Center for African Studies  
Fall 2007 Events

August
24  Grad student welcome reception. 3:30pm – 427 Grinter
31  Baraza: Samuel Asante, University of Ghana. Implementing the African Peer Review Mechanism (APRM) in Ghana: Lessons of Experience. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter

September
7   Baraza: Beatrice Selotlegeng, Ohio University. The African Business Environment: Success Stories. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
12  SASA Lunch: Patricia Mupeta, University of Florida. Community Governance in CBNRM: Preliminary Findings from East Caprivi, Namibia and Chobe Enclave, Botswana. 11:45am – 471 Grinter
14  Baraza: Edna Bay, Emory University. Asen and Ancestors in Contemporary Benin: Toward a Biography of an African Art Form. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
19  Modern African Cinema Series: La vie sur terre. 7pm - Alachua County HQ Library
21  Baraza: Jeremy Levitt, Florida International University. Illegal Peace? An Inquiry into the Legality of Power-sharing with African Warlords and Rebels. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
28  Baraza: Josephine Beoku-Betts, Florida Atlantic University. Science and Technology for the People: African Women Scientists and the Production of Knowledge. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter

October
5   Baraza: Amb. Henri Lopes, Republic of the Congo. Title TBA. 3:30pm – 219 Dauer
6   Fall Welcome Party. 7pm – Keene Faculty Center
12  Baraza: Jill Sonke-Henderson, University of Florida. AIM for Africa: Bringing the Arts and Culture to Biomedical Healthcare in Kenya and Gambia. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
17  Modern African Cinema Series: Karmen Gei. 7pm - Alachua County HQ Library
18-21 African Studies Association meeting - NYC
24  SASA Lunch: Joseph Kraus, University of Florida. Big Oil and Corporate Social Responsibility in Equatorial Guinea. 11:45am – 471 Grinter
26  Baraza: John Picton, University of London. On Masquerade and the Modern World in the Visual Arts of Africa. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
31  SASA Lunch: Carol Thompson, Northern Arizona University. Sustainability: Environmental Policy Lessons from Africa. 11:45am – 471 Grinter

November
7   SASA Lunch: Graduate Student Roundtable – Lessons from Fieldwork Experiences. 11:45am – 471 Grinter
9   Baraza: Catherine Robins, University of Florida. The ABCs of Uganda’s AIDS Success Story: Behavioral Change or Declining Epidemic? 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
14  SASA Lunch: Graduate Student Workshop – Employment Opportunities Outside Academe. 11:45am – 471 Grinter
16  Baraza: Paul Leslie, University of North Carolina. Title TBA. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter
28  Modern African Cinema Series: Finzan. 7pm - Alachua County HQ Library
30  Baraza: John Hyslop, University of the Witwatersrand. Gandhi, Mandela and the African Modern: Cosmopolitanism and Nationalisms in Johannesburg. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter

December
5   SASA Lunch: Jean-Gael Collomb, University of Florida. CBNRM: a Quality of Life Perspective from Caprivi, Namibia. 11:45am – 471 Grinter
7   Baraza: Daniel Wubah, University of Florida. Enhancing Undergraduate Global Training through International Research Experiences in sub-Saharan Africa. 3:30pm - 471 Grinter

Upcoming in 2008...

January
24-26 Southeast Africanist Network (SEAN) meeting: Africa and the Americas: Cultural Representations and Social Movements. Kennesaw State University

February
15-16 Carter Lectures in African Studies: Migrations In and Out of Africa: Old Patterns and New Perspectives. Reitz Union