Center for African Studies
Spring 2018 Events

January
12 Baraza: Randall Cantrell, University of Florida. *Housing and Community Development in Niger: Young People’s Hope for their Present and Future.* 3:30 in 404 GRI

February
1 NRM Africa; Sam Ferreira, South Africa National Parks. *A Collage of Goliath Teachings: What Do Elephants and Rhinos Tell Us about Ourselves?* 12:45 in 471 GRI
2 Baraza: Trevor Orchard, University of Pittsburgh. *Type 1 Diabetes in Rwanda: Challenges, Progress, and More Challenges.* 3:30 in 404 GRI

March
1 Health Africa symposium: *Livestock, Sanitation, Hygiene, and Child Growth: Exploring the Complex Underlying Causes of Child Stunting.* 9am in 404 Griner
1 NRM Africa: Catherine O’Reilly, Illinois State University. *Integrating Natural and Social Science to Improve Conservation and Fisheries Management on Lake Tanganyika.* 12:45 in 471 GRI
2 Baraza: Fallou Ngom, Boston University. *The Odyssey of Ajami in Muslim Africa.* 3:30 in 404 GRI
16 Baraza: Chipo Dendere, Amherst College. *Political Transitions in the Digital Age: Did Social Media Make Zimbabwe’s Coup into a Non-coup?* 3:30 in 404 GRI
29 NRM Africa: Marjatta Ellita, University of Florida. *The Innovation Lab for Livestock: Engaging Stakeholders in Target Countries.* 12:45 in 471 GRI
30 Baraza: Ann Wainscott, Saint Louis University. *Bureaucratizing Islam: Morocco and the War on Terror.* 3:30 in 404 GRI

April
5 China Africa symposium: *China’s Belt and Road Initiative in Africa: Political, Social, and Economic Impacts on African Development.* 9am in 404 GRI
6 Baraza: Liu Haifang, Peking University. *China’s Belt and Road Initiative in Africa.* 3:30 in 404 GRI
11 Text/Image Africa: Grace Musila, Stellenbosch University. *Desire and Freedom in Yvonne Vera’s Fiction.* 3pm in 404 GRI
20 Baraza: Peter Alegi, Michigan State University. *Shaka’s Progeny: Youth Soccer, Masculinity, and Community Development in KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa.* 3:30 in 404 GRI