

## Thurs 2/12

9:00

Noah Zerbe, Politics  
**The PoliSci of the Apocalypse**

10:00

Jonny Maiullo, Composition/ESL Instructor  
Mendocino College  
**Tips & Tricks for Teaching English Overseas**

11:00

**Study Abroad Returnee Panel:**  
Come hear from Humboldt students about their adventures studying abroad!

12:00

**Brown Bag: Study Abroad Q&A**  
Students and faculty answer YOUR questions.

1:00

Faculty-Led Study Abroad Programs  
**Informational**

2:00

Fernando Paz, ODEI  
**Building International Partnerships with Mexican Institutions: Ethics, Reciprocity, and Student Opportunity**

3:00

Beth Wilson, Economics  
**Stories from Return Peace Corps Volunteers**

4:00

Maja Biggs, Peace Corps Recruiter  
**Peace Corps Informational**

5:00

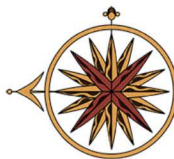
**Sharing our Table with the World**  
  
Bried presentation on local farms and global flavors, followed by a shared community meal.  
  
CCAE Collaboration event  
Hosted by El Centro and ADPI MENA.

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**International  
Education  
Week**

**Passport**

**Feb. 9 – 12**

A week of campus and community  
events celebrating our  
**Global Connections**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Dept: \_\_\_\_\_

To receive IEW Colloquium credit, you  
must attend at least 15 sessions,  
including the Keynote Address.

### Questions?

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Politics & International Studies

For program details or changes  
to the schedule visit  
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# Schedule of Events

Mon, Tues, Thur lectures: Library Fishbowl  
 Webinar Wednesday: Goodwin Forum  
 Mon, Thurs Evening Events: Goodwin Forum  
 Tues Dance Night: Gist 219 - Theatre

| Mon (2/9)          |   |
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|                    | <b>Opening Event - Instruments of Peace</b>   |
| <b>11:30/12:00</b> | 11:30: Peace Pole<br>12:00: Main Quad<br><br>Rain Location: Goodwin Forum   |
| <b>1:00</b>        | Abigail Queen, History<br><b>The Engines of Renaissance Internationalism</b>  |
| <b>2:00</b>        | Alison Holmes, Politics<br><b>Diplomacy: Old and New</b>  |
| <b>3:00</b>        | Joseph Dieme, Applied Humanities<br><b>Life Without USAID in Senegal, West Africa</b>   |
| <b>4:00</b>        | Nicola Waugh, Art + Film<br>Sara Ortega & Danica Frey, HIFF Co-Directors<br><b>In Conversation: Humboldt International Film Festival (HIFF)</b>   |
|                    | <b>Film Night - Goodwin Forum</b>   |
| <b>5:00</b>        | <b>Rental Family</b> (2025) Director: Hikari<br>Languages: Japanese, English   1h 50m<br><br>This film explores loneliness and belonging through a unique service that rents families to those seeking connection. It invites reflection on identity, care, and the quiet human need to be seen and accompanied. Discussion to follow facilitated by El Centro and ADPI MENA. Snacks! |

**Return Passport to Politics Office  
 Founders Hall 180**

| Tue (2/10)   |   |
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| <b>9:00</b>  | Leo Van Cleve, Global Studies Institute, CSU LB<br><b>Study Abroad Forgotten Past: Grand Tour to Junior Year Abroad</b>   |
| <b>10:00</b> | Maxwell Schnurer, Chair Communication<br><b>Global Direct Action: Shifting the Narrative</b>  |
| <b>11:00</b> | Sara Hart, Chair Applied Humanities<br><b>Today's Banana Republic: Expeditionary Classics, with a Twist</b>   |
| <b>12:00</b> | <b>Brown Bag: Discussion</b><br>Alison Holmes, Politics<br><b>What's 'International' mean to you at Humboldt?</b>   |
| <b>1:00</b>  | Tani Sebro, Chair Politics<br><b>Funding Your Global Future: Applying for Fulbright &amp; International Grants</b>  |
| <b>2:00</b>  | JD Garza, Director Career Center<br><b>Working Overseas</b>   |
| <b>3:00</b>  | Rouhollah Aghasaleh, Education<br><b>Living Among Enemies: The International Scholar, War, &amp; the Politics of Belonging</b>  |
| <b>4:00</b>  | <b>Globalizing Romance Languages: Dynamic Acquisition Strategies for Spanish Speakers</b><br>Moderator: Clorinda Donato, CSU Long Beach, Francesca Ricciardelli USC<br>Joanna Tatro and Elizabeth Chan, CSU Long Beach<br>Diego Batres Brol, CSU Long Beach<br><br>csuglobal webinar & Fishbowl |
| <b>5:00</b>  | <b>GLOBAL DANCE NIGHT - Gist</b><br>Enjoy and experience dances from around the world.<br>Location: GIST 219, Gist Theatre  |

## WEDNESDAY STUDY ABROAD FAIR MAIN QUAD

**BE SURE TO SIGN IN TO ALL SESSIONS TO  
 GET YOUR PASSPORT STAMPED**

| Webinar Wed (2/11) |  |
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| <b>9:00</b>        | <b>Jerusalem from the Seams of Memory: Connecting Palestine &amp; CA through Oral History &amp; Placemaking</b><br>Gabi Kirk, GESA Humboldt<br>Des Saad Amira, Urban Studies, Al-Quds Bard College, Samar Awaad, Independent Researcher  |
|                    | <b>Local-to-Global Learning at CSU San Marcos: Partnerships, Programs &amp; Student work</b><br>Moderator: Xiaoye She, Faculty Fellow, Committee for International Research, CSU San Marcos, Devan R. Romero, Kinesiology, CSU San Marcos<br>Anne Dabb & Molly Saruwatari, ENST, students CSU San Marcos |
| <b>11:00</b>       | <b>From Policy to Practice: AB 91 &amp; the Push for Transborder Educational Equity &amp; Justice</b><br>Mitzi Salgado, CEO, Transfronterizo Institute<br>Alexa Ochoa, Transfronterizo Institute<br>Vanessa Falcón Orta, Education, San Diego State  |
| <b>12:00</b>       | <b>Brown Bag: Student Presentations</b><br>Samuel King, MA CSU Long Beach, Rowella Aldana, UG CSU East Bay<br>Tania Vasquez, MA CSU Long Beach   |
| <b>1:00</b>        | <b>Experiential Learning via Responsible Business Consulting for Panamanian Micro-Businesses</b><br>Dante Di Gregorio, Business, CSUMB<br>Amanda Izaguirre-Lumm, Gloria Lewis, Julia Ulm; MBA students CSU MB  |
| <b>2:00</b>        | <b>Global Awareness &amp; Community Partnerships</b><br>Jolene McCall, International Studies, CSU Long Beach<br>Wendy Chou Le, Pen Pal Program, UCLA<br>Susan Redfield, Long Beach Sister Cities<br>Omar Quezada, student CSU Long Beach   |
| <b>3:00</b>        | <b>Scaling Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL): CSU Lessons from Germany, Columbia &amp; Taiwan</b><br>James Simon, Social Work, Cal State LA<br>Odine Gage, Education, CSU San Marcos, Tasha Willis, Social Work, Cal State LA   |
| <b>4:00</b>        | <b>Local Weather Data for Smarter Farm Decisions</b><br>Steve Blumenshine, Executive Director, CSU-WATER   |
| <b>5:00</b>        | <b>KEYNOTE RECEPTION</b>   |
| <b>5:30</b>        | <b>KEYNOTE PANEL</b><br><b>Global California: Scholarship in an Age of Forgetting</b><br>Kate Gordon CEO, CA FWD,<br>Ian Klaus, Director Carnegie California<br>Shankar Raman Executive Director International Affairs, CSU, Chancellor's Office<br>Moderator: Leo Van Cleve                             |