

THE CURRENT

UNIVERSITY OF LOUISVILLE
HONORS PROGRAM NEWSLETTER

ZOMBIE EDITION

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

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HONORS NEWS

HONORS' AWARD WINNING ADVISORS

Honors is full of excellent advisors who work hard to help students connect with campus and their community, reach their academic goals, and develop a plan for the future. If you've been in the Etscom Honors Center lately, you know that registration advising is one of our busiest times of the year. We would not be able to provide the same advising experience without our advising team, and we would like to recognize and thank all of our advisors for their efforts during this semester's advising campaign.

We would also like to take a moment to recognize our advisors who won awards during the 2014-2015 academic year. Kirsten Armstrong, Assistant Director of Advising, and Luke Buckman, Assistant Director for Student Programming and Development, have been with Honors longer than any other advisors on staff. Kirsten has been with the University of Louisville since 1999, and with Honors since 2012. Luke has been advising at the University of Louisville since 2000, and with Honors since 2004. During their time with Honors they have both worked to shape the program so that it best serves its students. Kirsten pioneered HALL, the Honors Advising Liaison League, to help students in other colleges and schools find advisors who are connected with Honors. Luke helped create Honors student organizations such as Honors Student Council, and has worked closely with them since their inception. He has also developed the Service Living Learning Community, now in its fourth year. Both advisors have traveled with Honors, helping to represent the program nationally and internationally.

Both Kirsten and Luke deserve recognition, and this past academic year they both received it. Kirsten was awarded the **2015 Outstanding Performance Award** by the University for Spring 2015. Luke was awarded the **2014 Outstanding Performance Award** by the University for Fall 2014, honorable mention for the **Multicultural Engagement Award**, the **Provost Award for Exemplary Advising**, and the **National Advising Association (NACADA) Certificate of Merit**, all for the 2014-2015 academic year. This is the third time a University of Louisville Honors advisor has been recognized for a national-level award.



Top: Kirsten Armstrong, Assistant Director of Advising. Bottom: Zombie Luke Buckman, Assistant Director of Student Programming & Development.

ADVISORS IN VEGAS!

Over fall break Honors advisors, Kirsten Armstrong, Luke Buckman, Katherine Rucker, and Sarah Springer, attended the National Academic Advising Association (NACADA) conference in Las Vegas! Everyone took full advantage of the conference's sessions, networking events, and recreational activities. Advising professionals from across the country hosted sessions that covered a variety of topics, such as "Strategies for Advising the High Achieving Student." When asked about the conference, Sarah Springer said "I enjoyed networking with advisors from other institutions across the country and abroad," Katherine Rucker added "We attended sessions lead by advisors from all over the world to bring back the best strategies to better serve our students."

During the conference Luke Buckman was awarded the NACADA Certificate of Merit for Academic Advising during the conference's award ceremony. When asked for his experience, Luke said, "Attending this conference was an amazing opportunity and provided me with the chance to witness firsthand the incredible emphasis that my advising colleagues place on student success and achievements."



Top: Luke Buckman (right) accepts his award. Bottom: (Left to Right) Kirsten Armstrong, Sarah Springer, Chelsea McKendree, Katherine Rucker, and Annie Fitzpatrick.

MASS SCHOLARSHIPS

Students with demonstrable financial need and involvement in the University Honors Program may apply for awards to buy books and supplies for spring semester classes. Funds for these awards were originally contributed by members of the Mature Adult Student Society (MASS). Two to three scholarships (ranging from \$300 to \$400) are awarded.

Applications consist of a letter outlining your academic program, overall financial need, and projected expenses of books for the spring semester. Letters can be **returned to the Etscorn Honors Center or mailed to:**

Dr. Joy Hart
University Honors Program
Etscorn Honors Center
University of Louisville
Louisville, KY 40292.

Deadline: October 30

MEDICAL SCHOOL SPOTLIGHT - THIS WEEK!

The Honors Program's Annual Medical School Spotlight is happening **THIS THURSDAY!** This is your opportunity to ask all of your medical school questions from what it takes to be admitted to making it to graduation. Join us for a discussion with members of UofL Medical School's admission team (Dr. Stephen Wheeler, Associate Dean of Admissions, and Pamela Osborne, Director of Admissions) and Honors alumni currently in the program. Bring your best questions to this panel-style conversation!

Thursday, October 22

5:30 - 7:30 PM

Etscorn Honors Center Classroom



CHILI COOK OFF

Who makes the best chili you've ever had? Is it you? Is it a family member? Do you want to help raise money for Camp Quality while also eating an array of delicious chili?

No matter the answers, you can help Honors Student Council and Camp Quality raise money!

How? Choose from one or both options below:

1. Enter your favorite homemade chili into the competition, or
2. Pay \$5.00 to attend the Chili Cook-Off and sample a variety of chili

All proceeds from this event will go to Camp Quality Kentuckiana, which directly serves children with cancer in our local community. Please consider entering a chili and, if you cannot do that, please attend the event and spread the word to everyone you know.



Thursday, November 12

11:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Red Barn

\$5.00 Admission

Submit your chili here:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1g3wz4i-62F6UxuC1KaXvjEYHY-PtU3fGZmISn-0Bonlog/viewform>

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GIVEAWAY WINNER

Katie Armstrong has #ULHonorsPride and showed it on Facebook! All students who used #ULHonorsPride were entered into a drawing for our last pint of The White Squirrel - an ice cream flavor made especially for Honors by Louisville Cream. Enjoy the ice cream, Katie!



**LOVE HONORS?
LET US KNOW!**

Use #ULHonorsPride on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram to show us what you love about Honors!

ADVISING CORNER

TRAVEL SEMINAR APPLICATIONS DUE TOMORROW!

Spring 2016 - Woodcock Society's National Travel Seminar:

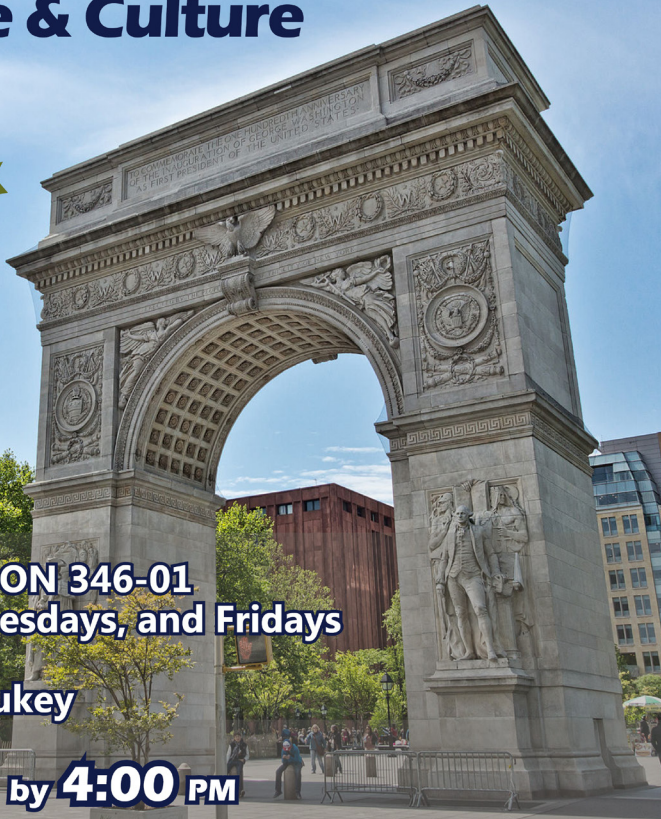
New York Modernism: Literature & Culture

With travel to
**New York
City**

HON 336-01 / HON 346-01
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays
1:00 - 1:50 PM
with Dr. Amy Clukey

Applications Due

October 21 by 4:00 PM



Don't forget the deadline to apply for the 2016 Woodcock National Travel Seminar, *New York Modernism: Literature & Culture*, taught by Dr. Amy Clukey is TOMORROW! On-line applications are due by 4:00 PM. Please contact the Honors Program with any questions.

Course description:

This course will focus on the literature and culture of New York City from roughly 1890-1950. The class will be divided into three parts: literary naturalism and multi-ethnic literature, the Harlem Renaissance, and Greenwich Village bohemianism. We'll read three novels and contextualize them with three nonfiction texts about the period focusing on history, race relations, housing justice, sociology, and/or architecture. Authors might include Stephen Crane, Edna St. Vincent Millay, Claude McKay, Langston Hughes, Nella Larsen, among others. We'll visit the city for several days during spring break, and stay at the Sohotel in downtown Manhattan. We'll do at least one walking tour of the city (Edith Wharton's NYC and/or Bohemian Greenwich Village), and

visit the Museum of Modern Art, the Empire State Building, the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, the Lower East Side Tenement Museum, the Museum of the Moving Image, Central Park, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

To read application criteria and apply follow this link:

<http://louisville.edu/honors/current-students/honors-travel-seminars/spring-2016-woodcock-national-travel-seminar>

ADVISING TOOLKIT

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>

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.





NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

ATTENTION UNDERGRADUATES:

Two major scholarships have deadlines in November that are quickly approaching! Read on for more information about the English-Speaking Union Scholarship and the Critical Language scholarship.

ENGLISH-SPEAKING UNION (ESU) SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship, **open to juniors**, provides tuition and room and board for one week in London followed by a three-week summer school program for studies in English literature, art history, creative writing, medieval studies, Shakespeare, history, politics, and society at the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, or Edinburgh. Undergraduates will receive ESU 2016 scholarship support for the following:

Oxford University

- English Literature www.conted.ox.ac.uk/courses/details.php?id=Q320-14
- History, Politics & Society www.conted.ox.ac.uk/courses/details.php?id=V220-2

Cambridge University

- Cambridge Summer History Program
<http://www.ice.cam.ac.uk/courses/summer-schools/summer-school-programmes/history>
- Cambridge Summer English Literature Program
<http://www.ice.cam.ac.uk/courses/summer-schools/summer-school-programmes/literature>
- Cambridge Summer Shakespeare Program
<http://www.ice.cam.ac.uk/courses/summer-schools/summer-school-programmes/shakespeare>

Scottish Universities' International Summer School

- Scottish Universities Summer British and Irish Literature Program
<http://www.summer-school.hss.ed.ac.uk/suiss/tandccourse.html>
- Scottish Universities Summer Creative Writing Program
<http://www.summer-school.hss.ed.ac.uk/suiss/cwcourse.html>



All applicants unfamiliar with this program might consult with Dr. Condon or Heather Turner prior to beginning their applications.

To make an appointment, contact Heather Turner at 852-1515 or Heather.Turner@louisville.edu.

Deadline for Campus Selection: November 9th

State Deadline: November 20th

For more information visit <http://www.esuus.org/kentucky/>

CRITICAL LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIP

The Critical Language Scholarship (CLS) is **open to all disciplines and any level**, and is a summer-only scholarship designed to provide students with the opportunity to study critical languages in countries of national security interest to the U.S. State Department.

The following languages are eligible for study:

- Azerbaijani, Bangla, Hindi, Indonesian, Korean, Punjabi, Swahili, Turkish, and Urdu: Beginning, advanced beginning, intermediate and advanced levels
- Arabic and Persian: Advanced beginning, intermediate and advanced levels
- Chinese, Japanese, and Russian: Intermediate and advanced levels



NOTE: You do NOT need our institutional endorsement to apply for this scholarship.

The application consists of a few short answer questions, and we are happy to help you edit and revise your answers.

National deadline: Wednesday, November 23rd, 2015

For more information visit <http://www.clscholarship.org>

NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

CHECK IT OUT!

This scholarship opportunity is new this year and it has a December deadline!

Schedule an appointment with Dr. Condon or Heather Turner before beginning your application.

ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Rotary District 6710 is pleased to announce that applications are now being accepted for two \$40,000 Global Grant Scholarships for graduate study during the 2016-17 academic year at a university outside North America. To be eligible for a Global Grant Scholarship, candidates must have residency in District 6710 (west of Lexington in Kentucky), present a plan of study and a career commitment that align with one of The Rotary Foundation's six humanitarian areas of focus (Peace and conflict prevention/resolution; Disease prevention and treatment; Water and sanitation; Maternal and child health; basic education and literacy; Economic and community development), be endorsed by a grant-qualified Rotary Club in District 6710, and provide a Letter of Acceptance (or a Letter of Affiliation) from the university where the scholar's study will take place.

National Deadline: December 15*

*The applicant must have already been approved by a sponsoring Rotary Club prior to that date.

For more info visit www.rotarydistrict6710.org

HEADS UP!

These scholarships have deadlines that are quickly approaching!

Interested students should schedule an appointment with Dr. Condon or Heather Turner to discuss them ASAP.

To do so contact Heather Turner at 852-1515 or heather.turner@louisville.edu

BARRY M. GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP

For students who demonstrate strong evidence of contributing to the technological advances of the United States. Current junior or exceptional sophomore students who are U.S. citizens, U.S. nationals, or resident aliens are eligible to apply. Applicants should be committed to a PhD in the **research fields of mathematics, sciences, or engineering**. Each scholar receives \$7,500 per year for undergraduate expenses.

National Deadline: January 22, 2016 • <http://www.act.org/goldwater/>

HARRY S. TRUMAN SCHOLARSHIP

One year funding for students pursuing graduate degrees in **public service fields**. U.S. citizen college juniors with a record of community service and a commitment to a career in public service are eligible. While many different majors eligible, competitiveness would depend upon how well candidates can show a larger impact of the work they intend to do. They will need to show a specific issue on which they want to work, as well as the impact they plan to have in that area. Public service includes government, uniformed services, public interest organizations, non-governmental research or educational organizations, public and private schools and other public service-oriented non-profit organizations. Each scholar receives \$30,000 towards graduate study.

National Deadline: February 2, 2016 • <http://truman.gov/>

NSEP BOREN SCHOLARSHIP

Open to freshmen through seniors for study in a non-western country. **U.S. citizens who study areas of the world critical to the future security of the United States** (including Africa, Asia, Central & Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America & the Caribbean, and the Middle East) are encouraged to apply. Each scholar receives up to \$20,000 for an academic year abroad.

National Deadline: February 9, 2016 • <http://truman.gov/>

CARNEGIE JUNIOR FELLOWS PROGRAM

Each year the endowment offers approximately 10-12 one-year fellowships to uniquely qualified graduating seniors and individuals who have graduated during the past academic year. They are selected from a pool of nominees from close to 400 participating colleges. Carnegie junior fellows work as research assistants to the endowment's senior associates. Those who have begun graduate studies are not eligible for consideration.

National Deadline: January 15, 2016 • <http://carnegieendowment.org/about/?fa=jrFellows>



FACULTY SPOTLIGHT



Dr. Jaffe presenting on his 2014 book, *The Year's Work* at the Zombie Research Center, at the Day of the Zombie last fall.

DR. AARON JAFFE

English Department

Director, Commonwealth Center for the

Humanities and Society

aaron.jaffe@louisville.edu

What are your primary areas of academic interest?

Modern and contemporary literature and criticism.

What Honors Seminars have you taught in the past?

Two on opposite topics - one on Intellectuals and one on zombies.

Spring 2005: **Intellectuals and Anti-intellectuals in the Modern World**

Spring 2012: **Brains, Literature, Culture, and Zombies**

What drew you to studying zombies?

They freak me out. They're everywhere. I wanted to understand more about them.

In your opinion what do current zombie stories say about our cultural climate?

Either that the pop-zeitgeist is a bit too apocalyptic for its own good right now or that people like gross stuff. Which may be the same thing.

What are some of your favorite zombie films?

Return of the Living Dead

Dead Snow

Pontypool

What's your favorite type of zombie?

One that's been decapitated.

I suppose, I like the slow-moving shamblers the best. The one in the medical gown stumbling up to the house in *Night of the Living Dead* is a classic.

What are your top five tracks for the zombie apocalypse?

Fela Kuti, "Zombi"

Mussorgsky, "Night on Bald Mountain"

Michael Jackson, "Thriller"

Motorhead, "Ace of Spades"

The Zombies, "Time of the Season"

Where would you go on campus during the zombie apocalypse?

I think the Overseers' Honors House belongs in a zombie film, but architecturally speaking the Interfaith Center is probably your best bet.

Added bonus: if there's just been a can drive.

What object in your office would you use to fight off the zombies if they came today?

I'd probably drop an Oxford English Dictionary, Compact Edition, on them. It weighs 12 pounds.



Dr. Jaffe (Right) being attacked by zombies at last year's Zombie Walk.



STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

HONORS STUDENT COUNCIL

S.P.E.W. SOCK DRIVE

Free House Elves! Donate socks! This drive is hosted by Honors Student Council and sponsored by the Society for the Promotion of Elfish Welfare (S.P.E.W.). Bring NEW socks to any of the drop off locations listed below and help a house elf today!

All sizes and varieties of socks are welcome. Collected donations will go to Salvation Army, Kentucky Refugee Ministries, and other local organizations that are in need of warm socks for the upcoming cold season.

Donations will be collected until October 23.

Donation locations: All residence halls, the Etscorn Honors Center, the Commuter Student Services Center (Davidson Hall, Room 105), and in the Baptist Center across from the SAC Ramp.



Free House Elves
DONATE SOCKS!

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INTEREST MEETING FOR BOOK AND MEDIA SALE COMMITTEE

This academic year, Honors Student Council is proud to announce its bi-annual Book and Media Sale, which will be held during the week of April 2, 2016! All proceeds from this sale will go directly to Camp Quality Kentuckiana to help give children living with cancer a chance to just be kids. In order to make this massive event happen, we need a large team of dedicated students with various skills. The BAMS committee will have four sub-committees: Advertising, Campus Outreach, Community Outreach and Item Management. Please come out to the interest meeting if you are interested in becoming a part of our team – any UofL student is welcome to join. Food will be provided if that eliminates any reservations you may have! **Also, please fill out the interest form in the following link by Friday, October 30:** <http://goo.gl/forms/3rZKUzi6pk> If you have any questions, feel free to email HonorsBAMS@gmail.com.

Monday, October 26

5:30 PM • Etscorn Honors Center Classroom

WHO ACTUALLY LISTENS TO THIS STUFF?

In preparation for the University of Louisville's Annual 2015 New Music Festival, this lecture will explore the wide range of aesthetics of modern classical art music as well as the aesthetics of pop music. We will be exploring questions regarding our own aesthetic views like "What counts as music/art?" "Can anyone quantify the value or worth of a musical composition?" "How has my own culture changed what I, as an individual, want to hear in 'good' music?" "How does Taylor Swift continue to dominate the pop charts if everyone claims to hate her and her music?" If you have ever felt unsure or insecure about how to respond to any music event, whether it was a rock concert or a symphony orchestra concert, this lecture will help gain insight into how to enjoy music of any time period, even when it's just sounds weird. Come ready to enjoy numerous musical recordings, discuss with fellow students, and maybe even hear a "world premiere" composition.

Thursday, October 29

7:00 PM • School of Music, Room 135



STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

CALL FOR BAMS DONATIONS

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In order to make this event happen, we need your help in the form of donations; we are happy to accept gently-used books, DVDs, CDs, records, and video games. Donations will be due no later than Friday, March 25th, 2016, and the sale itself will be held during the week of April 2nd, 2016. Honors Student Council wants to make this year's event even bigger and better than the last, and we can't do that without donations from you. If you wish to donate, drop off any acceptable items at one of our BAMS boxes (locations listed on right.) Thank you for your generosity in advance!

If you have any questions, feel free to email HonorsBAMS@gmail.com or visit our website, www.uoflhsc.com.



Help us fill Red Barn again!

FALL PARTY

Love Fall? Honors Student Council does, and we want to celebrate! All students are welcome to join us at our Fall Party on October 28 in the Threlkeld lobby. We will have fall foods, a Halloween movie showing and a zombie photobooth. Come out, turn into a zombie, and celebrate Fall with us!

Wednesday, October 28

6:00 - 9:30 PM

Threlkeld Lobby



Turn into a zombie at our Zombie photobooth!

TRIVIA NIGHT

Join us for a fun night of Trivia in the Game Room on the SAC 3rd floor! There will be Fazoli's, fun questions, and plenty of GREAT prizes - a movie package, Gift-CardTowne, and Jacked-o-Lanterns! All of the proceeds directly benefit Camp Quality Kentuckiana. Entry is \$5 for students, and \$10 for all others! For more information contact Troy Sterling: tester01@louisville.edu

Thursday, November 5

6:00 - 7:30 PM

SAC 3rd Floor Game Room

\$5 Students • \$10 General Public

WHAT WE NEED

Books
DVDs
CDs
Records
Video Games

WHERE TO DONATE

BAMS boxes are located in:

The Etscom Honors Center
Bingham Humanities Building
Shumaker Research Building
Student Activities Center
Life Sciences Building
The Interfaith Center
College of Business
Chemistry Building
School of Music
Duthie Center
Davidson Hall
Strickler Hall
Lutz Hall

DONATION DEADLINE

Friday, March 25th, 2016

REDTalks

Mark your calendars to join us for a night of speeches given by 5 of your favorite professors on topics of their choosing. It will allow for close student-faculty interaction, as well as provide a forum for interesting and stimulating ideas to be shared. A full list of professors, speeches, and the times of those speeches will be released in the next edition of *The Current*.

Thursday, November 12

6:00 - 9:00 PM

Chao Auditorium

HONORS VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

HVP COMMUNITY MEETING

Join Honors Volunteer Program for our next general community meeting! During this upcoming meeting, we'll be announcing the service theme for November, upcoming opportunities, and issues that are impacting our campus! We hope you'll all come out for free food, fun and conversation! Contact Danielle Deal with any questions: dndea101@louisville.edu

Tuesday, November 3

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Etscorn Honors Center Classroom

EVENT REVIEW: ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLUB

This past Saturday, Honors Volunteer Program (HVP) traveled to Iroquois Public Library and attended both an Iran Cultural Showcase and the English Conversation Club. The showcase featured a speaker who had moved to Louisville from Iran, who presented on Iranian culture, books, language, and landmarks. Several traditional Iranian dishes for attendees to taste were also provided.

The English Conversation Club is a weekly event in which members of the community whose first language is not English are encouraged to attend and meet with volunteers to improve or practice their language skills. It gave students the opportunity to meet a member of Louisville's large immigrant population, as well as learn more about their culture. Both events were fantastic, and allowed students a chance to experience cultures outside of their own. HVP hopes to return to the English Conversation Club soon!



Volunteer, Bridget Kim, works with the youngest English Conversation Club participant.

THE WHITE SQUIRREL

EVENT REVIEW: BROWN AND JACOBS READING

Two weeks ago, we hosted two poets—Nickole Brown and Jessica Jacobs—for our first on-campus reading. Students and faculty braced the rainy weather to welcome Nickole, a U of L Honors alumna, and her wife Jessica to campus. Before the event began, Brown and Jacobs talked with The White Squirrel editors, and they were genuinely excited to hear about the magazine and our own writing. The pair even stayed for the open mic that followed the reading, listening to student work and encouraging us to keep writing.

Jacobs read from her book *Pelvis with Distance*, which is a biography-in-poems of Georgia O'Keeffe. Displaying O'Keeffe's artwork as she read, Jacobs also talked about her trip to New Mexico to research her poetry. When Brown took the podium to read from her book *Fanny Says*, she started off with memories from her time at U of L. It was fun to hear about how she would sleep in the Honors Overseers House as an undergraduate. Her book of poems, which the back cover calls an "unleashed love letter" to her grandmother, was both humorous and insightful. We look forward to hosting more readings in the future!



Brown reading from *Fanny Says*

Article by Adeline Wilson



CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
			Travel Seminar Application Due by 4:00 (pg. 4)	Medical School Spotlight 5:30 PM (pg. 3)	Last day to donate to the SPEW sock drive (pg. 8)	
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
	Withdraw Deadline		Fall Party 6:00 PM (pg. 9)	Who Actually Listens to this Stuff? - Lecture 7:00 PM (pg. 8)	MASS Scholarship Deadline (pg. 3)	
	BAMS Committee Interest Meeting 5:30 PM (pg. 8)					

-  Office of National and International Scholarship Opportunities Deadlines and Important Dates
-  Honors Program Deadlines and Important Dates
-  The White Squirrel Events and Deadlines
-  Honors Student Council Events
-  Honors Volunteer Program Events
-  Academic Calendar Dates





FROM OUR FRIENDS

SCHOLARSHIPS

Red Barn Scholarships

Application Deadline:

Monday, November 30 by 5:00 PM

Could you use one of at least two \$1,700 and three \$500 scholarships to be awarded for the 2016 Spring Semester through the Red Barn? You can apply for these scholarships online through the link below, or hard copies can be picked up at the Red Barn, SAC W310, and in the lobby of the Financial Aid office. Applications are due by Monday, November 30 at 5pm to the Red Barn Programs Office (in the Red Barn) or by email to George Howe: gjhowe01@louisville.edu Please call or email George Howe with questions:

(502) 852-7467 • gjhowe01@louisville.edu

Application Link:

<http://louisville.edu/studentactivities/facilities/red-barn-1>

Book-in-Common Essay Contest

Deadline: Wednesday, December 2

Show us your best thinking! Participate in the critical thinking essay contest for this year's BinC, This I Believe. Submission deadline: Dec. 2. First-Year 1st place winner: \$350 award; and up to 3 Honorable Mention winners: \$100 award each! Details and essay guidelines are now available! For more information visit: <http://louisville.edu/firstyear/book-in-common/essay-contest>
Co-sponsored with Ideas to Action

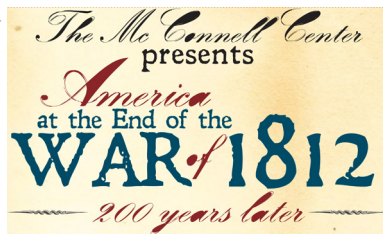
EVENTS

Facing West after the War of 1812

Tuesday, October 20 • 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Chao Auditorium, Ekstrom Library

The two decades that followed the War of 1812 witnessed the death and displacement of thousands of Native Americans in the United States. Join William Campbell, PhD, as he discusses the impact the end of the war had on numerous first peoples, colonizers and U.S. policy makers — and potential lessons that could be drawn as they relate to the ending of conflicts today.



For more information contact GlyptusAnn Grider Jones at g0grid01@louisville.edu

A&S All Stars Pre-Game - Homecoming Alumni Panel

Saturday, October 24 • 10:00 AM
Gheens Science Hall & Rausch Planetarium

A&S All Stars welcomes alumni speakers:

Stephen George, Mo McKnight and Myron Hardesty

as they discuss aspects of local economies and how going local is a healthy choice from many perspectives. Jeneen Wiche will moderate the discussion.



This talk is part of the A&S All Stars Series, a series of talks from Arts & Sciences professors that will precede home football games this fall. Join us for breakfast treats and coffee before tailgating!

Learn more about the alumni speakers and topic at <http://louisville.edu/artsandsciences/about/features/all/going-local>

Doctorate of Physical Therapy Panel

Wednesday, November 11

12:00 - 1:00 PM

University Club Library

Interested in becoming a Physical Therapist? Representatives from the DPT programs at Bellarmine University and University of Kentucky will be participating in a panel presentation. No matter where you are in your education, take this opportunity to learn about these two PT programs, ask questions about Physical Therapy admissions process and school experience, and make connections! You do not need to RSVP for this free event. We hope to see you at noon on November 18! For more information contact Annie Fitzpatrick: annie.fitzpatrick@louisville.edu

REACH Fall Festival

Thursday, October 29

10:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Strickler Lobby

Help us celebrate fall with free snacks, drinks and information about REACH resources and check out our door and pumpkin decorating contests! Visit reach.louisville.edu for more information.

FROM OUR FRIENDS

EVENTS CONTINUED

UofL Sustainability Week - A Sustainable Homecoming! October 19 - 25

A full week of events to celebrate & raise awareness in conjunction with Homecoming Week! Full Schedule & Details: <http://louisville.edu/sustainability/events.html>
Events include:

October 20 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM **Campus Arbor Day Observance, Tree Planting & Tree Tour**
SAC West Lawn

4:00 - 6:00 PM **Bike Maintenance Workshop**
Humanities Quad

October 21 9:00 AM **Reuse Roundtable**
Ekstrom Library Chao Auditorium

10:00 AM - 2:00 PM **Campus Sustainability Day Fair**
Humanities Quad

3:00 PM **Garden Commons Workshop & Workday**
Cultural Center

October 22 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM **Gray Street Farmer's Market**
Health Sciences Campus

12:30 - 2:00 PM **QRS Single-Stream Recycling Center Tour**
Meetup Location TBA

1:00 - 3:00 PM **UofL Free Store Open for Donations or Free "Shopping"**
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5:00 - 8:00 PM **Farm to Table Dinner**
The Ville Grill

October 24 7:00 AM - 12:00 PM **Green Tailgating - Game-Day Recycling Before the Homecoming Game**
Papa Johns Stadium, Green Lot

October 25 12:00 - 1:00 PM **UofL Community Volunteer Day**
200 Block of E. Bloom St.

GRE Prep Workshops

Dates, Times and Locations Vary

REACH is offering FREE GRE review sessions for UofL Students only! Review GRE test taking strategies and get advice from tutors who have scored well in the past. Call 852-8114 or email lrctutor@louisville.edu with questions.

October 21 5:00 - 6:00 PM **Quantitative Section**
Meeting in SK 111

November 6 12:00 - 1:30 PM **Introduction and Quantitative Section**
Meeting in SK 111

November 13 12:00 - 1:30 PM **Verbal and Analytical Writing Sections**
Meeting in SK 109B

Democracy and National Education Standards - Nicholas Tampio, Fordham University

Wednesday, October 28 • 6:00 PM
Gheens Science Hall & Rausch Planetarium



Nicholas Tampio is Associate Professor of Political Science at Fordham University. He is the author of *Deleuze's Political Vision* (Rowman & Littlefield, 2015) and *Kantian Courage* (Fordham University Press, 2012). Tampio is currently researching democracy and education policy and writing articles about education for outlets such as Al Jazeera America and JSTOR Daily. Engaging the insights of Dewey and James Madison, who envisioned a free society with many conceptions of good schools, he challenges the idea of national education standards from a democratic perspective. The talk sheds light on contemporary debates about the Common Core, the Next Generation Science Standards, and the National Curriculum Standards for Social Studies.

Learn more about Dr. Tampio and this event at <http://louisville.edu/cchs/cchs-distinguished-visiting-speakers>

MCAT Prep Workshops Mondays - See Dates Below 5:00 - 7:00 PM Strickler 111

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October 26 **Biological Foundations of Living Systems**

November 2 **Biochemical Foundations of Living Systems**

November 9 **Psychological, Social, and Biological Foundations of Behavior**

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OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

#VoiceofHope

Video Contest

Deadline: Tuesday, December 1

11:59 PM

The PEACC Center has a great opportunity for students to help spread awareness and to potentially win cash along the way. Kentucky Association of Sexual Assault Programs (KASAP) is having a video making contest that helps to highlight and inform college age students about the Crisis Hotlines in Kentucky. If this topic is important to you and you would like to bring better awareness to your campus, we strongly encourage you to make a video. There are cash prizes for first, second, and third place in each category. For more information visit KASAP.org
Contact Kaylin Wood with any questions: kawood09@louisville.edu

BCUP Singing Competition

The PEACC Center is looking for phenomenal singers to audition for our upcoming singing competition, the Belknap Voices Challenge (BCUP). The overall winner of the competition will receive \$1,000.00 and 2nd place will also get a cash prize. Auditions will be held over at the Cultural Center in a few weeks. Any interested student should email LaMont Johnson to schedule a tryout: LaMont.Johnson@louisville.edu

National Student Exchange

In the past few years, U of L students have used National Student Exchange (NSE) to study at colleges and universities in Florida, California, Arizona, Georgia, Alabama, New York, New Jersey, the Virgin Islands, and British Columbia. Where would you like to go? NSE allows you to study away at one of nearly 200 colleges and universities in the U.S., U.S. territories, and Canada— all while paying U of L tuition! You can access courses and programs not offered at U of L, scout out potential graduate schools and employment opportunities, and experience life in a different place. Application available upon request. Placements for the 2016-17 academic year will be made in early March, 2016. For more information, check out www.nse.org (click "Students" to access a list of schools) and contact Andrew Grubb at abgrub02@louisville.edu.

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