



Rosenfield Program

2001 – 2002 Program Events

GRINNELL COLLEGE



Symposia

October 4-6:

Culture, Politics & Change in Contemporary Cuba

- A symposium at the University of Iowa and Grinnell College

October 8-11:

The Palestinian/Israeli Conflict in Perspective

- Student Presentation: "Witness to Injustice: Personal Experiences from the Intifada" by **Elizabeth Koch '02**, Grinnell College student – intern for B'Tselem, The Israeli Information Center for Human Rights in the Occupied Territories, Jerusalem and **Leah Uberseder '02**, Earlham College Student, Intern for Alternative Information, Jerusalem; participation in the Great Lakes Jerusalem Program
- "De quoi s'agit-il? (What is it all about?)" by Professor **David Shoenbaum**, Department of History, University of Iowa
- "Religious Dimensions of the Israel-Palestine Conflict & the New World Crisis" by Professor **Fred Astren**, Jewish St. Program, San Francisco State University
- "Human Rights and Humanitarian Law Issues in the Conflict" by **Joseph Stork**, Washington Director, Middle East & North Africa Division, Human Rights Watch
- Scholars' Convocation: "Picking Up the Pieces: From Diplomacy to Confrontation & Back" by **Robert Malley**, Sen. Fellow, Council on Foreign Relations; Sen. Policy Adv., Center for Middle East Peace & Economic Dev., Clinton Administration NSC Staff Middle East Dir.
- "The Relevance of Human Rights to a Renewed Israeli/Palestinian Peace Process" by **Edward Kaufman**, Executive Director, Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace, The Hebrew University

November 6-8:

New Faces in Iowa: The Challenges & Prospects Created by Recent Immigration

- "The Historical Context of Immigration to Iowa" by Professor **Dorothy Schwieder**, Department of History, Iowa State University
- "The Demographics of Diversity & Immigration in Iowa" by **Sandra Charvat Burke**, Census Surv. & Department of Sociology, Iowa State University
- Panel: "Iowa As Seen Through the Eyes of Newcomers" by representatives of the most recently arrived groups
- Scholar's Convocation: "Iowa 2010 – The New Face of Iowa" by **David Oman**, Chairman, Governor's Strategic Planning Council
- "The New Iowans: The Historic & Economic Context for Recent Immigration and What it Means for Iowa Communities" by Professor **Mark Grey**, Department of Anthropology, University of Northern Iowa
- Panel: "Challenges and Prospects" with representatives of offices and agencies that deal with the needs of recent immigrants and refugees in Iowa

Lectures

October 8:

"Out of the Past & For the Future of the Maya Forest: The El Pilar Archaeological Reserve for Maya Flora & Fauna" by **Anabel Ford**, Archaeologist, University of California, Santa Barbara

Other Events

September 13

An Open Discussion on "Terrorism: Domestic & International Implications" with Grinnell College Faculty: **Robert Grey, Tissa Jayatilaka, Wayne Moyer, Russell Osgood, Ira Strauber, Barbara Trish** and **Eliza Willis**

September 30-

October 7:

"Europe as a Global Actor: Pipe Dream or Emerging Reality? Globalization-Challenges & Opportunities Informal Discussion on US-EU Relations" by **Christian Leffler**, German Marshall Fund Visiting Fellow, Deputy Head of the Private Office of the Rt. Hon. Chris Patten, European Commissioner for External Relations

October 18:

Panel Discussion: "Crime & Punishment: Content and Consequences" by **Alice Kim**, National Organizer, Campaign to End the Death Penalty, **Louva Bell**, mother, death row inmate, and **David Bates**, ex-prisoner

October 20:

"Sharing the Spirit of Survival" by **David Faber**, Polish-born Holocaust Survivor

October 28-30:

"The Making of and Response to A Long Night's Journey Into Day: South Africa's Search for Truth & Reconciliation" by **Frances Reid** and **Deborah Hoffmann**, Filmmakers. Co-sponsored by the Center for the Humanities