

Event Highlights

A list of Duke and local events relevant to visiting scholars. *Events are free and open to Duke community or to the public. **No registration is required unless noted otherwise. ***Some events are kids and family friendly.

Week of September 15, 2014

Chapel Hill Area

On the Web - Visual and Data Journalism

On Data Visualization

A lecture delivered by Amanda Cox, Graphics Editor at the New York Times.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XH-F9jV7EuE>

The beauty of data visualization

http://www.ted.com/talks/david_mccandless_the_beauty_of_data_visualization?language=en

Data Journalism Handbook - Using visualizations to Tell Stories

http://datajournalismhandbook.org/1.0/en/delivering_data_4.html

The State of Exclusion: Community Exclusion and the Inclusion Project in North Carolina

Tim Stallman, a local geographer and mapping expert, collected the bulk of the data and created many of the maps used in this report.

<http://www.uncinclusionproject.org/documents/stateofexclusion.pdf>

Talks and Special Events

Tell About the South: The Work and Mission of the Center for Civil Rights

Ted Shaw, Director of UNC's center for civil rights

Tue, 9/16, 12:30-1:30pm

Please RSVP at

pathorn@unc.edu

Constitution Day Talk: Providing for the Common Defense without Compromising Privacy and Civil Liberties

David Medine, chairman of the U.S. Privacy and Civil Liberties Oversight Board

Wed, 9/17, 12-1pm

Van Hecke-Wettach Hall, Law School Rotunda, UNC, 160 Ridge Road, Chapel Hill,

Romance and Reality in the Deep South's Mythical Mission Past

David Thomas, Curator of Anthropology at the American Museum of Natural History

Thu, 9/18, 4:30-5:30pm

Wilson Library, Pleasants Family Assembly Room, 201 South Road, Chapel Hill

MASCULINITY, SEXUAL VIOLENCE, AND ETHNICITY IN THE 1990s BALKAN WARS AND BEYOND

Dubravka Zarkov, Associate Professor, Institute of Social Studies

Thu, 9/18, 6-8pm

FedEx Global Education Center, Rm 4003, 301 Pittsboro

St., CH

At the Corner of Exotic & Ordinary: Travels in India & Bhutan

Libby Chenault, the West European Librarian and Global Resources and Area Studies Section head at UNC's Davis Library

Fri, 9/19, 12-1 pm, Davis Library 214, UNC

English and American Culture

Film Screening: "Blow Up" (Michelangelo Antonioni, UK/Italy, 1966)

Tue, 9/16, 7-9pm

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

Author Laird Hunt and the historical novel Neverhome

Tue, 9/16, 7-8pm

Fyleaf Books, 752 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd, Chapel

Local Tour

Fact and Folklore of East Franklin Street Waling Tour (\$5 per person)

Wed 9/17 2-3pm

610 East Rosemary Street, Chapel Hill

Starts from the Horace Williams House. Explore beautiful Franklin Street and learn about how the village of Chapel Hill and the University of North Carolina Free parking is available.

Bartram's Plants Walk

Sat, 9/20, 10-11am

NC Botanical Garden, NC Botanical Garden Education Center, 100 Old Mason Farm Rd, CH

Register at:

https://reg.abcsignup.com/reg/event_page.aspx?ek=0005-0014-c8076a7cef06420e9d95f9861b38c16c

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, 9/16, 1-2:30pm in Meeting Room A

Chapel Hill Public Library, 100 Library Dr., CH

Social Science Workshop for Chinese Scholars

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Durham

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Science in the Service of Beauty During the Golden Age of Brazilian Soccer (1958-1970)

Roger Kittleson, History Professor, Williams College
Wed, 9/17, 4-5:30pm
Smith Warehouse, Bay 4, C105, Duke Campus

Wiki Surveys

Matthew Salganik, Professor, Princeton University
Thu, 9/18, 3:30-5pm
Gross Hall 103, West Campus
Webcast:
<https://dupri.duke.edu/>

Panel on China and Environment

Multiple experts from different universities will discuss China's environmental issues
Fri, 9/19, 9-11:30am
Field Auditorium, Environment Hall, West Campus

The Argentine Experience and the Emergence of a Universal Right to Truth

Juan E. Méndez, Human rights lawyer, activist, and scholar
Fri, 9/19, 12-1:30pm
Smith Warehouse, Bay 4, C105, Duke Campus
Free lunch provided. Please RSVP to
Emily.stewart@duke.edu by Thursday, 9/18 at 12 p.m.

Founders' Day Convocation

Fri, 9/19, 5:30-6:30pm
Immediately following the convocation, President Brodhead will host a reception for all attendees
Duke Chapel, West Campus

Research and Teaching Tools

Analysis with R

Tue, 9/16, 1-3pm
Bostock Library 023, Duke West Campus
Register at:
<http://library.duke.edu/events/data/register.do?id=14797>

Quantitative Analysis for Novice Researchers

Wed, 9/17, 2-4pm
SSRI-Gross Hall 230C, West Campus
Register at:
https://duke.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV_e8KZbStc5seDaaV

Data Wrangling with Google Refine

Wed, 9/17, 3-4:30pm

Register at:
<http://library.duke.edu/events/data/register.do?id=14845>

English and American Culture

English Conversation Club

Mon, 9/15, 5-6pm
International House, 300 Alexander Avenue

Online Resources for English Language Learners

Wed, 9/17, 2-3pm
Perkins Library 118, West Campus
sign up at
<http://tinyurl.com/8mp7bvh>

ESL at FBC

Wed, 9/17, 6-7:30pm
First Baptist Church, 414 Cleveland Street, Durham

International Conversation Café

Thu, 9/18, 12:30-1:30pm
Bryan Center Griffith Board Room, West Campus

Global Café

Fri, 9/19, 9:30-10:30am
International House, 300 Alexander Avenue

Arts and Music

Art with the Experts

Kristine Stiles, Duke Professor and guest curator
Mon, 9/15, 7-8:30pm
Main Branch of the Durham County Library, 300 N. Roxboro Street, Durham, North Carolina 27701

French Film Festival--"The officers' ward"

Mon, 9/15, at 7:30-9:50pm
Bryan Center Griffith Film Theater, West Campus

Volunteer and Community Contribution

Chinese Club

Tue, 9/16, 5-6pm
International House, 300 Alexander Avenue

Duke Farm Workday

Thu, 9/11 & Sun, 9/14, 6-8pm
Email dukecampusfarm@gmail.com if you need a ride at least 24 hours in advance.
4934 Friends School Rd., Durham 27705

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