

The background features a warm, golden-yellow gradient. In the foreground, there are several detailed line-art illustrations of autumn leaves, some overlapping a stack of old, worn books. The text is prominently displayed in the upper half of the image.

ARTS AND HUMANITIES FALL 2015



WAYNE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
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The Foundation of Wayne Community
College and Continuing Education
Services Present

FROM DOWN EAST TO THE MIDDLE EAST

TALKIN' TAR HEEL

DR. WALT WOLFRAM

7:00 p.m. | September 21, 2015

WCC | Walnut 101

In *Talkin' Tar Heel*, Dr. Wolfram, a leading expert on regional dialects, examines the rich regional, cultural, and ethnic language practices of the past, present, and future in North Cackalacky. He explains why North Carolinians speak the way(s) they do. North Carolina's history is rich with diverse people and dramatic events. Learn how and why the language and dialect traditions of the Tar Heel State should be embraced and celebrated along with other cultural and historical traditions.



Dr. Wolfram, co-author with Dr. Jeffrey Reaser of *Talkin' Tar Heel*, is a William C. Friday Distinguished Professor of English Linguistics at North Carolina State University.



BATTLE FOR NORTH CAROLINA'S COASTAL SYSTEM:

CONFLICT BETWEEN THE NATURAL DYNAMICS AND HUMAN MODIFICATION

DR. STANLEY RIGGS

7:00 p.m. | October 5, 2015

WCC | Walnut 101

How do you manage and utilize North Carolina's world class coastal system? On the one hand it is incredibly dynamic and resilient, on the other it has a very fragile coastal economy.



His talk is based on his recent book published by UNC Press. The lecture focuses on storm dynamics and coastal system change and illustrates the information every North Carolinian should know. Dr. Riggs will also touch on many topics that make the daily headlines in our coastal region.

He is a coastal and marine geologist who has been researching modern coastal systems since 1964 and has been on the faculty at East Carolina University since 1967. Dr. Riggs has been actively involved in numerous coastal issues at the federal, state, and local levels.



COLLAPSE OF THE OLD MIDDLE EAST: A FUTURE VISION

DR. AKRAM KHATER

7:00 p.m. | October 12, 2015

WCC | Walnut 101

With every passing year the Middle East seems to get more complicated as Americans seek to understand our relationships and responsibilities. Join us in welcoming a Foundation favorite, Dr. Akram



Khater, as he puts this important topic in the American experience under the spotlight and responds to your questions.

Dr. Khater is Alumni Distinguished University Professor, Professor of History at North Carolina State University, Director of Middle East Studies Program, and Director of the Khayrallah Program for Lebanese-American Studies.

ISIS: WHERE DID IT COME FROM? WHAT DOES IT BELIEVE?

PROFESSOR DAVID SCHANZER

7:00 p.m. | October 19, 2015

WCC | Walnut 101

The world has been shocked by the sudden emergence of the "Islamic State in Iraq and Syria" (aka ISIS). This group has changed the discourse on the post-Arab Spring Middle East, obscuring the



lines between friends and enemies and opening another chapter in America's "war on terror." David Schanzer will address its origins and ideology, and field questions on its meaning for future U.S. policy in the region.

David H. Schanzer is Associate Professor, Sanford School of Public Policy at Duke University, and Director of the Triangle Center on Terrorism and Homeland Security.

THE ROLES OF THE UNITED STATES AND CHINA IN SECURING AFGHANISTAN'S FUTURE

KARL W. EIKENBERRY

7:00 p.m. | November 6, 2015

WCC | Moffatt Auditorium

U.S. Ambassador Karl Eikenberry is the Oksenberg-Rohlen Distinguished Fellow and Director of the U.S.-Asia Security Initiative at the Shorenstein Asia-Pacific Research Center at Stanford University.



Prior to his arrival at Stanford, he served as the U.S. Ambassador to Afghanistan from May 2009 until July 2011, where he led the civilian surge directed by President Obama to reverse insurgent momentum and set the conditions for transition to full Afghan sovereignty.

Before appointment as Chief of Mission in Kabul, Ambassador Eikenberry had a 35-year career in the United States Army, retiring in April 2009 with the rank of Lieutenant General. Ambassador Eikenberry boasts many more accolades and we are pleased to invite you to join us for his lecture on this important topic.

GARDEN AND GUNS DAY TRIP

September 29, 2015

\$25.00 per person

Garden and Guns is the theme for a day trip to Fayetteville to see the beautiful Cape Fear Botanical Garden followed by lunch and a tour of the Airborne and Special Operations Museum.

In the morning we will view the stunning natural setting created by the garden's botanists, designers and gardeners. Unusual plants and a varied riparian terrain make this a year-round destination. In the afternoon participants will experience Army history from World War II to the present at the Airborne and Special Operations Museum — a testament to those who have served through their personal stories and the artifacts of their participation.



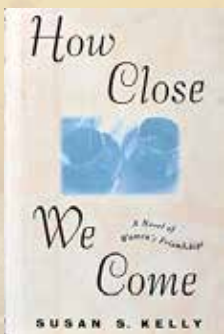
AN INSIDE LOOK AT OUR STATE

**SUSAN KELLY | Lunch and Learn
12:00 p.m. | October 7, 2015
Walnut Creek Country Club**

**\$25.00 per person, includes lunch
and lecture**

**Registration and payment required
by October 1, 2015**

Susan Kelly shares anecdotes about her job as Contributing Editor of *Our State* magazine. Her job includes editing, fact checking, and a special perch to view North Carolina through the stories of the people and places that make our state interesting. Her travels and observations are fascinating but someone has to decide what goes in and what is edited out, a demanding and thought-provoking job.



Her first novel *How Close We Come* won the Carolina Novel Award in 1997, was reissued nationally in 1998 by Warner Books, was an Alternate Selection in the Book of the Month Club, and was published in Russian and German.

Susan is a member of the North Carolina Writers Conference, has three grown children, and lives in Greensboro with her husband Sterling.

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call **919-739-7017** and leave your
name, phone number,
and the program for which you
wish to register. You may also email
esbyrd@waynecc.edu
or register online at
**www.waynecc.edu/foundation/
arts-and-humanities/**

Registration fees are
non-refundable and are due one
month prior to the trip or lecture.

COMING SOON...

Praxis Film Festival February 5-6, 2016

**At a date to be announced, we
will travel to Raleigh for the North
Carolina Museum of Art's special
exhibit of Leonardo da Vinci's Codex
Leicester on loan from Bill Gates.**

WCC Mission Statement

Wayne Community College (WCC) is a learning-centered, public, associate degree granting institution with an open door admissions policy. WCC is located in Goldsboro, North Carolina and is part of the North Carolina Community College System.

Wayne Community College's mission is to meet the educational, training, and cultural needs of the communities it serves.



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