to Sarah Springer at s.springer@louisville.edu. More information on the proposal can be found here: <http://louisville.edu/honors/senior-honors-theses/guidelines-for-completing-a-senior-honors-thesis>

A printed and completed thesis initiation packet is also required and must be submitted in hard copy to the Etscorn Honors Center to Sarah Springer's attention. The thesis initiation packet can be found at the following link: <http://louisville.edu/honors/senior-honors-theses/printable-forms>

Any questions about Senior Honors Theses can be directed to Sarah Springer, honors thesis coordinator: s.springer@louisville.edu

Proposal Deadline
Monday, September 14
by 4:30 PM
to Sarah Springer

FREE IDEA FESTIVAL PASSES

The Honors Program and IdeaFestival are once again partnering to offer a limited number of day passes or all-access passes to UofL Honors students. The University of Louisville is one of the event sponsors, and this is an excellent chance to have some of our outstanding students attend the festival.

To give you an idea of how fantastic and generous an offer like this is for Honors students, day passes are normally \$150 and discounted festival passes are currently \$400. **The University Honors Program will have a limited number of FREE passes to offer you.** If this opportunity interests you, please be sure to visit the IdeaFestival website at www.ideafestival.com to view the festival agenda, featured speakers, and the variety of links provided there to view all of the incredible sessions and events occurring over the three-day festival. The dates of the festival are Sept. 29 – Oct. 2nd, and it will take place at the Kentucky Center for the Arts downtown.

If you would like to request a festival pass (either for a particular day or the full festival), please notify Luke Buckman via e-mail (luke.buckman@louisville.edu) by no later than **Friday, September 11**. Passes will be made available on a first-come, first-served basis. When you write to Luke, please indicate in your e-mail whether you are requesting a full pass or a day pass. If you are interested in a day pass, please also indicate the specific day. If you have any questions, please let Luke know.



IDEA FESTIVAL®
September 29 - October 2
Kentucky Center for the Arts
(Downtown)
Schedule available at:
www.ideafestival.com
Email by 9/11 to reserve a pass



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Advising Corner

ADVISING IS ALMOST HERE!

Hello, Honors Students! The GradesFirst Honors Advising Campaigns are rapidly approaching later this week, **so please read over the following information to prepare for this process.** We look forward to seeing you soon!

Although we welcome any Honors student to make an appointment with one of our advisors, not all Honors students are required to be advised every semester.

To find out if you will be required to be advised in Honors this semester, please visit: <http://louisville.edu/honors/current-students/honors-advising/fall-2015-honors-advising-campaign-details-1>

The Honors Advising Window:

Appointments

Honors Scholars: Tuesday, 9/15 - Friday, 10/30*

General Honors: Monday, 9/21 - Friday, 10/30*

*Please note: Fall break is Monday, 10/5 - Tuesday, 10/6, so there will be limited advisor availability on these dates.

Please arrive promptly in the Etscorn Honors Center on your appointment date/time. If you arrive to your appointment **10 or more minutes after the scheduled appointment time**, you will be required to reschedule for a later date/time subject to counselor availability.

Priority Registration

8:00 AM on Thursday, November 5th

The Procedure:

Honors Scholars: **7:45 AM on Thursday, 9/10** - will receive the GradesFirst campaign e-mail from Kirsten Armstrong to their UofL e-mail accounts

General Honors: **7:45 AM on Friday, 9/11** - will receive the GradesFirst campaign e-mail from Kirsten Armstrong to their UofL e-mail accounts

HON 101 students: **You must meet with your HON 101 advising instructor**, so please keep this in mind when scheduling your appointment on GradesFirst

Detailed instructions on how to schedule your appointment in GradesFirst will be forthcoming in the following issue of The Current and on the Honors website.

No longer active in Honors:

If you have been suspended from the Honors Program, you should have received an e-mail to this effect over the summer. In the event that you are no longer a member of the Honors Program, you should seek out advising from your home academic advising unit. **For anyone who is no longer a member of the Honors Program, we recommend that you visit the Undergraduate Advising website and utilize the "Advising Centers" menu.**

Be sure to look at the instructions for scheduling advising on the next page! Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns about the Honors advising appointment sign-up procedures by contacting us via phone at 502-852-6293, via e-mail at honors@louisville.edu, or by contacting your Honors advisor directly.



**KEEP
CALM
AND
GET
ADVISED**

The Honors Advising Team (in alphabetical order)

Kirsten Armstrong
Luke Buckman
Sarah Exner
Katherine Rucker
Olivia Sailor
Sarah Springer

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Links

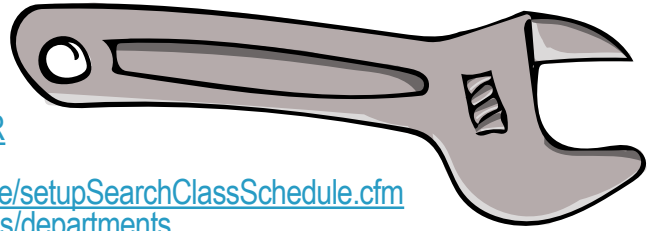
Course Catalog: <http://louisville.edu/undergraduatecatalog/>

General Education Requirements: <http://louisville.edu/provost/GER>

Flight Plan: <http://louisville.edu/flightplan>

Schedule of Classes: <http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm>

Arts & Sciences - Departments: <http://louisville.edu/artsandsciences/departments>



Getting to “My Planner”

1. Go to ULink from the Louisville homepage.
2. Upon logging in, click on “Student Services” from the tabs at the top.
3. Scroll down to “Student Center.”
4. Click on “Plan.”
5. Click on “Browse Course Catalog.”
6. Click on courses and add them to your planner.



Transfer Credit

1. Go to ULink from the Louisville homepage.
2. Upon logging in, click on “Student Services” from the tabs at the top.
3. Under the “Admissions” tab, click on “Transfer Evaluation – View/Print.”

Unofficial Transcript*

1. Go to ULink from the Louisville homepage.
 2. Upon logging in, click on “Student Services” from the tabs at the top.
 3. At the bottom of the “Registration tab” under the “Transcript” heading, click on “View/Print Unofficial.”
- *Credits earned prior to your time at U of L may or may not be included in this transcript.

HOW TO MAKE AN ADVISING APPOINTMENT

- 1 Just before 8:00AM on the morning of your advising campaign date, you will receive an email from Kirsten Armstrong, the Assistant Director of Advising in the University Honors Program, asking you to create an advising appointment. (Please see page 3 of this issue or the Honors for additional instructions on who needs to be advised and when.) When you open the email, read any special instructions that your advisor has included. Click on the link provided to begin scheduling your advising appointment, or copy and paste the address provided.

Please note: Your GradesFirst campaign link is unique to your student account, so please do not attempt to share the link with another Honors student as it will only work for setting your own appointment.

The screenshot shows an email header from the University of Louisville. The main text says "Please schedule your advising appointment." and is addressed to "Hello Travis (Student) Ross:". Below this, it explains that the student has been requested to schedule an appointment and provides a link. A "Note from Advisor" section is also visible, followed by a button labeled "Schedule Advising Appointment" which is circled in blue. At the bottom, there is a URL: "https://louisville.gradesfirst.com/a/utkfkBS2b7".

If you need to schedule, reschedule or cancel an appointment with your advisor, tutor or career coach, please contact the appropriate center below to do so:

Advising Corner

2 After clicking the email link, GradesFirst should open in your browser window. First, please note that the default setting for “Advisor” in the drop-down menu on the upper-right of your screen is “Any Advisor.” Although we don’t necessarily encourage you to use this option*, it is available so that you can select a date and time that works for you below, and then the system randomly assigns you to the advisor with that available appointment timeslot. However, if you wish to see a particular Honors advisor, you will need to use the “Advisor” drop-down menu first, then proceed with the scheduling features for date and time below that as they will auto-update to relate to that particular advisor’s set of availabilities. **Please note: HON 101 students are required to see their HON 101 advising instructor for their advising appointments. Therefore, use the “ADVISOR” drop-down menu to select this individual before proceeding with scheduling your appointment.*

Once you have selected an Honors advisor (or your HON 101 instructor), please select a date and a time for your appointment. The available times are dependent on the advisor and date selected. Finally, click on “Review Appointment Details” to move to the next step and confirm your selections.

Hi, Travis (Student). Please schedule your appointment below.

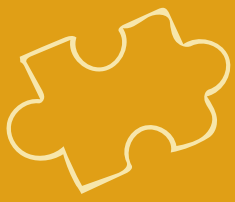
The screenshot shows the scheduling interface with four numbered callouts: 1. A dropdown menu labeled 'ADVISOR' with 'Any Advisor' selected. 2. A calendar for September 2014 with the 11th highlighted. 3. A time selection menu for Thursday, September 11, with 2:00pm selected. 4. A 'Review Appointment Details' button at the bottom right.

3 On the next screen, please review and confirm that all of the information provided is correct for the appointment. Then, **click on “Confirm Appointment”** to finalize and set your appointment. *Please note: Each Honors student will be limited to one advising appointment within the campaign system on GradesFirst.*

4 On the final screen, you will see that your appointment has been confirmed. **Please make sure that you follow the GradesFirst process through to this “Congratulations” message!** If you stop the process before clicking the “Confirm Appointment” button on the prior screen, your advising appointment will not be saved.

The first screenshot shows the 'Appointment Details' for Travis (Student) Ross with Kirsten Armstrong, for an Honors Registration Test on Thursday, September 11, from 2:00pm to 2:30pm. The second screenshot shows the 'Appointment Details' for Brent Skaggs with Olivia Sailor, for an Honors Test Campaign on Wednesday, September 16, from 10:00am to 10:30am. Both screens feature a 'Confirm Appointment' button circled in blue.

5 If you need to make any adjustments to your Honors advising appointment after setting it up via the GradesFirst campaign, please contact the front desk of the Etscorn Honors Center at 502-852-6293. Please note, however, that any requests for rescheduling will be subject to Honors advisor availability and may result in a significantly later advising appointment or the necessity to see an alternative Honors advisor from your original preference.



National and International Scholarship Opportunities

FULBRIGHT IS IN FULL SWING!

For students who have already contacted the Office of National and International Scholarship Opportunities to express interest in applying for a Fulbright, please see below for workshop and deadline reminders. Experience tells us that students who attend all events end up doing significantly better. You will note the deadlines are coming fast and furious now that the action has started! If you plan on attending these events or want more information about applying for a Fulbright, contact Heather Turner ASAP: heather.turner@louisville.edu We look forward to working with all of you this fall! We encourage students to also explore the Fulbright website for more information: <http://us.fulbrightonline.org/>

Important Dates:

- September 11** Fulbright Workshop III: One-on-One Meetings
- September 21** Campus Deadline: ALL materials must be submitted
- September 24 & 25** Campus Interviews for ETA Candidates
- September 28 - 30** Campus Interviews for Research/Graduate Study Candidates
- October 13** National Deadline (this is the Fulbright Program Advisor's deadline, NOT THE CANDIDATE'S)

Faculty:

If you are interested in serving on Fulbright workshop or interview committees, please contact Heather Turner as soon as possible:

heather.turner@louisville.edu



FULBRIGHT STUDENTS PREP APPLICATIONS

On September 4th, the Office of National and International Scholarship Opportunities hosted its second Fulbright workshop. This workshop worked exclusively with students who are planning on applying for Fulbright grants this year, and we loved to see such a great turn out! Through looking at samples of previous winners and talking about everyone's current Fulbright plans, applicants were able to get the ball rolling on their own applications. The third (and final!) workshop will be held on Friday, September 11th.



Top: Heather Turner presents information to students interested in applying for a Fulbright.
Bottom: Students listen to Dr. Condon present about strategies for their applications.



Advisor Spotlight



JULIE STOUT

Academic Counselor, Sr.

College of Education & Human Development

Where are you from, originally?

I am from a small town in Northern Michigan called Cadillac (no, they do not make cars there).

What degrees have you earned and from where?

I have a Bachelor of Arts in Communications from Michigan State University, and a Master of Education in Counseling and Personnel Services, with a track in College Student Personnel, from the University of Louisville.

How did you arrive at academic advising as a career?

I knew I was looking for a career change and being a High School Counselor came to mind as something that I may want to switch to. I had been looking at School Counseling Master's degree programs, when a friend suggested I look at Academic Advising at the college level. It clicked as soon as she said it; I knew that was the career I wanted to pursue!

What do you love best about advising students?

I love seeing students accomplish their goals and succeed, especially when it may not have been the easiest path for them to get there. Whether it be graduating, getting admitted into the Teacher Education program, or overcoming personal obstacles, I'm always excited when a student accomplishes a goal they have worked hard for!

Why did you join the Honors Advising Liaison League?

Two reasons: 1. To better my own understanding of the Honors program, and to learn about the various opportunities that students have, so that I can better advise my own students. 2. To help increase partnerships between the College of Education & Human Development and the Honors Program. Our hope is to one day provide more Honors course options for our Teacher Education students, so that is something I hope to be able to help with.

What is your number one hope for the Honors student experience at UofL?

I hope that Honors students take advantage of the unique courses and travel opportunities that they have with this program. There are some wonderful opportunities for professional development at conferences, as well as Honors course topics that sound so interesting, I wish I could take them too! The Honors program gives students a chance to do some great things and travel to amazing places, so make sure you take full advantage of these options!

What's your favorite pastime?

I love to be outside. Skiing in the winter, walks or runs through Cherokee Park, sitting outside reading, being on a boat back home in Michigan; any of these things sound great to me!





Student Spotlight

JEROME SOLDO

Senior • Spanish Major, Pre-Med

Why did you join the Honors Program?

I joined Honors for the “small school” experience at a large university. And what’s not attractive about priority registration and affordable international travel seminars?

In what ways have you been involved with the Honors Program?

I’ve enjoyed my extensive involvement in the Honors Program: I’ve traveled to Vietnam with an Honors seminar, assisted with Honors 101 during Welcome Week, and volunteered in the Louisville community with the Honors Volunteer Program. I am excited to continue my involvement this year as an Honors host, where I’ll share the highlights of my experience with potential new students.

What are some of your favorite experiences as an Honors student so far?

Definitely the conferences. Honors gave me the amazing opportunity to present research in cities like Savannah, GA and Denver, CO. I loved traveling as a UofL representative, getting to know my advisors much better, and even indulging in the local food scene. When I came to UofL I could never have guessed I would be devouring pralines and sweet tea on the deck of a riverboat in Savannah, or burgers and milkshakes at a mile-high restaurant in Denver. I’ll admit that good food completely defined my conference experiences.

Which conferences have you presented at?

I have presented Chilean public health research at the Kentucky Honors Roundtable at Morehead State, the Regional Southern Honors Conference in Savannah, GA, and the National Collegiate Honors Council in Denver, CO. In



addition, I’ve presented about my internship as a medical Spanish interpreter at the Kentucky Honors Roundtable at Western Kentucky University.

What advice do you have for Honors students interested in presenting their work?

Don’t discredit the work you’ve done. Research doesn’t have to mean working under a microscope in a laboratory. Think of the unique things you’ve done academically and present over something that’s been formative for you. Many students present what they’ve learned for class papers, while others present about academic internships and study abroad experiences. My advice is to be creative and go for it.

As a two-time CAPS leader and HON 101 assistant, what advice do you have for first-year Honors students?

I love to give advice, which is probably the reason I’ve been an HON 101 assistant for two years. Above all, I would tell first year students to apply for every single thing they want and don’t be afraid of rejection. I have applied for campus jobs like REACH and Orientation Staff, study abroad scholarships, summer internships, and research grants. I’ve been rejected time and time again, but I’ve also received invaluable experience in writing essays, interviewing in groups and individually, and learning how to fail like a rock star.

What does Honors mean to you?

To me, Honors means excellence, defined broadly. We aren’t just students- we’re explorers, community servants, researchers, writers, athletes, and musicians, and to be an Honors student means leading a balanced life and succeeding both in and out of the classroom.





Student Organizations

HONORS STUDENT COUNCIL

PIE WITH A PROFESSOR

Otherwise known as the Honors Meet & Greet, this event is a great opportunity to meet faculty members, fellow students, and Honors campus partners over food! Grab lunch and pie in the Etscorn Honors Center classroom between classes and get to know your campus community.

Friday, September 18

12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Etscorn Honors Center Classroom



Pie from last year's Meet & Greet - get your own slice September 18!

HONORS VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

HVP OPEN HOUSE

Are you interested in serving the community? Passionate about social justice? Are you looking for a way to get involved on campus? If you answered yes, Honors Volunteer Program is the perfect organization for you! Come out to the Etscorn Honors Center TONIGHT, September 8th between 6:00 and 7:00 PM to learn more about the Honors Volunteer Program. We'll be talking about upcoming events, issues we want to address, and much more! Plus there will be lots of good food! Please contact Danielle Deal at dnddeal01@louisville.edu for more details! We hope to see you there!

Tuesday, September 8

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Etscorn Honors Center Classroom



HVP thanks Taylor Bieschke for making this graphic!

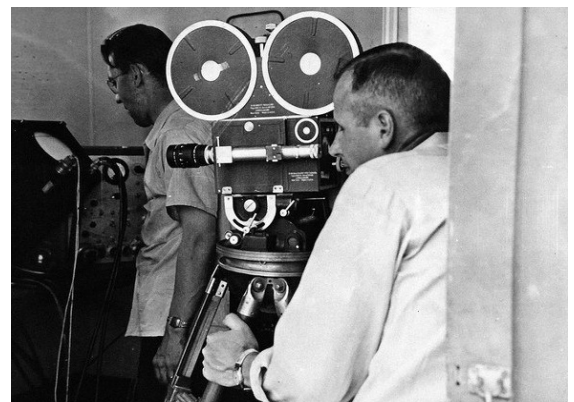
DOCUMENTARY VIEWING

Come out as we gather to view a recent documentary, followed by a discussion of the film! This event will be the first of a docu-series hosted by HVP, and we hope you'll join us. More information can be found in the next addition of *The Current*, so make sure to check back! If you have any questions, please feel free to email Danielle Deal at dnddeal01@louisville.edu.

Tuesday, September 22

6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Etscorn Honors Center Classroom



THE WHITE SQUIRREL

EDITOR INTEREST MEETING

Come learn how you can get involved editing for U of L's only student-run literary magazine. Positions available include poetry, prose, and visual art editors. Other areas to get involved include event planning and marketing the magazine. For more information about *The White Squirrel* visit:

<http://louisville.edu/honors/student-organizations/the-white-squirrel>

Thursday, September 17

7:00 PM

Honors Overseers House

2nd Floor Classroom

Email questions to:

uoflwhitesquirrel@gmail.com



Top: The White Squirrel Editors for the 2014/2015 academic year.

Right: Volume XI of The White Squirrel

BAMS DONATIONS WANTED

Attention honors students and faculty-- it's that time of year again! BAMS, Honors Student Council's bi-annual Book and Media Sale, is right around the corner and we need your help. In order to make this event happen we really need for you to donate any of your old, gently-used books, DVDs, video games, and/or CDs to the Honors Etscorn Center by no later than **Friday, March 25, 2016**. Trying to purge your book collection back down to a manageable size? We'll gladly give you a hand. Looking for a way to get rid of some of your dad's old records? Bring them here-- your mom will thank you later. Honors Student Council wants to make this Book and Media Sale bigger and better than ever before, but we can't do it without you. So please donate, donate, donate! The event is scheduled to take place during the week of April 3, 2016, and **all of the proceeds will go towards helping Camp Quality Kentuckiana**. If you have any questions please feel free to email HonorsBAMS@gmail.com or visit our website, www.uoflhsc.com.



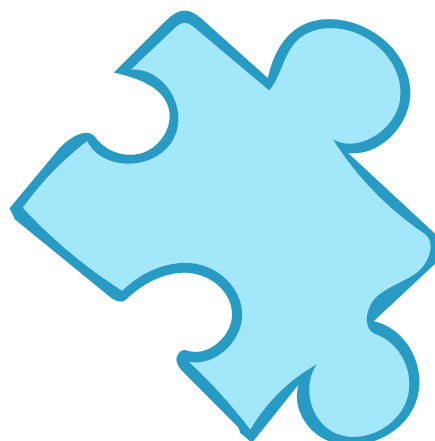
Book and Media Sale (BAMS) 2014, Red Barn



Calendar

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-  Honors Student Council Events
-  Honors Volunteer Program Events
-  Academic Calendar Dates





From Our Friends

NEWS

UofL Free Store Open for Fall 2015 Thursdays, 1:00 -3:00 PM

The UofL Free Store's open every Thursday 1:00 - 3:00 PM in Uinitas Tower basement! All are welcome to donate & "shop" for free clothing, shoes, electronics, small appliances, household goods, bath & beauty supplies, books, school/office/art supplies, kitchen items & non-perishable food, etc. The Free Store is a volunteer-powered initiative of the student environmental organization, Group Recycling And Sustainable Solutions (GRASS), with support from UofL's Sustainability Council.



Join UofL CarShare this Fall for just \$1 and drive for only \$5/hour!

Deadline: December 31, 2015

UofL CarShare got a whole new fleet of fuel-efficient Nissan Sentra's this fall, and we're celebrating by slashing costs for all new members! Join UofL CarShare now for just \$1 and you'll be able to access our brand new vehicles whenever you need them for just \$5/hour, 24/7 through December 31st! Rates include gas, insurance, maintenance & cleaning. Cars are located in dedicated parking spots on Belknap campus. Just reserve your car online, access the vehicle with your membership card, and you'll be off to run errands, visit friends and family, or hit the town. It's that easy. Open to anyone over 18 with valid driver's license. Enter 1TOJOIN in the application promo field at enterprisecarshare.com/louisville.

Enterprise CarShare
\$1 TO JOIN
 Join now!
\$5 /HR RATES Thanks to NISSAN

Book-in-Common Suggestions

The Book-in-Common Selection Committee will soon begin the process of selecting the text for the 2016-17 program. Do you have a suggestion for next year's Book-in-Common? Please share it with us! Go to louisville.edu/firstyear/book-in-common/suggest-a-book for more information on the criteria used to select the text, and to fill out the suggestion form. We look forward to hearing your ideas!

EVENTS

Meat & Potatoes: Not Your Average Summer Wednesday, September 16, 7:30 PM The Avenue, Cardinal Towne

Meat & Potatoes—a monthly forum that provides a college male perspective on the day's headlines, returns for some good dialogue on hot topics. Join us for some good food, discussion and our annual Wing Zone wing eating competition; who will take home the trophy?

Contact LaMont Johnson for more information:
lamont.johnson@louisville.edu

Not Your Average SUMMER
 Wednesday, September 16th - 7:30pm
 Cardinal Towne

Logos: M&P, PEACC, Wing Zone, The Avenue, University of Louisville

EVENTS - CONTINUED

Peace Corps Information Session
Thursday, September 10, 3:00 - 4:00 PM
Ekstrom Library, Rm 104

Wondering what you will do after graduation? Looking for adventure and travel abroad? Want to help others on an international level? Check out opportunities to serve as a member of the Peace Corps! Representatives from the Peace Corps will share information about their own experiences, the numerous and varied ways in which to serve, and answer any and all questions. Don't miss this information session as it may open an interesting and exciting future for you!



If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Career Development Center at (502) 852-6701, or by e-mail: cclinku@louisville.edu.

Garden Commons Workshop & Workdays
Every other Wednesday at 3:00 PM
September 9 - December 2
Garden Commons at the Cultural Center

Join us in UofL's organic garden for a series of practical, seasonal workshops about how to prepare/process garden produce & how to manage different aspects of a chemical-free garden and greenhouse! Afterwards, please join us for some light weeding, watering & harvesting. Attendees welcome to fresh-picked fruit, veggies, flowers, mint, herbs, and whatever else is ready for harvest! Connect with us at

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/gardencommons/>



Arts & Sciences All Stars Pre-Game Educational Series



September 12 / September 26 / October 24 / November 7 / November 14
Gheens Science Hall & Rausch Planetarium

The A&S All Stars Pre Game Educational Series brings an intellectual slate to tailgating this fall by showcasing the best faculty and alumni in the College of Arts and Sciences on home football game days. Learn about the ancient history of Louisville with John Hale (Liberal Studies Project). Explore the little seen world of girl rock camps with Diane Pecknold (Women and Gender Studies). Discuss the fate of glaciers with Keith Mountain (Geography and Geosciences). Study the feminist waves of Beyoncé and her fans with Kaila Story (Pan African Studies). For Homecoming Day, local horticulturist Jeneen Wiche will moderate a panel discussion about the benefits of going local in more ways than one with returning A&S alums, including Louisville Public Media's Director Stephen George, Mo McKnight Howe, owner of Revelry Gallery, Weeds of Eden's Myron Hardesty and ecosystem ecologist Dr. Preston Pipal. With such a wide range of topics and faces, this series aims to engage current students, returning alumni and game fans from across the region. So join us for coffee and bagels this fall and cheer on our accomplished faculty and alumni.

Attendance and open to all, but reservations are recommended. To learn more or register, visit uofl.me/as-all-stars-2015

Want to See Your Department or Program's Announcement in The Current?

Request to be added to our contributors list by emailing honors@louisville.edu

From Our Friends

EVENTS - CONTINUED

**The Grey Area:
Free Speech or Hate Speech?**
Wednesday, September 30, 7:30 PM
The Avenue, Cardinal Towne

Is it free speech or is it hate speech? In recent years a rise in verbal abuse and violence directed at people of color, the LGBT community, and other historically persecuted groups has also played out on college campuses. How much we value the right of free speech is put to its severest test when the speaker is someone we disagree with the most. What do you think? Join the Gray Area conversation! Contact LaMont Johnson for more information: lamont.johnson@louisville.edu



Free Speech or Hate Speech?

A place to talk about the iffy stuff

Wednesday, September 30th 7:30 PM

CARDINAL TOWNE THE AVENUE

PEAC CENTER

WING@ZONE

CONNECT

Queen of Sheba Series: The Backlog
Monday, September 21, 7:30
The Avenue, Cardinal Towne

It has been estimated that hundreds of thousands of rape kits have sat untested in police and crime storage facilities across the country—in what is known as the rape kit backlog. Join our discussion with a panel of experts who have helped in the fight to bring real change and reform to end the backlog and bring justice and healing to survivors. Contact LaMont Johnson for more information: lamont.johnson@louisville.edu



QUEEN OF SHEBA SERIES

The Backlog

Monday, September 21st - 7:30 PM

CARDINAL TOWNE THE AVENUE

WING@ZONE

CONNECT

U.L. WOMEN'S CENTER

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR HONORS ADVISING THURSDAY AND FRIDAY!

If you do not receive an advising appointment email on your designated day (see page 3) contact the Honors Office immediately by phone (502-852-6293), in person, or via email (honors@louisville.edu).

