EVENTS CALENDAR

Fall 2006

Unless otherwise noted, all events are free, open to the public, and take place at 620 Library Place on the Evanston campus.

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October

9 **Monday, 4–5:30 p.m.**
Talk "Dimensions of Spiritual Insecurity in an Era of AIDS: Some Considerations from the South of Africa." Adam Ashforth, associate director, PAS.

12 **Thursday, 4–5:30 p.m.**
Talk "Love, Marriage, and HIV in Nigeria." Dan Smith, anthropology and population studies, Brown University.

13 **Friday, 1–2:30 p.m.**
Talk "Understanding the Crisis in Darfur: Structured Politics or Postmodern Chaos?" Leif Manger, Red Sea Area Studies Program, University of Bergen.

16 **Monday, 4–5:30 p.m.**
Talk "Management of a Resource-Dependent Economy and Political Change: Shifting Sands in Botswana." Amy Poteete, political science, Concordia University.

17 **Tuesday, 4 p.m.**
Lecture by John Evans Professor of Political Science and PAS Director Richard Joseph "Misgovernance and the African Predicament: Can the Code Be Broken?" McCormick Tribune Center Forum, 1870 Campus Drive, Evanston. Reception to follow. Sponsored by the Department of Political Science.

24 **Tuesday, 5–6:30 p.m.**
Talk "Imperial Blues: Wars in the Middle East/Axis of Hope in South America." Tariq Ali, editor, *New Left Review.* McCormick Tribune Forum, 1870 Campus Drive, Evanston.

25 **Monday, 7–9 p.m.**
Film *Paul Robeson: Here I Stand.* American Masters series documentary. University Library Forum Room, Evanston campus. Sponsored with the Othello Project of the Department of English.

31 **Tuesday, 4–5:30 p.m.**
Red Lion Seminar Title to be announced. Presenter: Bayo Holsey, African American Studies, Duke University. Mercury Café, 1505 West Chicago Avenue, Chicago.

November

1 **Wednesday, 5 p.m.**
Lecture by Nigerian Writer, Activist, and Nobel Laureate Wole Soyinka "Othello's Dominion, Immigrant Domain." Harris Hall 107, 1881 Sheridan Road, Evanston campus. Reception to follow. Sponsored by the Othello Project of the Department of English.

2–4 **Thursday–Saturday**
International Conference "Nigeria 2007: Political, Social, and Economic Transitions" Panel topics include Nigerian politics and literature, the Niger Delta crisis, private sector growth and poverty reduction, HIV/AIDS, democracy building and the 2007 elections, Islam and politics, strengthening higher education, and priorities for collaborative action. Keynote address by Wole Soyinka. For conference times and locations, go to www.northwestern.edu /african-studies.