

Black Studies Program Mission Instruments

Academic Programs

- Major available Fall 2009
- Minor with 76 Interdisciplinary Courses
- Tombouctou Book Club

Howard A. Mims African American Cultural Center

Black Studies Ambassador Engagements

- Curtis Wilson Colloquium Series • Bridges to Africa Celebrations Kuumba Arts Presentations
- Revolving Art Exhibits • Umoja Round Tables

Black Aspirations Celebration

Weeklong Events of Cultural Arts and Contemporary Issues

IMAGES

Public affairs Radio Forum

WZAK 93.1—Sun 6:00AM

WCSB 89.3—Wed 12:30PM

Jazz Heritage Orchestra (JHO)

- Professional Orchestra in-Residence Available for Concert
- Master Classes
- Educational Seminars and Clinics

Howard A. Mims Lecture, Arts & Media Series (LAMS)

- Outstanding Local
- National and International Speakers
- Performing Artists
- Graphic Artists
- Videos and Film

Mission Statement

The broad mission of the CSU Black Studies Program is to provide the University and the Greater Cleveland community with opportunities to acquire greater knowledge and appreciation of the history, life and all aspects of the arts, culture and experiences of peoples of African descent.

Black Studies Program

The Black Studies Program seeks to provide information, dialogue, and experience that contribute knowledge which serve to shape positive attitudes and behaviors necessary for living and working effectively and harmoniously in a multicultural, multiethnic and multicultural society by providing activities and services for the enrichment, education and enjoyment of all Cleveland State University students, faculty and staff as well as Greater Cleveland communities.

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BLACK STUDIES FALL EVENTS 2009

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FALL EVENTS 2009

AUGUST

Kuumba Arts Presentation
Tribute to Michael Jackson
Saturday, August 29, 4:00pm / MC 137

SEPTEMBER

Black Studies Open House
Friday, September 11, 11:30am / MC 135, MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“Rize”
Friday, September 11, 12:15pm to 2:00pm / MC 135

Black Studies Program Faculty Meeting
September 15, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Discussion Series: Umoja Round Table
“Hip Hop the Next Generation”
Thursday, September 17, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: (AACC)
“Tupac Resurrection”, “Notorious”
Thursday, September 17, 6:00pm / MC 135

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“Native Son”
Friday, September 18, 12:15pm / MC 135

Study Break at the Gym
Friday, September 18, 6:00pm / Woodling Gym

Black Studies Program Majors/Minors
September 22, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Birthday Bash: Black Studies Ambassadors
Friday, September 25, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“The Piano Lesson”
Friday, September 25, 12:15pm / MC 135

SEPTEMBER THROUGH DECEMBER
COME JOIN IN THE FUN EVERY THIRD FRIDAY
POETRY SLAM NITE | 8:00pm UC 137

OCTOBER

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“I know Why the Caged Bird Sings”
Friday, October 2, 12:15pm / MC 135

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“The Antwone Fisher Story”
Friday, October 9, 12:15pm / MC 135

A Culture Crossings Reception: A Kuumba Arts Presentation with ODAMA
“Noel Quintana’s Latin Crew”
Friday, October 9, 12:15pm / MC 135, 137

Lecture Series: A Curtis Wilson Colloquium
Dr. Sandra Ezekiel
“Domestic Violence in the African American Community”
Tuesday, October 13, 12:00 noon / MC Auditorium, MC 135

Discussion Series: Umoja Round Table
“African American Culture and Jewish Traditions Interfacing through Community Service”
Thursday, October 15, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: (AACC)
“Get On the Bus” /Restorative Justice
Thursday, October 16, 6:00pm / MC 135

Motivational Speaker: A Unity Church Collaboration
Iyanla Vanzant
Saturday, October 17, 7:00 – 10:00pm / Waetjen Auditorium

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“Whispers of Angels”
Friday, October 23, 12:15pm / MC 135

Harry Bridges: “Wharf Rats to Kings of the Dock”
One Man Play
Saturday, October 24, 6:00pm / MC Auditorium
Sponsored by Cleveland Jobs With Justice/Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Trainmen

Birthday Bash: Black Studies Ambassadors
Friday, October 30, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“What’s Love Got to Do With It?”
Friday, October 30, 12:15pm / MC 135

NOVEMBER

Lecture Series: A Curtis Wilson Colloquium
Dr. Donna Whyte
“African Americans in the United Freedom Movement”
Tuesday, November 3, 12:00 noon / MC 135

National Conference Association for Black Culture Centers
“Centers and Negotiations of Cultural Politics of a Black Presidency”
November 5 – 8
Hilton Garden Inn, 1100 Carnegie Ave., Cleveland, OH 44115

Jazz Heritage Orchestra: Treasures of Jazz
Featured Artist: Vanessa Rubin
Friday, November 6, 8:00pm / Main Classroom Auditorium

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“The Fifth Element”
Friday, November 6, 12:15pm / MC 135

Film Series/Discussion: A Kuumba Arts Presentation
“Deep Impact”
Friday, November 13, 12:15pm / MC 135

Discussion Series: Bridges to Africa
“African Interests in a Black President”
Thursday, November 19, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: (AACC)
“Barack Obama: The Power of Change”
Thursday, November 19, 6:00pm / MC 135

Birthday Bash: Black Studies Ambassadors
Friday, November 20, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: (AACC)
“The Man”
Friday, November 20, 12:00 noon / MC 135

Study Marathan: Black Studies Ambassadors
November 30—December 4, all day / MC 135, MC 137

African Film Festival: Bridges to Africa
“Tales of the Land of Gullah”, “Daughters of the Dust”
Monday, November 30, 12:15pm / MC 135

DECEMBER

African Film Festival: Bridges to Africa
“Tales of the Land of Gullah”, “Daughters of the Dust”
December 1 – December 4, 12:15pm / MC 135

Birthday Bash: Black Studies Ambassadors
Friday, December 4, 12:00 noon / MC 137

Film Series/Discussion: (AACC)
“5 Conversations About Soul”
Friday, December 4, 12:00 noon / MC 135

Holiday Performance Cleveland Schools of the Arts
December 3 & December 4, 7:00pm / Lower Campus, MC Auditorium

To Be Shared With All Generations and All Cultures