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African-American Heritage Month

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**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2007**

African-American Heritage Month kick-off celebration  
Crossroads Lounge, Ferguson Center, 12:00–2:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Ferguson Center Student Union, African-American Graduate Student Association, Common Ground, Black Student Union, Creative Campus, Crossroads Community Center, Capstone Association of Black Journalists, Art Student League, Career Center, NAACP, F.A.M.E., and National Council of Negro Women*

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2007**

“Hip-Hop: Beyond Beats and Rhymes”  
film showing and discussion  
Ferguson Theater, 7:30 p.m.  
*Sponsored by Men Against Violence and by Housing and Residential Communities*

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2007**

Eighteenth Annual African-American Read-In  
Crossroads Lounge, Ferguson Center, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama Women’s Resource Center and Women Involved in Learning and Leading*

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2007**

Black Professionals’ Best Practices for Professional Development employer panel  
322 Heritage Room, Ferguson Center, 5:30 p.m.  
*Sponsored by Target Corporation in collaboration with the University of Alabama Career Center and Student Recreation Center*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2007**

Intercultural Student Council Café Series  
“Africa: Image and Reality”  
Personal experiences of Alabama students  
Crossroads Lounge, Ferguson Center, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Intercultural Student Council and Crossroads Community Center*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2007**

Forum: Affirmative Action  
312 Ferguson Center, 7:00–8:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the National Council of Negro Women and the Black Student Union*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2007**

To Believe and Serve: A Caucus on Community Service and Religion  
“Faith Perceptions of Race, Religion, and the Duty to Serve”  
151 Shelby Hall, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Community Service Center and Crossroads Community Center*

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2007**

To Believe and Serve: A Caucus on Community Service and Religion  
“What Do We Owe: Combating Materialism with Faith”  
151 Shelby Hall, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Community Service Center and Crossroads Community Center*

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2007**

Diversity luncheon  
311 Carmichael Hall, 12:00 p.m.,  
Lunch will be free. Contact [mdsouza@nc.ua.edu](mailto:mdsouza@nc.ua.edu) to RSVP.  
*Sponsored by the Coalition for Diversity and Inclusiveness, Black Faculty and Staff Association, and Alliance of Women of Color*

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2007**

Judge U. W. Clemon, United States District Court  
Lecture with reception to follow  
223 Little Hall, 1:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama School of Social Work*

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2007**

NAACP Founders Day  
309 Ferguson Center, 6:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the NAACP*

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2007**

University of Alabama Chapter of National Society of Black Engineers’ Eighth Annual Date Auction  
322 Heritage Room, Ferguson Center, 6:00–9:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama Chapter of National Society of Black Engineers*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2007**

“The Race Beat: The Press, the Civil Rights Struggle, and the Awakening of a Nation”  
Lecture and book signing with Hank Klibanoff  
W. S. Hoole Special Collections Library, 4:30–6:30 p.m.  
*Sponsored by University Libraries and the Frances S. Summersell Center for the Study of the South*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2007**

State of the Black Union  
322 Heritage Room, Ferguson Center, 6:30–8:30 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Black Student Union*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2007**

An Evening of Art and Politics (free to the public)  
“Southern Discomfort: The Black Panther Party in the Heart of Dixie”  
Public lecture by Dr. Curtis Austin, University of Southern Mississippi  
Featuring the art of Alabama printmaker Amos Kennedy  
Room 205 Gorgas Library, 3:30–6:30 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Frances S. Summersell Center for the Study of the South*

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2007**

Debbie Bond and The Project (formerly the Blues Camp Kids) musical performance  
223 Little Hall, 12:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama School of Social Work*

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2007**

George Curry, editor in chief of the National Newspaper Publishers Association News Service and BlackPressUSA.com  
Location TBA, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Black Faculty and Staff Association*

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2007**

“Voices in Black History”  
Radio program to air on WVUA 90.7 FM, 8:00–10:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the College of Arts and Sciences, the College of Education, New College, and the New College Radio Lab*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2007**

“An Evening with Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.” featuring Craig Alan Edwards as Dr. King  
First African Baptist Church, 2621 Stillman Boulevard, 7:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the Realizing the Dream Coordinating Committee (Shelton State Community College, Stillman College, and The University of Alabama)*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2007**

“Perspectives on Black History: The Stillman Program”  
Radio program to air on WVUA 90.7 FM, 8:00–10:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the College of Arts and Sciences, the College of Education, New College, and the New College Radio Lab*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2007**

“Wild Women Don’t Have the Blues” brown bag film screening  
107 Manly Hall, 12:30 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama Women’s Resource Center and Department of Women’s Studies*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2007**

NAACP Tribute to Trailblazers  
312 Ferguson Center, 6:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the NAACP*

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2007**

Hip-Hop and Beyond  
Panel discussion: “Exploring African-American Issues Through Hip-Hop Culture”  
360 Ferguson Center, 2:00–4:00 p.m.  
Panel discussion: “Hip-Hop in the Media”  
312 Ferguson Center, 6:00–7:15 p.m.  
Final performance  
Ferguson Ballroom, 8:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by Punch Writers Project, University Programs, Creative Campus, Ferguson Center Student Union, Intercultural Student Council, Arts Student League, Crossroads Community Center, and Capstone Association of Black Journalists.*

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2007**

Panel discussion: “Where To From Here?”  
Radio program to air on WVUA 90.7 FM, 8:00–10:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the College of Arts and Sciences, the College of Education, New College, and the New College Radio Lab*

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2007**

“Footsteps of Foster” (speaker and tour of Foster Auditorium)  
W. S. Hoole Special Collections Library, second floor Mary Harmon Bryant Hall, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (open until 9:00 p.m. Thursdays)  
*Sponsored by Housing and Residential Communities*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2006**

African-American Heritage Month culminating reception  
Crossroads Lounge, Ferguson Center, 4:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by Crossroads Community Center*

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2007**

NAACP Appreciation Day  
Second floor Ferguson Center, table by left entrance of Starbucks, 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.  
*Sponsored by the NAACP*

**DATE TBA**

Dance course: Traditional African-American Dance  
Student Recreation Center, time TBA.  
For further information contact Stacy Pegenau at 348-5131.  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama Student Recreation Center*

**ONGOING EVENTS**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2007–**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2007**  
“African-American Women Who Dared” flyer campaign  
*Sponsored by the University of Alabama Women’s Resource Center and Women Involved in Learning and Leading (WILL)*

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2007–**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2007**  
*They Came ... They Saw ... They Reported: Images from the World Press Coverage of “Segregation’s Last Stand” at The University of Alabama*

Photographs by Camille Elebash taken in June 1963 for her Tuscaloosa, Alabama weekly newspaper, *The Graphic*  
W. S. Hoole Special Collections Library, second floor Mary Harmon Bryant Hall, 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (open until 9:00 p.m. Thursdays)

Exhibit by Jessica Lacher-Feldman and Mary-Keeley McAllister  
Camille Elebash will comment on her experiences on February 13, 2007, during “The Race Beat,” a lecture and book signing with Hank Klibanoff.

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