

## Eye on Africa: Spring 2023

Time: 12:00- 1:30 pm (EST)

<b>Date</b>	<b>Name/Affiliation</b>	<b>Topic</b>
<b>January 19</b>	<b>Edjanga Njoli</b> Writer, Guinea Equatorial	African identity: Beyond the Purpose of Unity (Guinea Equatorial)
<b>January 26</b>	<b>Ousmane Sangho</b> African Studies ULSHB, Bamako	Developing Research in Africana Studies in Francophone Universities
<b>February 02</b>	<b>David Stenner</b> Department of History Christopher Newport University	Globalizing Morocco: Transnational Activism and the Post-Colonial State
<b>February 09</b>	<b>Jesús Carabalí</b> African and Asian Studies Autonomous University of Madrid	The Struggles of the Afro Movement in Colombia
<b>February 16</b>	<b>Maimouna Dembélé</b> Music in Africa	African Music In the Global Market
<b>February 23</b>	<b>Abdiqani Farah</b> The Institute for Alternative Thinking Garowe, Somalia	The Relationship Between Different Measures of School Performance and Student Achievement in Somalia, with a Focus on Puntland state
<b>March 02</b>	<b>Michael Daramola</b> Chemical Engineering University of Pretoria, South Africa	Sustainable Engineering Practices as a Catalyst to Realize Sustainable Development Goals and African Agenda 2063
<b>March 09</b>	<b>Spring Break</b>	
<b>March 16</b>	<b>Ousseina Alidou</b> Department of African, Middle Eastern and South Asian Languages and Literatures Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey	Hausa Popular Songs and Performance: Musical Digital Advocacy Against Gender-based Violence in Society
<b>March 23</b>	<b>Namoin Yao-Baglo</b> Institute of Information, Communication and Arts Sciences Université de Lomé, Togo	Challenges and Prospects of Public Communication in Africa: the Case of Togo
<b>March 30</b>	<b>Joanna Allan</b> Department of Geography and Environmental Sciences Northumbria University, Newcastle	Saharan Winds: Renewable Energy Systems, Wind imaginaries and (Un)just Transitions in Western Sahara
<b>April 06</b>	<b>Eleni Centime Zeleke</b> Department of Middle Eastern, South Asian, and African Studies Columbia University	A Jewel in the Ear: the 2020-22 Ethiopian Civil War and Black Political Thought
<b>April 13</b>	<b>Celina de Sá</b> Department of Anthropology University of Texas, Austin	Curating Combat: The Visual and Material Life of Afro-Brazilian Capoeira in West Africa

<b>April 20</b>	<b>Donald Akanga</b> Department of Geography Michigan State University	The Socioecological Sustainability Dilemma among Vulnerable Populations in East Africa
<b>April 27</b>	<b>Jacqui Ignatova</b> Sustainable Development Department Appalachian State University	Contesting Africa's New Green Revolution: Biotechnology and Philanthrocapitalist Development in Ghana