

# Event Highlights

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Week of September 1, 2014

Chapel Hill Area

## On the Web

*Interesting TED Talk Videos on Fighting Corruption:  
Meet Global Corruption's Hidden Players*

Global Witness co-founder Charmian Gooch is the 2014 TED Prize winner. At her NGO she exposes how a global architecture of corruption is woven into the extraction and exploitation of natural resources.

[https://www.ted.com/talks/charmian\\_gooch\\_meet\\_global\\_corruption\\_s\\_hidden\\_players](https://www.ted.com/talks/charmian_gooch_meet_global_corruption_s_hidden_players)

*My wish: To launch a new era of openness in business,*

[https://www.ted.com/talks/charmian\\_gooch\\_my\\_wish\\_to\\_launch\\_a\\_new\\_era\\_of\\_openness\\_in\\_business](https://www.ted.com/talks/charmian_gooch_my_wish_to_launch_a_new_era_of_openness_in_business)

*How to Expose the Corrupt*

As a director of the World Bank in Nairobi, Peter Eigen saw firsthand how devastating corruption can be. He's founder of Transparency International, an NGO that works to persuade international companies not to bribe.

[https://www.ted.com/talks/peter\\_eigen\\_how\\_to\\_expose\\_the\\_corrupt](https://www.ted.com/talks/peter_eigen_how_to_expose_the_corrupt)

*Why Democracy Matters*

Rory Stewart, a perpetual pedestrian, a diplomat, an adventurer and an author — is the member of British Parliament for Penrith and the Border

[https://www.ted.com/talks/rory\\_stewart\\_how\\_to\\_rebuild\\_democracy](https://www.ted.com/talks/rory_stewart_how_to_rebuild_democracy)

## Talks Special Events

*Lecture: From North Carolina to South Korea*

It combines the multimedia performance art of Liz Magic Laser with the choreography of Wendy Osserman. The mother-daughter duo examines the studied gestures of politicians and the actual events shown on the news.

Thu, 9/4, 6:-7pm

Hanes Art Center, Rm 121, 115 S. Columbia St., CH

*Library Orientation*

*Fri, 9/5, 4-4:30pm at: Youth Services Area*

New to the library? Bring your family to a library orientation to learn about all the services we offer and where everything is! Registration required at: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1UvBg4KQb5uNvgcRgS00ZkJ6Aq5iwtGM8629x12LtlkA/viewform>

## English and American Culture

*The Southern Culture Movie: Looking for Ms. Locklear*

Two best friends and Internet comedians, Rhett & Link, embark on a search for the long-lost teacher of the first grade class. It leads them deep into the heart of an obscure tribe of Native Americans, the Lumbee of NC.

Thu, 9/4, 6:-8pm

FedEx Global Education Center, Nelson Mandela Auditorium, 301 Pittsboro Street, CH

## Local Tour

*Carrboro Famer's Market*

Wed, 3-6pm & Sat, 7am-12pm  
301 W Main St, Carrboro, NC 27510

*North Carolina Botanical Garden*

Weekdays, 8am-5pm; Sat, 9am-6pm; Sun, 1-6pm  
North Carolina Botanical Garden, 100 Old Mason Farm Rd, Chapel Hill

## Arts and Music

*The New Generation Project: Contemporizing the African American Art Song and Arranged Negro Spiritual.*

Fri, 9/5 & Sat, 9/6, 8-9:30pm

Kenan Music Building, Rehearsal Room, 125 South Columbia Street, CH

*Outdoor Live Music: (Entertainment for all ages)*

Thu, 9/4, 6-8pm, Weaver Street Market, 228 S. Churton Street, Hillsborough.

Sun, 9/7, 6-8pm, Southern Village Green, 650 Market Street Chapel Hill, NC, 27516

## Volunteer and Community Contribution

*Volunteering for Events*

<http://www.townofchapelhill.org/index.aspx?page=1415>

*Knitting for Charity*

A needlework group that meets to knit and crochet items for various charities.

Tue, 9/2, 1-2:30pm in Meeting Room A  
Chapel Hill Public Library, 100 Library Dr., CH

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Duke/Durham

## Talks and Special Events

*The Soviet Decline and Great Power Politics*  
UCLA Professor Marc Trachtenberg will discuss the shifting role of Russia and the former Soviet Union states in world affairs.  
Wed, 9/3, 4-5:30pm  
Sanford 223, Rhodes Conference Rm, West Campus

*Science at the Smithsonian - from the Giant Magellan Telescope to the Biodiversity of Myanmar*  
W. John Kress serves as Acting Under Secretary for Science at the Smithsonian.  
Fri, 9/5, 4:30-6:30pm  
Sanford 04, West Campus

## Research and Teaching Tools

*Introduction to ArcGIS*  
Wed, 9/3, 1-3pm  
Bostock Library 023, Duke West Campus  
Register at:  
<http://library.duke.edu/events/data/register.do?id=14773>

Using maps to ask questions & make change  
Fri, 9/5, 12-1pm  
LSRC D106, Duke West Campus  
Or watch online at  
<http://compsci.capture.duke.edu/Panopto/Pages/Viewer.aspx?id=c3ed2973-fc28-4f35-86dd-2389ec4afc4b>

## Local Tour

*Tasty Tuesdays Wine Tasting*  
Tue, 9/2, 5-7pm  
Pinot's Heirs, Wine Authorities, 2501 University Dr.

*Durham Farmer's Markets and Craft Market*  
Wed, 9/3, 3:30-6:30pm & Sat, 9/6, 8am-12pm  
The Pavilion at Durham Central Park, 501 Foster St.

## English and American Culture

*ESL at FBC*  
Wed, 9/3, 6-7:30pm  
First Baptist Church, 414 Cleveland Street, Durham

*International Conversation Café*  
Thu, 9/4, 12:30-1:30pm  
Bryan Center Griffith Board Room, West Campus

*How to purchase a pre-owned car*  
Thu, 9/4, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm  
International House, 300 Alexander Avenue, Durham

*Global Café*  
Fri, 9/5, 9:30-10:30am  
International House, 300 Alexander Avenue, Durham

## Arts and Music

*Film Screening: Nowhere to Call Home: A Tibetan in Beijing*  
Tue, 9/2, 7-9pm  
White 107 (White Lecture Hall), East Campus

*Film Screening: Gabrielle*  
Wed, 9/3, 7-8:50pm  
Bryan Center Griffith Film Theater, West Campus

*Outdoor Concerts (dates and locations vary):*  
Thu, 9/4, 6-9pm  
American Tobacco Campus Amphitheatre, 318 Blackwell St.  
Fri, 9/5, 7-9pm, Brightleaf Square, Gregson St. at Main St  
Sat, 9/6, 6-9pm  
Cinema Circle at The Streets at Southpoint, 6910 Fayetteville Rd.

*Nasher Museum: Free General Admission and Free Guided Tour*  
Thu, 9/4, at 6pm  
Nasher Museum of Art, 2001 Campus Drive

## Volunteer and Community Contribution

*Chinese Conversation Club*  
Tue, 9/2, 5-6pm  
International House, Duke Central Campus

*Duke Farm Workday*  
Thu, 9/4 & Sun, 9/7, 6-8pm  
4934 Friends School Rd., Durham 27705

*Church World Service Immigration and Refugee Program* Donate items (IN GOOD CONDITION) to 112 S. Duke Street, Suite 4B, Durham NC 27701 or call for a pickup.  
<http://cwsrdu.org/contact-us/>

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