Women's Art, Women's Vision: Celebrating Women's History in Words and Images

St. Mary's University Calendar of Events

March 2008

Women's History Month

Events

- Women's Art, Women's Vision: Celebrating Women's History in Words and Images
- Louis J. Blume Library Display
- Reading/Discussion Group
  - Will meet to discuss Elizabeth A. Johnson's Truly Our Sister: A Theology of Mary in the Communion of Saints. Group(s) will meet 3 times, beginning March 4 to discuss 3 ageable readings selections from Johnson's book, prior to her March 26th presentation.
  - Contact Rey Gustamente, rgustamente@stmarytx.edu or 436-3785 for more information.

Women's History Month Committee Members

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Women's History Month (WHM) Committee: Partners & Sponsors

- Departments of Computer Science, Counseling and Human Services, English & Communications, History, Languages, Philosophy, Political Science, Teacher Education, Art Program, Women's Studies Program, Academic Affairs, Vice President, Alumni Relations, Campus Activities, Faculty Senate, Graduate School, Law School, Louis J. Blume Library, Dr. Anthony J. Kaufmann, Dr. Bahman Rezaie, Meadows Center for Entrepreneurial Studies, Mission & Identity Vice President, Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social (MALCS), Pi Sigma Alpha, Alpha Gamma Delta, Mu Sigma Upsilon

- Events are free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted. For more information about individual events, see St. Mary's University’s Calendar at: http://www.stmarytx.edu/calendar/

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WOMEN IN ISLAM  
• Wed. 2/27; 11:20am-12:10pm; UC-A  
• Panelists Sarwat Husain and Uzma Zafarullah will consider the myths and realities of the role of women in Islam. The panel is part of the spring President’s Peace Commission program, “The Muslim World.”  
• Organization: President’s Peace Commission  

SERVICE DAY  
• Sat. 3/1; 11am-2pm; Seton Home  
• Clean, paint and organize donations at Seton Home (off-campus).  
• Organizations: Service Learning Center; Residence Life  

CELEBRATING OUR HSS WOMEN FACULTY AUTHORS OF 2008  
• Mon. 3/3; 2:30-4pm; UC-B  
• Presentation & Reception celebrating new books: Eva Bueno’s Encyclopedia on Latin American Women Writers; Sonia García’s Políticas: Latina Public Officials in Texas; Teresa Van Hoy’s A Social History of Mexico’s Railroads: Peons, Prisoners, and Priests  
• Organization: School of Humanities & Social Sciences  

Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social (MALCS) Forum: Gender & Race in the U.S. Presidential Primaries  
• Mon. 3/3; 6-8pm; UC-A  
• Panel Presentation and Discussion  
• Organizations: Women’s Studies Program; Mujeres Activas en Letras y Cambio Social (MALCS)  

ALICE WRIGHT FRANZKE FEMINIST AWARD LUNCHEON  
• Wed. 3/5; 12:15-1:45pm; Sarita Kenedy East Law Library, Alumni Room  
• By invitation; luncheon & award ceremony  
• Award Recipients: TBA  

ALMA L. LOPEZ WOMAN IN LAW STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD & RECEPTION  
• Wed. 3/5; 3:45pm; Sarita Kenedy East Law Library, Alumni Room  
• Public reception including remarks from Chief Justice Alma Lopez and announcement of award recipients  
• Organization: School of Law  

AUDREY BRIANS ART EXHIBIT OPENING  
• Wed. 3/5; 4-5:30pm; Blume Library art exhibit area  
• Architect, artist and author Audrey Brians will discuss her artwork and read a selection from her proposed novel. Exhibit on display 3/1-3/26.  
• Organizations: Art Program; Louis J. Blume Library  

17TH ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL WOMEN’S DAY MARCH (CITYWIDE EVENT)  
• Sat. 3/8, 9am: meet at the flagpoles near St. Louis Hall; March begins at 10am  
• March from Travis Park to Plaza del Zacate (Milam Park) in downtown San Antonio  
• Organizations: Pi Sigma Alpha; Campus Activities  

BATTLE OF THE SEXES  
• Mon. 3/17, 4:30-5:30pm; Java City Amphitheater  
• Will the Women or the Men win this gender-challenging face off? Join us to find out! Refreshments provided.  
• Organizations: Pi Sigma Alpha; Campus Activities  

BOOK CLUB DISCUSS Stone Heart: A NOVEL of SacaJaweA by Diane Glancy  
• Tues. 3/18, 3:30-4:30pm; Charles Francis 007 (Conference Room)  
• Book discussion open to all. Refreshments provided by WHM Committee.  

IMAGES OF WOMEN: POETRY READING  
• Wed. 3/19, 4-5pm; Java City Amphitheater (rain location: UC-B)  
• Local poets read from their work. Cookies & coffee provided by WHM Committee.  

BLESSING OF WOMEN AT ST. MARY’S UNIVERSITY  
• Tues. 3/25, 9:15-9:45am, At Statue of Mary on the Quad  
• All female community members are encouraged to attend this blessing. The group that attends will have a group photo taken. Breakfast tacos & juice provided.  

WOMEN MEETING THE CHALLENGES OF WAR WITH HOPE AND COURAGE  
• Tues. 3/25, 4:30-6pm; Louis J. Blume Library, Media Viewing Room  
• Panel presentation and discussion by women with personal and research experience coping with military engagement.  
• Organization: Department of Counseling and Human Services  

“The Less Noble Sex”: Tracing the Concept of Woman  
• Wed. 3/26, 11:20am-12:10pm; Louis J. Blume Library, Media Viewing Room  
• Presentation by Critical Inquiry in Sex & Gender (PL4336) students exploring religious, philosophical, and scientific views of women throughout history.  
• Organization: Department of Philosophy  

THE QUEST FOR THE HISTORICAL MARY  
• Wed. 3/26, 7pm; Guadalupe Chapel  
• Catholic Intellectual Tradition presentation by Sr. Elizabeth A. Johnson, PhD  
• Organization: Mission & Identity Vice President  

FORUM ON ENTREPRENEURSHIP BREAKFAST SERIES WITH JEANIE WYATT  
• Thurs. 3/27, 7-9am; Pearl Stable at the historic Pearl Brewery (off-campus)  

• Breakfast with Jeanie Wyatt, Founder & Chief Investment Officer, South Texas Money Management Ltd.; $30 per person; contact (210) 436-3124 for more information  
• Organization: Meadows Center for Entrepreneurial Studies  

FICTION AND FRIENDSHIP  
• Thur. 3/27, 2-3:15pm; Treadaway 381  
• Five local women writers read from and discuss their fiction projects  
• Organization: Department of English & Communication Studies  

Komen San Antonio Race for the Cure  
• Sat. 3/29, 7:45am; Alamodome (use of VIA Park & Ride strongly encouraged!) (off-campus event)  
• Join other participants from St. Mary’s! Register prior to 3/7 to receive a T-Shirt at http://rfcsa.convio.net/goto/Rattlers  

CAN WE TALK?  
• Mon. 3/31, 5pm; AT&T Center (One AT&T Center, off-campus)  
• Network with representatives from more than 60 local women’s organizations, dinner, and program. $35 early bird price, $45 at the door, includes May 20 Silver Stars game ticket. Contact can_we_talk_sa@yahoo.com for more information.  
• Hosted by San Antonio Silver Stars  

Políticas: Latina Public Officials in Texas  
• Mon. 3/31, 6-8pm, UTSA-Downtown, Durango Bldg., Southwest Room DB 1.124 (off-campus)  
• Book discussion with Sonia Garcia and co-authors. Refreshments provided.  
• Organization: Co-sponsored with St. Mary’s Women’s Studies Program