Center for African Studies
FALL 2017 Events

August
22 Islam in Africa: Hassan Muhammed Kawo, Addis Ababa University. The Nature of the Islamic Literary Heritage in Ethiopia: Arabic and Ajami Texts. 11:45 in 471 Grinter
24 NRM in Africa: Nyeema Harris, University of Michigan. Socio-ecological Implications of Dynamics in the Conservation Estate. 12:45 in 471 GRI

September
14 NRM in Africa: Pedro Sanchez, University of Florida. Soil Science and Agriculture in the Tropics. 12:45 in 471 GRI
20 SASA: Werede Haqos, University of Florida. Colonial Architectures and Archaeological Sites: Assessing the Selection of Tangible Heritage Sites in Eritrea. 11:45 in 471 Grinter
22 Baraza: Samuel Nyamuame, Binghampton University. Traditional Music in Ghanaian Churches: Transformations and Problems. 3:30 in 404 GRI
23 CAS Fall Reception: 7-10pm in Ustler Hall
25 Social Change & Development symposium: Revisiting Partnership for Development in Africa. 9am in 404 GRI
29 Baraza: Jacob Dlamini, Princeton University. Safari Nation: A Transnational History of the Kruger National Park. 3:30 in 404 GRI

October
9 Social Change & Development: Max Gelber, University of Florida. Mapping the Shark Value Chain in Ghana: Past Lessons, Present Challenges, and Future Opportunities. 12:45 in 471 GRI
13 Baraza: Jeffrey Paller, University of San Francisco. Everyday Urban Politics: Leadership and Civic Life in Ghana. 3:30 in 404 GRI
18 SASA: Felicity Tackey-Otoo, University of Florida. The Viability of Low Cost Housing in Ghana: The Redevelopment of Tema. 11:45 in 471 GRI
20 Dist. Lecture in African Archaeology: Christopher DeCorse, Syracuse University. European Forts, African Landscapes: Assessing Impacts of the Atlantic Slave Trade on W. African Societies. 3:30 in 404 GRI
27 Baraza: Rebecca Hardin, University of Michigan. Elemental Design, Environmental Health and Sustainable Technology at Gabon’s Schweitzer Hospital. 3:30 in 404 GRI

November
3 Baraza: Elisabeth Efua Sutherland, Accra Theatre Workshop. Deverb: Echo Chambers and Common Things Made Holy in Akan Society. 3:30 in 404 GRI
8 SASA: Jessica Casimir, University of Florida. The Impact of Social Support Groups among Elderly Caretakers of HIV-Affected Orphans in KwaZulu-Natal. 11:45 in 471 GRI
17 African Studies Association annual meeting (Chicago)
29 SASA: Fezile Mtsetfwa, University of Florida. Determining Areas of Savanna Conservation Importance in the Face of Climate Change. 11:45 in 471 GRI

December
1 Baraza: Elizabeth DeVos, University of Florida. Emergency Medicine in Africa: Building Systems to Meet Sustainable Development Goals. 3:30 in 404 GRI