

## **Monday**

### **Global Headline Series: The U.S. Presidential Election in Global Perspective**

**2 p.m., Alderson Auditorium, Kansas Union**

The new President of the United States will affect U.S. foreign policy & relations around the world. Join this panel discussion as three KU faculty experts address global implications of the 2016 U.S. elections. This event is part of the new Global Headline Series organized by KU's Center for Global & International Studies. The goal of this series is to create an opportunity for people to digest and decipher major news stories and issues as they occur. Panelists will share their expertise in short presentations which will be followed by a Q & A session. Audience participation is encouraged.

#### **Panelists include:**

- Nazli Avdan, Assistant Professor of Political Science, specializes in international relations, migration, and transnational terrorism
- John Kennedy, Associate Professor of Political Science, specializes in comparative and Chinese politics
- Mariya Y. Omelicheva, Associate Professor of Political Science, specializes in international relations, Russian and Central Asian politics, state security and human rights, international organizations, and non-governmental actors in world politics

The session will be moderated by Michael Wuthrich, Visiting Assistant Professor and Academic Director, Global & International Studies Program, who specializes in comparative and Middle East politics. Sponsored by Center for Global & International Studies, Center for East Asian Studies, Center for Russian, East European and Eurasian Studies, Department of Political Science, European Studies Program, and Middle East Studies. FREE and open to the public.

### **World at KU International Reception**

**4-5:30 p.m., Kansas Union Ballroom**

Join us for our annual recognition event for KU international students, staff and scholars. Sign up online at <https://iss.ku.edu/rsvp> to let us know you are coming! This is a free and informal event, so please come at whatever time you can and stay for as long as you like. We'll have a photo booth, international desserts, and a roll call of nations.

### **Black Student Union**

**7 p.m., Monday, Jay Room (Level 1), Kansas Union**

Community Conversations: Students of Color, Safety, and the Presidential Election. If you attend, please be mindful of the fact that the event is focused on giving students a venue to voice their feelings, concerns and ideas.

## **Tuesday**

### **East Asia Tea and Talk**

**4-5 p.m., Jayhawk Room, Kansas Union**

“Struggle for Utopia: The Korean Expressionism of Lee Jung-seob (1916-1956).”

Jungsil Jenny Lee, Visiting Assistant Professor, Kress Foundation Department of Art History

The presidential election has generated divisive rhetoric on both sides of the political spectrum. Some people feel empowered even as others feel vulnerable and threatened. That creates a complicated role for instructors, who must balance the supporting roles of educator and mentor while leading challenging and potentially heated discussions. What's the best way to do that?

**Center for Teaching Excellence.**

**12-1 p.m., Tuesday, November 15, and Wednesday, November 16**

Navigating difficult post-election dialogues with students. Choose the session that fits into your schedule. Lunch will be provided. Please note that space is limited. RSVP to Judy Eddy, at [jeddy@ku.edu](mailto:jeddy@ku.edu).

**Wednesday**

**Ujamaa Food for Thought : Food (In)security in Harare, Zimbabwe**

**12 p.m., 318 Bailey Hall 318**

Dr. Abel Chikanda (Geography/AAAS)

The economic and political challenges which Zimbabwe has faced over the past two decades have reduced the country from being the breadbasket of southern Africa to a basket case. Consequently, access to food has become a growing problem especially in the urban areas. Using recent data, the presentation attempts to measure the magnitude of food insecurity in Harare, Zimbabwe's capital, and assess the livelihood strategies of the city's population in the face of worsening economic conditions. Light lunch provided. Co-sponsors: Kansas African Studies Center, Center for Global and International Studies.

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**Guided Tour of the Temporal Turn Exhibit**

**4-5 p.m., Spencer Museum of Art**

In celebration of International Education Week, come learn about the world through art! The new exhibit, "Temporal Turn", explores the cultural diversity of Asia through various manifestations of time, history, and memory that challenge our conventional understanding of past, present, and future. The tour will be led by Dr. Kris Ercums, Curator of Global and Contemporary and Asian Art at the Spencer Museum.

**FLAS Info Session**

**4 p.m., English Room, Kansas Union**

The U.S. Department of Education has awarded funding to the Center for East Asian Studies

(CEAS) and to the Kansas African Studies Center for Foreign Language & Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowships for the 2014-2018 grant cycle. FLAS funds are awarded in a competitive process open to graduate and undergraduate students. Students must be U.S. Citizens or Permanent Residents to be eligible to apply. CEAS FLAS awards are available for Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Tibetan and Uyghur; KASC FLAS awards are available for the study of Amharic, Arabic, Hausa, Kiswahili, Somali and Wolof, with additional African language requests considered. Learn more at this information session. [www.flas.ku.edu](http://www.flas.ku.edu)

**Peace Corps screening of the film *Girl Rising*  
5-8 p.m., Big 12 Room, Kansas Union**

Please join us for a viewing of the film and following discussion. The Let Girls Learn Initiative is a collaboration between the First Lady and Peace Corps focusing on creating community-led solutions that tackle the barriers that keep girls from getting and staying in school. For this *Girl Rising* has proven to be a powerful catalyst in sparking people all over the United States – and the world – to action. The *Girl Rising* movie screening tells the stories of nine girls from different parts of the world who face arranged marriages, child slavery, and other heartbreaking injustices. Despite these obstacles, the brave girls offer hope and inspiration. By getting and wanting an education, they're able to break barriers and create change.

**ISA Thanksgiving  
7-9 p.m., ECM**

It's that time of year again! ISA is partnering with 11 organizations this year to bring back our Annual International Thanksgiving Dinner! We shall be featuring Dishes from India, China, Peru, Indonesia, Japan, England, Ukraine, Angola, Greece, USA and many more... Buy your ticket at the door! First come first served! (\$5 + optional \$1 extra donation) All profits will be donated to Operation Christmas Child, learn more about them at: [www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/](http://www.samaritanspurse.org/what-we-do/operation-christmas-child/)

**Thursday**

**International Trivia Night  
5:30-7:30 p.m., The Jay room (Level 1), Kansas Union**

KU staff, students and faculty and the general public are welcome to participate. Organize a team of up to eight people. Register your team by Nov. 14. If your team doesn't have eight members, you might be ask to add someone. Individuals are welcome to come to the event to be assigned to a team, if space is available. Email [oiip@ku.edu](mailto:oiip@ku.edu) with questions. Register [here](#).