

Center for African Studies Fall 2020 Events

September

- 10 **CAS Working Groups:** *Intro session - Research Opportunities for UF Students.* **12:45pm**
- 11 **Baraza:** Matingai Sirleaf, University of Maryland. *Africa, COVID-19, and Responsibility.* **3:30pm**
- 15 **Islam | Africa:** Macodou Fall, UF. *Mediating Bamba: Qasida Exegesis in the Age of New Media.* **11:45am**
- 18 **Baraza:** Philip Janzen, UF. *Reforming, Deforming, Unforming: Poetry and Geography in Atlantic World History.* **3:30pm**
- 22 **Mixing Disciplines:** *Conversation – Concepts and Careers.* **7:00pm**
- 23 **SASA:** Felicien Maisha, UF. *Manhood and Masculinity among Biboko Men during COVID-19 Lockdown in Goma, Democratic Republic of Congo.* **11:45am**
- 25 **Baraza:** Susan Cooksey, UF. *Agents of Change: Metal Arts and Artists in sub-Saharan Africa.* **3:30pm**
- 28 **Social Change | Development:** Sarah Staub, UF. *Artemisia annua and COVID-19.* **12:50pm**

October

- 2 **Health | Africa:** Abebe Bekele, University of Global Health Equity. *Surgical Education and Evaluation in Sub-Saharan Africa.* **Time TBA**
- 5 **Institutions | State:** Renata Serra, UF. *Do Stakeholder Meetings Make a Difference? Preliminary Findings from a Pilot Project in Rwanda.* **3:00pm**
- 6 **Islam | Africa:** Terje Ostebo, UF. *Ethiopia and Saudi Arabia: Between Proximity and Distance.* **11:45am**
- 6 **Mixing Disciplines:** *Roundtable – “Fieldwork” across Disciplines.* **7:00pm**
- 7 **Health | Africa:** *Innovations – Creative Responses to Public Health Problems.* **3:00pm**
- 8 **Natural Resource Management | Africa:** *Seminar - Food Production and Sustainable Savannas.* **11:45am**
- 9 **Luce Foundation workshop:** *Islam, Media, and Popular Culture in Africa and Elsewhere.* **10:00am**
- 9 **Baraza:** Abdalla Adamu, Bayero University. *Inclusive Rapport: Islam, Language and Identity in Nigeriène and Nigerian Hausa Hip-Hop.* **3:30pm**
- 12 **Social Change | Development:** Marit Ostebo, UF. *Stumbling over Artificial Intelligence while Tracing COVID-19 in Ethiopia.* **12:50pm**
- 14 **SASA:** Megan Cogburn, UF. *Go to Chigonela! Developing Bodies and Care at a Tanzanian Maternity Waiting Home.* **11:45am**
- 16 **Baraza:** SM Rodriguez, Hofstra University. *Imagining Transformative Justice in African LGBTI Politics.* **3:30pm**
- 20 **Mixing Disciplines:** *Workshop – Writing Dissertation Grant Proposals.* **7:00pm**
- 22-23 **Achebe | Baldwin @ 40:** *Interrogate and Commemorate.* **Schedule TBA**
- 26 **Social Change | Development:** *New Project Directions: Opioid Scarcity in Sub-Saharan Africa.* **12:50pm**
- 30 **Baraza:** Paul Landau, University of Maryland. *Operation Mayibuye and the Limits of the Political Imagination.* **3:30pm**

November

- 2 **Institutions | State:** Sebastian Elischer, UF. *Post-military Coup Protest and its Consequences. Findings from Guinea and Côte d'Ivoire.* **3:00pm**
- 4 **Health | Africa:** *Partnership and Leadership – Building Successful Teams.* **3:00pm**
- 4 **Mixing Disciplines:** *Post-election Results: Perspectives via Africa, USA, and Black Lives Everywhere.* **7:00pm**
- 10 **Islam | Africa:** Deng Zheyuan, UF. *A Historical Anthropology of Islamic Law in Colonial Ilorin.* **11:45am**
- 12 **Natural Resource Management | Africa:** *Seminar - Wildlife, Livestock, and Sustainable Savannas.* **11:45am**
- 13 **Baraza:** Adrienne Strong, UF. *Documenting Death: Maternal Mortality & the Ethics of Care in Tanzania.* **3:30pm**
- 16 **Social Change | Development:** Eric Coker, UF. *Facilitating Behaviors to Reduce Household Air Pollution using an IoT-enabled Mobile Air Pollution Feedback App.* **12:50pm**
- 17 **Mixing Disciplines:** Kopano Ratele, University of South Africa. *Orienting Frames: New Thoughts on (African) Psychologies.* **11:00am**
- 18 **SASA:** Elizabeth Carey, UF. *Lines in the Sand: Precarious Property on Ghana's Eroding Coast.* **11:45am**

December

- 1 **Islam | Africa:** Ousseina Alidou, Rutgers University. *COVID-19, Hausa Muslim Poetic Narratives, Compassion, and Resistance.* **11:45am**
- 1 **Mixing Disciplines:** *Workshop - Critiquing and Revising Dissertation Chapters.* **7:00pm**
- 4 **Baraza:** Adib Bencherif, UF. *Tuareg Women in the Northern Malian Conflict: Ambivalence and Layers of Symbolic Violence.* **3:30pm**
- 7 **Social Change | Development:** Megan Cogburn, UF. *Maternal Health Indicators in the Community.* **12:50pm**
- 9 **Health | Africa:** *Careers – Networking, Planning, Publishing.* **3:00pm**
- 10-11 **Gwendolen M. Carter Conference:** *Shifting Momentum in African Agriculture through Research & Technologies: Improving Resiliency, Livelihoods, and Nutrition.* **Schedule TBA**
- 15 **Mixing Disciplines:** *Roundtable – Methods (Used) and Monies (Sought).* **7:00pm**