



November 16-20, 2015



**INTERNATIONAL
EDUCATION WEEK**
U.S. Department of State / U.S. Department of Education

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Enjoy international cuisine?

Winslow International Dinner EVERY Monday-Saturday throughout the academic year!

Tuesday: Belizean

Wednesday: Indian

Thursday: Chinese

Friday: Korean & Halal (EVERY FRI!)

Saturday: Taiwanese

Film Enthusiast?

FREE films throughout the year with

Cinema International

Thursday, Friday, Saturday nights, 7:30 p.m.

Curriss Center Theatre

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16

1:00-1:30
CC Barkley Room

Partnership for Success: The Fun With Languages Project in Elementary Schools in Kentucky and France

-*Valérie Hendley, International Language Center; Ashley Doughty, French language graduate; Bryant Powell, French language student*

Panel presentation of the successful partnership between MSU (Modern Languages Department students, the Office of Regional Outreach) and the International Language Center to create language clubs in 5 languages in regional K-12 schools in Kentucky. Fun With Languages now includes immersion abroad for MSU students.

1:30-2:15
CC Mississippi Room

Access for All: School Libraries, the World and GiggieIT -*Johan Koren, Associate Professor of Education*

School libraries or school library media centers are not about books and reading or even computers or the net. It's all about learning, life, and laughter. We'll have a look at different school libraries around the world--and discover GiggieIT, a global project about children's humorous and creative writing from around the world.

2:30-3:30
CC Barkley Room

Analysis of GMO Food Products Companies: Financial Risks and Opportunities in the Global Agriculture Industry

-*Hannah Martin, Adjunct Instructor; David Durr, Bauernfeind Endowed Chair in Investment Management; Murphy Smith, Dill Distinguished Professor; Rachel Finke, Research Assistant; Audie Cherry, Philippines Missions Program*

This study provides an economic and financial performance analysis of major companies that are connected to GMO food products. The study will also present the positive and negative perspectives toward GMO foods, along with a discussion of the risks and opportunities associated with GMO foods.

2:30-3:30
CC Mississippi Room

From Pikey to Posh: How to Sound English

-*Beth Acreman, Education Abroad Coordinator; Daryl Phillipy, Assistant Professor of Theatre*

Do you secretly practice your British accent? Are you heading to England and want to blend in as one of the locals? If so, this presentation is for you! From cockney rhyming slang to Queen's English, we will investigate how these accents differ and the history behind them. Come and test your "poshness" and learn more about this wonderful accent!

3:30-4:30
Biology Building,
Clock Tower

Sustainable Biodiversity: Studying Wildlife in Belize

-*Terry Derting, Jones Endowed Professor of Biology; Michael Flinn, Associate Professor of Biology; Jamie Booth, Education Abroad Advisor*

We will explain the exciting opportunities in which students will engage during the upcoming sustainable biodiversity in Belize. Students will have questions about the course answered and will receive assistance in completing a study abroad application for the course.

4:00-5:00
CC Ohio Room

I Wouldn't Want to Take This Course Any Other Way: Connecting Education Abroad to Coursework on Campus

-*David Pizzo, Associate Professor of History; Erin Wallace and Alisha Kempher, students*

This presentation discusses the ways in which a Berlin study abroad program was "married to the location" and connected with the course--HIS 412: Modern Germany--here on campus.

Tuesday, November 17

- 8:00-9:00
Faculty Development Center, 107 AS
Stamp Your Passport: International Professional Development Opportunities for Faculty & Staff
-*Melanie McCallon Seib, Director of Education Abroad*
Whether you've been abroad 10 times or none at all, international professional development programs at MSU are for you. They introduce you to local culture, provide a framework for infusing international content into your current courses or professional responsibilities, and/or help you design a study abroad program. 2015-2016 opportunities exist in Belize, China, Germany, Scotland, and South Korea. murraystate.edu/facultystaffabroad
- 11:30-1:00
CC Mississippi Room
Study in Germany: A Semester Program (that incidentally costs the same as a semester at MSU)
-*Education Abroad Office staff; Regensburg 2016 Faculty, Tommy Stambaugh and Marjorie Hilton*
Drop in when you can, grab some FREE lunch, and learn how to study abroad for a semester in Regensburg, Germany, the first and longest-running semester faculty-led program at MSU. Program fees and tuition mirror MSU fees (that means it's affordable). Courses available in various University Studies categories and in Business, History, and German language.
- 11:30-12:00
CC Barkley Room
We Do Care! Cultural Diversity on Campus
-*Echo Wu, Assistant Professor; Yuchen Liu, TESOL Graduate Student*
This presentation focuses on cultural diversity and its rapid development in the U.S. and the world, specifically on college campuses. We will discuss what, why, and how cultural diversity is affecting us, and what we can do to cater our learning and teaching at MSU for this unavoidable trend of diversification.
- 12:00-12:30
CC Ohio Room
Immersion in France with REMPART
-*Ashley Doughty, International Language Center; Therese Saint Paul, Associate Professor of French*
A presentation detailing how one can experience immersion abroad through volunteering with REMPART, an organization concerned with the preservation of sites of historical and cultural importance.
- 12:30-1:45
CC Barkley Room
Belize Unraveled: Faculty & Student Ventures and Discoveries
Meet this faculty-led panel for an exciting overview of existing and future study programs in Belize including student teaching, biology, engineering, nursing, social work, and telecommunications systems management.
Panelists: Kala Chakradhar, Associate Professor of Social Work; Michael Flinn, Professor of Biology; Mike Kemp, Professor of Environmental Engineering Technology; Kevin Perry, Assistant Professor of Architectural Engineering Technology; Dina Byers, Associate Professor of Nursing; Dana Manley, Associate Professor of Nursing; Katy Garth, Associate Professor of Nursing; Marcia Combs-Ford, Assistant Professor of Telecommunications Systems Management; Carlos Lopez, Lecturer of Telecommunications Systems Management
- 2:00-2:45
CC Mississippi Room
Faculty Research and Study Abroad: Case Study -*Bill Mulligan, Professor of History*
This presentation will focus on the collision between the ethnic values of German-Americans and other ethnic groups regarding alcohol and the temperance and prohibition movement in the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Two semesters residence in Regensburg and extensive time in Ireland, including a one-semester Fulbright, informed the perspective taken.
- 3:30-6:00
CC Barkley Room
The Department of Modern Languages Senior Colloquium
-*moderated by Mica Garrett, Associate Professor of Spanish*
Language majors present their Senior Thesis based on a variety of topics, including:
 - "Preparing the Next Generation for Global Competency- Foreign Languages in Elementary Schools,"
 - "Neuroanatomical and Functional Differences Between Monolinguals and Bilinguals,"
 - "Counting the Coins of Progress: An Analysis of the 1990 German Currency Union 25 Years later,"
 - "A Comparative Analysis of American and European telecommunications,"
 - "El espíritu de la colmena" and "La lengua de las mariposas,"
 - "Japanese Visual Kei Rock Scene as Subculture,"
 - "American and European Telecommunications: An Overview,"
 - "The Flight Industry: Airline Choice Research Methodology," and
 - "Sor Juana Inés de la Cruz y Malala Yousefzai: Challenging the Access to Education."
- 4:00-4:45
CC Mississippi Room
Dogme: An Appraisal of Classroom Materials and Interactions in Multicultural Learning Contexts
-*Mary Dinh and Nate Brelsford, TESOL Graduate Students*
Thornbury (2000) challenged the educational system with a "war on materials-driven lessons" called Dogme. This workshop demonstrates the Dogme's influence on teacher-student interactions and the role of materials in contemporary multi-cultural language learning contexts. With its student-centered approach and dialogic engagement, Dogme is effective in global 21st century learning.

Tuesday, November 17 (continued)

5:30-6:30 p.m.
CC Mississippi Room

The Missing 43: Mexico's Disappeared Students *Documentary Film Screening*

What happened to the 43 students who went missing in Southern Mexico on September 26, 2014? This Vice News documentary examines the mass disappearance of the young men who were all training to teach the youth of their country, as well as the tragedy and controversy surrounding their disappearance. As sure as the news coverage, people's movements, and conspiracy theories have caused many questions to continue to be asked about the case throughout Mexico and abroad, you'll have many questions of your own once you reach the end of this documentary.

Wednesday, November 18

9:30-2:30
CC Ballroom

International Bazaar

Experience culture through food, art, language, music, dress, dance, and more, presented by Murray State international students from India, Saudi Arabia, Japan, Tunisia, Taiwan, Belize, South Korea, China, Germany, Vietnam, and Tajikistan.
-Sponsored by the International Student Organizations and International Student Services Office

11:00-12:00
CC Barkley Room

The Easter Rising, 1916-2016

-Ann Neelon, Professor of Creative Writing; Peter Murphy, Professor of English; Mike Morgan, Associate Professor of English
Why are the Irish making such a big deal out of celebrating the centenary of a doomed rebellion? Three English professors will attempt to answer this question from a literary perspective. This session is scheduled in association with "Get Your Irish Up," an MSU study abroad program to be offered in Dublin, Galway, and Belfast from June 3 to 23, 2016.

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3:00-3:30
CC Ohio Room

Crowns: Free for the Taking -Shannon Wood, Engineering Physics Student

A photo collection of my old habit, making crowns from free to take things I found on walks in Sydney, Australia. The things collected varied from what I'd found in Kentucky, but still came together. This work considers old routines in new environments and questions what is free to take.

3:30
CC Mississippi Room

Welcome Back - Now What?: Marketing your International Experience

-Robyn Pizzo, Senior Education Abroad Advisor
International education experiences are becoming more sought after in the newest generation of job candidates. This workshop will detail how to highlight your study abroad and international experience on a resume and what to say when discussing your study abroad in a job interview.

All events are free and open to the public unless otherwise noted.
Questions? Contact the Education Abroad Office at (270)809.2277, msu.studyabroad@murraystate.edu

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