



Jan. 27

12- 1:30 p.m. | CALIFORNIA ROOM

“An American Genocide: The United States and the California Indian Catastrophe, 1846-1873”

BENJAMIN MADLEY, *Assistant Professor, History, UCLA*

*Event Contact: dtorres-rouff@ucmerced.

Feb. 3

1:30 p.m. | COB II 290

MERCED SEMINAR IN THE HUMANITIES :

“Surfing and Aquatic Blood Sports in Africa and Hawai’i: Redefining Race and White Womanhood”

KEVIN DAWSON, *Assistant Professor of History, UC Merced*

Feb. 10- March. 3

Fridays: 7:00 p.m. | COB II 130

10TH ANNUAL HUMAN RIGHTS FILM FESTIVAL

*Event Contact: nhatton@ucmerced.edu

Feb. 17

1:30 p.m. | COB II 290

MERCED SEMINAR IN THE HUMANITIES :

“Human Responses to Climatic Stress”

HOLLEY MOYES, *Associate Professor of Anthropology, UC Merced*

March. 3

1:30 p.m. | COB II 290

MERCED SEMINAR IN THE HUMANITIES :

“The Indus Basin as a Garden: Further Explorations in the Punjab”

JAMES WESTCOAT, *Aga Khan Professor, Department of Architecture, Center for Advanced Urbanism, Massachusetts Institute of Technology*

March. 11

9 a.m. - 2 p.m. | UC Merced Vernal Pools and Grassland Reserve

WATERSHED ART + SCIENCE: A VERNAL POOLS RESERVE ADVENTURE

FREE lunch included; RSVP required
* Event Contact: kdewolff@ucmerced.edu

March. 17

1:30 p.m. | COB II 290

MERCED SEMINAR IN THE HUMANITIES :

“Epitaph for a River: Re-Imagining the Stanislaus”

CHRISTOPHER CASKEY, *Graduate Student, Interdisciplinary Humanities, UC Merced*

March. 18

ALL DAY | COB 102

CONFERENCE :

Queer Citizenship and Vulnerability: Beyond Carnality, Against Criminalization and Towards Living - Well

Keynote: Eden Wales-Freedman

*Event Contact: gendersexualityqueertheory.ucm@gmail.com

March. 22

8:30- 4:00 p.m. | CALIFORNIA ROOM

2ND ANNUAL RURAL JUSTICE SUMMIT

*Event Contact: msifuentez@ucmerced.edu

April. 7-8

ALL DAY | CALIFORNIA ROOM

CONFERENCE:

Water: Ways of Knowing and Being

Keynote: Veronica Strang

April. 14

ALL DAY | COB II 392

OPED PROJECT WORKSHOP

“Write to Change the World”

*Faculty can apply online by Feb. 1 at <http://tinyurl.com/OpEdProjectUC>

April. 21

1:30 p.m. | COB II 290

MERCED SEMINAR IN THE HUMANITIES :

“Water, War and Empire: Refugee Bodies at Sea”

VIOLET BARTON, *Graduate Student, Interdisciplinary Humanities, UC Merced*

April. 22

ALL DAY

INTERDISCIPLINARY HUMANITIES GRADUTE STUDENT CONFERENCE:

The Stories We Tell: Forceful Discourse and the Veracity of Narrative(s)

Keynotes: Judith Butler & Keisha Khan Y. Perry
*Event Contact: mshaw4@ucmerced.edu



April. 22 & 23

LOWER RIVER AMPHITHEATER, YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK

SHAKESPEARE IN YOSEMITE

May. 4

ALL DAY | COB II 392

CAPACITY BUILDING WORKSHOP:

“How to Write an Article in 12 Weeks”

WENDY L. BELCHER, *Associate Professor of African Literature, Princeton University*

*Advance Registration Required; Contact: humanities@ucmerced.edu

May. 5

1:30 p.m. | COB II 290

MERCED SEMINAR IN THE HUMANITIES :

“Canoes, Estuaries, and Islands: Reimagining Malolos (Bulacan, Philippines) in the Context of Nationalism, Climate Change and Urbanization”

KALE FAJARDO, *Associate Professor of American Studies + Asian American Studies, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities*

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