



UNI ADP EVENTS - SPRING 2013



American Democracy Project (ADP), a program of the Provost's Office, University of Northern Iowa (UNI)

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News Talk: *Climate Change Update*

Saturday, January 26, 2013

10:30-11:30 a.m., University Book and Supply, Cedar Falls

Bill Stigliani, Prof. & Senior Policy Advisor, UNI Center for Energy & Environ. Ed.

News Talk: *Newspapers and Decision-Making*

Tuesday, Jan. 29, 2013

2:00-3:00, Maucker Union, Elm Room, UNI

Nancy Newhoff, Editor, Waterloo/Cedar Falls Courier

Newspapers play a critical role in a democracy. Ms. Newhoff will discuss the Courier's focus, how news is selected, and trends affecting newspapers.

News Talk: *Cedar Falls and Cities Adapting to Climate Change*

Saturday, February 2, 2013

10:30-11:30 a.m., University Book and Supply, Cedar Falls

o **Frank Darrah**, Cedar Falls Council Member, 5th Ward

o **Gowri Betrabet Gulwadi**, Assoc. Prof., School of Applied Human Sciences., UNI

Election 2012: *Student Activists*

Thursday, February 28, 2013

5-6:00 p.m., Maucker Union, Elm Room, UNI

Chase Aunspach, Victoria M. Hurst, David W. Pope, Jaime W. Yowler

Will describe their involvement and what they learned, and provide suggestions for students who want to become involved.

News Talk: *Cedar Falls and Waterloo Blue Zones*

Saturday, March 2, 2013

10:30-11:30 a.m., University Book and Supply, Cedar Falls

o **Sue Beach**, Program Manager, Cedar Falls and Waterloo Blue Zones

o **Jon Crews**, Mayor of Cedar Falls

On *Sundown Towns: A Hidden Dimension of American Racism*

Mon., Mar. 4, 2013, 7:30 p.m., Lang Auditorium, UNI

James Loewen, Author of Sundown Towns and Lies My Teacher Told Me. Contact Karen.Mitchell@UNI.edu for info. on faculty workshops by Loewen

(ADP is a co-sponsor of Loewen's visit.)

International Students on the American Dream

Wednesday, March 6, 2013

Noon-1:00 p.m., Maucker Union, Oak Room, UNI

International students at UNI will share their views on the American Dream.

Women in Politics: *Does Gender Matter?*

Thursday, April 4, 2013

4:00-5:30 p.m., Maucker Union, Center for Multicultural Education, UNI

Joy Corning, former Lieutenant Governor; **Chris Larimer**, Assoc Prof., Pol. Sci., UNI;

Jean Lloyd-Jones, Co-Chair, 50-50 in 2020; **Allison Martens**, Asst Prof., Pol.Sci., UNI

News Talk: *UNI Teacher Education Update*

Saturday, April 6, 2013

10:30-11:30 a.m., University Book and Supply, Cedar Falls

Dwight Watson, Dean, College of Education, UNI

Will provide update on UNI teacher education and discuss state and national trends.

News Talk: *ADHD: A Problem Diagnosis?*

Saturday, April 27, 2013

10:30-11:30 a.m., University Book and Supply, Cedar Falls

Catherine Zeman, Prof., Health, Physical Ed., & Leisure Services, UNI

Is ADHD a syndrome needing a diagnosis or a diagnosis framing a syndrome?

OTHER EVENTS TO NOTE

The Persistence of the Color Line - Racial Politics and the Obama Presidency

Friday, March 1, 2013, 8:15 a.m., Maucker Union – Ballroom, UNI.

Speaker: Randall Kennedy, author of The Persistence of the Color Line.

Faculty Workshops

March 4 and March 5, 2013, With James Loewen, author of Sundown Towns and Lies My Teacher Told Me. Contact Karen.Mitchell@UNI.edu for info. on these workshops. Also, see March 4 above.

Guns: *Hunting for Reasonable Regulations*

Tues., Mar. 26, 2013, Cedar Falls Public Library Sponsor: League of Women Voters Black Hawk-Bremer

Public Policy Poverty Summit

Mon., April 8, 2013, from 8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Maucker Union – Ballroom. Contact: Al Hays 273-2910 (estimated cost \$30)

Symposium: *What is the Role of Academia in Sustainability Movement?*

Fri.- Sat., April 12-13, 2013. Winona LaDuke speaks Sat. Sponsors: UNI Provost's Office, RRTTC, Sustain. Office, & U. of Iowa. Contact: William.Stigliani@UNI.edu

For other educational and democracy-related opportunities, go to:

o <http://www.uni.edu/higherground/> (Reaching for Higher Ground)

o <http://www.uni.edu/cme/> (Center for Multicultural Education)

o <http://www.lwvblackhawk-bremer.org/> (League of Women Voters Black Hawk/Bremer)