The African American & African Diaspora Studies Program Presents:

BLACK HISTORY MONTH EVENTS 2018

**Wednesday, January 31**

**BLACK HISTORY MONTH KICKOFF**

EUC Maple | 11am - 2pm

We invite you to kick off Black History Month by coming to see what the programs and organizations at UNCG have to offer and participate in our activities! Also meet AADS faculty, staff, and students from our AADS Student Club. Food will be provided.

**Monday/Tuesday, February 12 & 13**

GET READY FOR CACE WORKSHOP *

Macdonald Room (Curry 231) | Monday-11am | Tuesday-2pm

This is an interactive workshop to prepare students to present at academic conferences. Drop by and get some good pointers on presenting your research for CACE 2018 or another conference! Facilitated by Erin Harrison and Moderated by Dr. Cerise L. Glenn

**Wednesday, February 14**

CONVERSATION WITH THE COMMUNITY: DUANE CYRUS

EUC Alexander | 7pm

Duane Cyrus will be hosting a workshop on representation and perspectives of Black men. Be sure to come and engage in this interactive conversation!

**Thursday, February 15**

RADICAL WRITING WORKSHOP

Macdonald Room (Curry 231) | 6pm

This is a workshop to prepare students to write and present spoken word pieces at academic conferences. Drop by and work on your spoken word pieces as you prepare for the Literary Cafe or another conference! Demetrius Noble facilitating.

DR. FRANK WOODS: HENRY OSSAWA TANNER LECTURE **

Weatherspoon Art Museum | 7pm

This lecture examines Tanner’s life and career based on Dr. Frank Woods’ new biography Henry Ossawa Tanner: Art, Faith, Race, and Legacy. Reception to follow.

**Tuesday, February 20**

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CONFERENCE SPEAKER DIAMOND HOLLOMAN ***

UNCG Faculty Center | 3:30pm

Diamond Holloman will be hosting a discussion on urban community gardens and social justice. Reception to follow.

LITERARY CAFE

EUC Alexander | 6pm

Come listen to spoken word performances about negotiating and challenging divisive discourse and coming together to solve issues impacting people of African descent and other communities. Facilitated by Demetrius Noble

**Wednesday, February 21**

RESEARCH PRESENTATIONS, LUNCH, AND NETWORKING SOCIAL

EUC Multiple Rooms | 10am - 4:45pm

Attend our conference on “Shared Place and Fate: Coming Together to Transform Tomorrow.” CACE will feature presentations from students and faculty from UNCG and other universities. Other highlights include Hero Complexities keynote performance, a luncheon celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Neo Black Society, and a performance from Suah African Drummers. Registration and RSVP for the luncheon is free! Register online today at: goo.gl/FijdU

KEYNOTE PERFORMANCE: HERO COMPLEXITIES

UNCG Auditorium | Reception 6pm | Performance 7pm

Join us for the keynote performance created by Duane Cyrus. This performance investigates the possible confluence of questions surrounding themes of rescue, self-sacrifice, and heroism. Reception featuring performances from Suah African Drummers starts at 6pm. Performance featuring remarks from Provost Dana Dunn, Vice Chancellor Terri Shelton, and Dean John Z. Kiss starts at 7pm.

*This event is in collaboration with the UNCG Speaking Center

**This event is in collaboration with the Weatherspoon Art Museum, UNCG School of Art, and the Lloyd International Honors College

***This event is in collaboration with the Environmental & Sustainability Program, Women and Gender Studies Program, the Department of Geography, the Department of Interior Architecture, the Department of Anthropology, and the Elizabeth Rosenthal Professorship

Additional Information can be found on our website: https://aads.uncg.edu/