

African Studies Event Calendar

Kansas African Studies Center

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Ujamaa Brownbag:
Wednesdays

**African Studies
Seminar:**
**"The Question of
Leadership in Africa"**
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Date & Event	Series & Location
<u>August 22</u> "How Many Sudans Are There?" bobbie-frances mcdonald, founder of Sudan in Action	University Forum Ecumenical Christian Ministries 1204 Oread, KU Campus Noon-1pm (lunch option at 11:30)
<u>September 5</u> KASC Fall Welcoming Reception for New Africanist Faculty and African Fulbright Students	Public Event Bailey Hall, Rms. 10 & 11 3:30-5:00pm
<u>September 6</u> "Genocide: What the World Can Do and Should Do," Ambassadors Robert Beecroft (Bosnia) & Edward Brynn (Burkina Faso & Ghana)	Dole Institute of Politics 2350 Petefish Drive, West Campus 7:30pm
<u>September 12</u> "South Africa: A Journalistic Perspective," Laura Larson, Kansas Public Radio	Ujamaa Brownbag Kansas Union Alcove C 11:30-1:00pm
<u>September 15</u> Tailgate Party and Family Day with KASC, Kansas African Drumming & Dancing Ensemble (KUADDE), and Spencer Museum of Art	Public Event Spencer Museum of Art KU Campus 4:00-5:00pm
<u>September 20</u> "The Lagos-Ibadan 'Theocratic Class' and the Obasanjo Presidency in Nigeria (1999-2007)," Ebenezer Obadare, KU	African Studies Seminar Kansas Union Pine Room 3:30-5:00 pm
<u>September 20</u> "World Hot Spots: What Google Earth and Geography tell us about War, Peace, and the Environment," Professor Jeffy Dobson & Google Earth founder Brian McClendon	Dole Institute of Politics 2350 Petefish Drive, West Campus 7:30pm
<u>September 28-29</u> "Africa in Motion," 13 th Annual Meeting of the Mid-America Alliance for African Studies (MAAAS)	MAAAS Conference Kansas Union Malott, Pine, English Rooms 10:00am
<u>October 3</u> "Arabic Prisms: A Multifaceted View of Language and Culture in Morocco," Huma Khan & Heather Meiers, KU graduate students	Ujamaa Brownbag Kansas Union Alcove C 11:30-1:00pm
<u>October 5</u> "The Power of Elections & Elites in Africa," Staffan Lindberg, University of Florida	African Studies Seminar Kansas Union Malott Room 3:30-5:00pm
<u>October 18-21</u> "21 st Century Africa: Evolving Conceptions of Human Rights," African Studies Association 50 th Anniversary Annual Meeting	National Conference New York, NY

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<u>October 23</u> "The Lost Boys of Sudan," Film Screening and Discussion with Abraham Beny & Manute Bol, in collaboration with the School of Social Welfare	Public Event Kansas Union Alderson Auditorium 3:30-6:00pm
<u>October 23</u> The Ha! Man Musical Concert by South African musician Francois LeRoux, in collaboration with the Light Center of Baldwin	Ecumenical Christian Ministries 1204 Oread, KU Campus 7:00-9:00pm
<u>October 25</u> "Rwandan Genocide Leading to Mobutu's Overthrow in the Congo," Jonathan Quinn, Truman State University	African Studies Seminar Kansas Union Pine Room 3:30-5:00pm
<u>November 2</u> "Women in African Politics: A Continental Shift," Hannah Britton, KU	African Studies Seminar Bailey Hall, Rm. 109 3:30-5:00pm
<u>November 8</u> "Leadership: A Cape Verdian Presidential Style," President Antonio Monteiro, former president of Cape Verde	African Studies Seminar Kansas Union Pine Room 3:30-5:00pm
<u>November 8</u> Student Night at the Spencer Museum of Art with a performance from the Kansas University African Drumming & Dancing Ensemble (KUADDE)	Public Event Spencer Museum of Art KU Campus 6:00-8:00pm
<u>November 9</u> Chancellor's Reception for Former Cape Verdian President Antonio Monteiro	Public Event Chancellor's Residence The Outlook 1532 Lilac Lane 3:30-4:30pm
<u>November 14</u> "Drumming for Life: African Styles, Innovations, and Techniques," Dylan Bassett, Yusufu Kamara, Linda Wiley, KU graduate students	Ujamaa Brownbag Kansas Union Alcove C 11:30-1:00pm
<u>November 28</u> "Tanzania on My Mind and in My Soul," Shaunika Cotton, Scott Gustafson, KU students	Ujamaa Brownbag Kansas Union Alcove C 11:30-1:00pm
<u>November 29</u> "Tribalism and Leadership in Mozambique and Zimbabwe," Elizabeth MacGonagle, KU	African Studies Seminar Kansas Union Pine Room 3:30-5:00pm
<u>December 5</u> "My Peace Corps Experience in Mauritania," Ben Burgen, KU graduate student	Ujamaa Brownbag Kansas Union Alcove C 11:30-1:00pm