

Black History Month (BHM) Calendar



February 2009

"Out of Africa" Art Exhibition

February 1, 2009 - March 15, 2009

David Filderman Gallery

Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, Ninth Floor, South Campus

This exhibition showcases 19th- and 20th-century masks, headdresses, weapons, tools, and figurative sculptures from nine countries located in western and central Africa, including Côte d'Ivoire and the Democratic Republic of Congo.

Contact: (516) 463-5672 or hofstra.edu/museum

Sponsored by the Hofstra University Museum.

Civil Rights Day: A Center for Civic Engagement Event

Monday, February 2nd, 2009

11 a.m.-9 p.m.

Several locations and events around campus

On its annual Civil Rights Day, Hofstra celebrates the courageous college students who demanded an end to segregated restaurants by starting the Woolworth's lunch counter sit-in in Greensboro, NC on February 1, 1960.

Contact: <http://www.hofstra.edu/Academics/Colleges/HCLAS/CCE>

Sponsored by The Center for Civic Engagement, The Hofstra Pride Network, The Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Africa at Work Film Series

February 4, 11, and 18, 2009

6:30-8:30 p.m.

Guthart Cultural Center Theater, Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

The Labor Studies program showcases important films on the rapidly changing world of work and working-class movements in modern Africa. Introductions

and discussions led by Hofstra faculty.

Film 1: *The Magnificent African Cake*

Film 2: *Southern Treasures*

Film 3: *Black Gold*

Contact: laborstudies@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-5040

Sponsored by Hofstra's Labor Studies program.

Black History Month Opening Reception

Thursday, February 5, 2009

5:30 p.m.

Lowenfeld Exhibition Hall, Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus

Join members of the Hofstra community as we formally recognize our celebration of Black History Month. Come hear the 2009 BHM keynote address, student reflections, and enjoy a light reception.

Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Reflections on Leadership

Friday, February 6, 2009

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Mack Student Center, North Campus

Come and hear the reflections of students who attended the 2009 National Black Student Leadership Development Conference in Washington, D.C.

Contact: Keesha.Cameron@hofstra.edu or Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

Sponsored by the Career Center and the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

A Closer Look: A View of Africa Through Its Art

Friday, February 6, 2009

2:30 p.m.

David Filderman Gallery

Joan and David E. Axinn Library, Ninth Floor, South Campus

Cheryl Mwaria, professor of anthropology, will focus on a single work of art from the exhibition Out of Africa: Works from the Hofstra University Collection and discuss how its creation was shaped by a complex set of relationships to the history, geography, language, politics, economics, and the cultural experience of the African people. Exhibition opening reception will follow.

Fees: \$5 general public; \$3 senior citizen; Hofstra students, faculty, and staff with current HofstraCard and Museum members admitted free.

Contact: (516) 463-5672 or hofstra.edu/museum

Sponsored by Hofstra University Museum.

Secrets to Success

Wednesday, February 11, 2009,

6 p.m.

The Career Center, M. Robert Lowe Hall, South Campus

Do you want to succeed at your career? Discover the secrets to success that no one tells you about. Relationships: Identify expectations in American Work Culture. Master and Perfect the Art of Workplace Diplomacy.

Contact: Keesha.Cameron@hofstra.edu

Sponsored by the Career Center.

The N-Word: Should it Ever be Used Again by

Anyone? A Diversity-Dialogue-Desserts Program

Student Center Plaza Room East

Friday, February 13th

2-4 p.m.

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs

Contact: ryan.greene@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-6796.

Sponsored the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Black History Month Readings

Wednesday, February 25, 2009

11:15 a.m.-12:40 p.m. (Common Hour)

Main Floor, Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, South Campus

Please join us at the Axinn Library for a program of short readings by Hofstra students, faculty, staff and administrators from works by or about people of African descent.

Contact: David.Woolwine@hofstra.edu

Sponsored by the Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library.

Multicultural Film Series presents:

"The Great Debaters"

Thursday February 26, 2009

6-8:30 p.m.

Mack Student Center Theater, North Campus

Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

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Division of Student Affairs, Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs

The Career Center, Hofstra University Museum, Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, Labor Studies program.

Center for Civic Engagement, Hofstra Cultural Center, Hofstra Pride Network, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. (Nu Tau chapter)

► For more information about each of these programs please visit the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs website at <http://www.hofstra.edu/StudentAffairs/omisp>



Division of Student Affairs
Office of Multicultural and International Student Programs

Hispanic Heritage Month (HHM) 2008 Event Calendar

Latino Block Party

Saturday, September 13, 2008 at 12:31 p.m.

Hofstra USA Plaza, North Campus

Kick off Hispanic Heritage Month with a BANG! For the third consecutive year, the Zeta chapter of Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity, Inc. shares Latino culture with the Hofstra community. Come to enjoy free food, music, and entertainment.

Sponsored by: Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity, Inc., and the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Contact: cmoral4@pride.hofstra.edu

The Many Shades of Latinos

Monday, September 22, 2008 at 9:17 p.m.

Student Center Plaza Room East

Join the "radiant" members of Omega Phi Beta and the "elite" members of Lambda Upsilon Lambda for a forum celebrating the many cultures which make up the "Latino Nation".

Sponsored by: Omega Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., Lambda Upsilon Lambda Fraternity, Inc. and the Office of Multicultural and International Student Programs.

Contact: ccruz5@pride.hofstra.edu

Fight the Good Fight

Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at 9 p.m.

143 Mack Student Center, North Campus

Join the women of Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc. as they share inspirational stories of Latinas living with HIV and AIDS.

Sponsored by: Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc.

Contact: mbaez2@pride.hofstra.edu

"Globalization and Development Challenges in the Eastern Caribbean"

Guest Lecture Presented by Moses Batiste

Wednesday, September 24, 2008 at 4:30 p.m.

CHPHB Room 117

Join the Department of Latin and Caribbean Studies (LACS) as they present a guest lecture by Moses Batiste, member of parliament for the Vieux Fort North district in Saint Lucia.

Sponsored by: the LACS Program.

Contact: ecojew@hofstra.edu

Mambo 101

Thursday, September 25, 2008 at 9 p.m.

Location TBA

Want to learn how to mambo? Let the women of the Zeta chapter of Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc. teach you how!

Sponsored by: Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc.

Contact: mbaez2@pride.hofstra.edu

First General Informational

Monday, October 13, 2008 at 9 p.m.

Plaza Room East, Mack Student Center, North Campus

Want to know more about Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc.? Come meet the women of the Zeta chapter at Hofstra University! Business attire is requested.

Sponsored by: Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc.

Contact: mbaez2@pride.hofstra.edu

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For more information about these programs, please visit
hofstra.edu/studentaffairs/omisip.

National Latino AIDS Awareness Day

Wednesday, October 15, 2008 at 10 a.m.

Student Center Atrium, North Campus

In honor of National Latino AIDS Awareness Day, join the women of Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc. for a "Red" bake sale and information about free HIV testing.

Sponsored by: Hermandad de Sigma Iota Alpha, Inc.

Diversity, Dialogue, and Desserts presents "Latino-Nation: America's New Majority"

Tuesday, October 21, 2008 at 3 p.m.

142 Mack Student Center, North Campus

Sponsored by: the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Contact: Ryan.Green@hofstra.edu

Que Viva Puerto Rico Libre!

Tuesday, October 21, 2008 at 9 p.m.

Multipurpose Room West, Mack Student Center, North Campus

This event will raise awareness about Puerto Rican revolutionaries like Filiberto Ojeda Rios and Pedro Albizu Campos. Members of the Zeta chapter of Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity, Inc. will also discuss historical attempts to liberate the "Enchanted Island."

Sponsored by: Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Contact: cmoral4@pride.hofstra.edu

Latin Dance Craze

Wednesday, October 22, 2008 at 11:15 a.m.-12:45 p.m. (Common Hour)

Multipurpose Room, Mack Student Center, North Campus

FREE Latin dance lessons are back! For the second year, the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs is pleased to partner with Sol y Sombra Dance Company to offer a Latin dance lesson to Hofstra students. *SPACE FOR THIS EVENT IS LIMITED.*

Sponsored by: the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

Multicultural Film Series presents Stand and Deliver

Thursday, October 23, 2008 at 6 p.m.

Student Center Theater, North Campus

Based on a true story, the 1988 film Stand and Deliver examines how one determined and passionate teacher changed the lives of many underprivileged students in a Los Angeles inner-city school.

Sponsored by: the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

Verbal Inferno Vol. III

Friday October 24, 2008 at 8 p.m.

Location TBA

Over the past year, SP!T has changed the way the Hofstra community experiences the art of spoken word, and this time is no different! In conjunction with Hispanic Heritage Month 2008, come listen to the expressions of two of the strongest poets to ever "SP!T" into a microphone.

Sponsored by: SP!T, Hofstra Concerts, Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs, Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

Contact: cmoral4@pride.hofstra.edu

Hispanic Heritage Month Closing Reception

Wednesday October 29, 2008 at 5:30 p.m.

Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall, Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus

Join members of the Hofstra community as we formally recognize our celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month. Come to hear the 2008 HHM keynote address, and enjoy a light reception.

Sponsored by: the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

International Poetry Symposium Celebrating the Work of Cesar Vallejo

Thursday and Friday, October 30 and 31, 2008 at Time TBA

Location TBA

Come participate in this Hofstra University-sponsored symposium recognizing the diverse influences of Vallejo's poetry in the world. This symposium will feature two keynote addresses by prominent Vallejo scholars, as well as poetry readings.

Sponsored by: the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures and the Hofstra Cultural Center.

Contact: Miguel-Angel.Zapata@hofstra.edu

2009 Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

▶ **Henna Tattoos and Indian Snack Sale**

Monday and Tuesday, March 30 and 31, 2009
Mack Student Center Atrium, North Campus
Come support the South Asian Students Association's first fund-raiser!
Get a henna tattoo or purchase Indian snacks and drinks.
Sponsored by *The South Asian Students Association (SASA)*.
Contact: SASA.hofstra@gmail.com

▶ **The Commuter Series presents: Take-Out Wednesday**

Wednesday, April 1, 2009 • Noon-12:30 p.m. • 221 Mack Student Center, North Campus
Attention commuting students! Stay for this Common Hour event and enjoy lunch on us!
This month's featured cuisine will coincide with Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month!
Sponsored by the *Office of Commuting Student Affairs*. Contact: Jaclyn.Congello@hofstra.edu

*This event is open only to Hofstra commuting students.

▶ **Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month Opening Reception**

Thursday, April 2, 2009 • 5:30-7 p.m.
Rochelle and Irwin A. Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall
Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus
Join members of the Hofstra community as we formally recognize our celebration of Asian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month. Come hear the 2009 keynote address given by New York City Councilman John C. Liu, and enjoy a light reception. Sponsored by the *Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs*.
Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu



▶ **Bollywood Movie Night** *This event is open only to Hofstra residential students.

Thursday, April 16, 2009 • 7 p.m. • Lounge, Vander Poel Hall, 13th floor, North Campus
Did you know that the Indian cinema industry produces more films annually than Hollywood? Join the South Asian Students Association to enjoy a hit Bollywood movie with action, comedy and music! The film will have subtitles, and refreshments will be served. Sponsored by the *South Asian Students Association*. Contact: SASA.hofstra@gmail.com

▶ **Third Annual NYC Asian-American Student Conference**

Saturday, April 18, 2009 • 9:30 a.m.-9:30 p.m. • Kimmel Center for University Life, New York University
Join students from the New York metropolitan area for this dynamic leadership conference. Students will participate in workshops and panels, and receive one free ticket to a concert after the conference!
This event is FREE for all students! Sponsored by *New York University*.
Contact: e-mail Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu or visit nycaasc.com

▶ **True Life: I'm a Hofstra International Student**

Wednesday, April 22, 2009 • 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. • Plaza Room West, Mack Student Center, North Campus
Did you know that students from India, China, South Korea, Japan, and Canada comprise 49 percent of all international students in the United States? It's about real students; it's about real experiences. It's about TRUE LIFE. Please join us for an insightful discussion about what it's like to be an international student at Hofstra.
Sponsored by the *Office of Residential Programs and the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs*.
Contact: Sean.Dowd@hofstra.edu or Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

▶ **Multicultural Film Series presents: "My Life (Translated): SuChin Pak"**

Thursday, April 23, 2009 • 6-8:30 p.m. • Mack Student Center Theater, North Campus
Former MTV news correspondent SuChin Pak is featured in the series "My Life (Translated)," which examines the lives of young adults balancing their American lifestyles with traditional customs and cultures of their family's native roots. Join us for a screening and discussion of this insightful documentary about cross cultural identity and development.
Sponsored by the *Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs*. Contact: Pamela.Phayme@hofstra.edu

▶ **Asian-American Identity and the Stereotype of the "Model Minority" A Diversity, Dialogue, and Desserts series program**

Friday, April 24, 2009 • 2-3:30 p.m. • 141 Mack Student Center, North Campus
Sponsored by the *Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs*. Contact: Ryan.Greene@hofstra.edu

▶ **"Holi" – Festival of Spring Colors (in conjunction with MusicFest)**

Saturday, May 2, 2009 • 2 p.m. • Intramural Fields, North Campus
Come celebrate the return of spring with the members of SASA, during MusicFest.
Sponsored by the *South Asian Students Association*.
Contact: SASA.hofstra@gmail.com

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South Asian Students Association (SASA)

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Women's "Herstory" Month (WHM) 2009 Calendar of Events

Making Their Presence Felt: An Exhibit Honoring Notable Long Island Women March 1-31

Lobby, Lower Level, Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library

This exhibit showcases notable women who lived on Long Island during the 19th and 20th centuries.

Sponsored by the Hofstra University Special Collections Department.

► Contact: Geri Solomon at Geri.E.Solomon@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-6407

Boys in School: Perils, Problems, and Promise Tuesday, March 3 • 11:10 a.m.-12:35 p.m.

Plaza Rooms, Mack Student Center, North Campus

Two authors present their work and dialogue on current issues in masculinity and education.

Sponsored by the Department of Women's Studies and the Center for Civic Engagement.

► Contact: Dr. Cindy Rosenthal at (516) 463-4966 or Cindy.Rosenthal@hofstra.edu



Mia Tyler (daughter of Steven Tyler from Aerosmith) Tuesday, March 3 • 8-9:30 p.m.

Monroe Lecture Center Theater, California Avenue, South Campus

Ms. Tyler will discuss her life, and issues that revolve around her alcohol and drug use as well as issues that concern her body image.

Sponsored by the Office of Residential Programs, Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs, FOCUS program, Resident Student Association, Wellness Center, Spirit Support, Zarb Women in Business, and Department of Recreation and Intramural Sports.

► Contact: Amanda Horvat at Amanda.Horvat@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-4897

"What Would Oprah Do?"

Wednesday, March 4 • 7 p.m.

Rochelle and Irwin A. Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall
Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus

Oprah is a powerful woman, garnering fans, funds and political power with aplomb. But what does all this power create? What, precisely, does Oprah SELL? Katie Lofton, a Princeton University Fellow, will lead the program.

Admission: Free

Sponsored by the Department of Religion and Department of Women's Studies.

► Contact: Department of Religion at (516) 463-5623

Women's "Herstory" Month Opening Reception Thursday, March 5 • 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Rochelle and Irwin A. Lowenfeld Conference and Exhibition Hall
Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, 10th Floor, South Campus

Erin Vilarde, the national program director of The White House Project, will present a keynote address.

Sponsored by the Office of the Provost, the School of Communication, the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

► Contact: Ryan Greene at Ryan.Greene@hofstra.edu



Lady Bird, Pat and Betty: Tea for Three Sunday, March 8 • 2 p.m.

Monroe Lecture Center Theater, California Avenue, South Campus

Intimate portraits of three remarkable and radically different first ladies: Lady Bird Johnson, Pat Nixon, and Betty Ford.

Tickets go on sale beginning February 17.

Sponsored by Hofstra Entertainment.

► Contact: For tickets and information please call the John Cranford Adams Playhouse Box Office at (516) 463-6644, M-F, 11 a.m.-3:45 p.m.



Multicultural Film Series: The Hours Wednesday, March 11 • 6-8:30 p.m.

Leo A. Guthart Cultural Center Theater

Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

► Contact: Ryan Greene at Ryan.Greene@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-6796

Musical Performance: The Feminine Musique Friday, March 13 • 7:30 p.m.

Monroe Lecture Center Theater, California Avenue, South Campus

The *Feminine Musique* features performances of vocal repertoire written by the wives, sisters, daughters, and lovers of some of the world's most famous composers.

Fees: \$5 general public; \$3 senior citizen; Hofstra students, faculty, and staff with current HofstraCard and Museum members admitted free.

Sponsored by the Hofstra University Museum.

► Contact: (516) 463-5672 or hofstra.edu/museum

Iron Jawed Angels

Sunday, March 15 • 5-8 p.m.

Mack Student Center Theater, North Campus

Iron Jawed Angels recounts for a contemporary audience a key chapter in U.S. history: the struggle of suffragists who fought for the passage of the 19th Amendment.

Sponsored by the Office of Residential Programs.

► Contact: Katelynn Tomney at ktomne1@pride.hofstra.edu

Sacajawea: The Most Honored Woman in America Wednesday, March 18 • 8 p.m.

Leo A. Guthart Cultural Center Theater

Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

What happened to Sacajawea after the Lewis and Clark expedition? Her legacy includes the naming of (in her honor): three lakes, one river, 24 statues (more than any other woman in American history), 12 granite/bronze markers, one plant (the Sacajawea silver buffaloberry), and one gold dollar. Join speaker Alfred Jay Bollet, M.D., the former clinical professor of medicine at Yale School of Medicine.

Admission: Free
Sponsored by the Department of Anthropology and the Hofstra Cultural Center.

► Contact: Hofstra Cultural Center at (516) 463-5669

The 5 Shades of Pink: A Coerced Identity by Melissa J. Edwards, Class of 2009

Thursday, March 19 • 7:30 p.m.

Monroe Lecture Center Theater, California Avenue, South Campus

This is a graduate thesis performance exploring biracial identity in the 19th century.

Admission: Free

Sponsored by the Hofstra Cultural Center in cooperation with the Graduate Association of Rhetoric and Performance Studies.

What if Women Ruled the World?

A Gender Analysis of Leadership

A Diversity, Dialogue, and Desserts series event

Friday, March 20 • 2-4 p.m.

145 Mack Student Center, North Campus

Sponsored by the Office of Multicultural & International Student Programs.

► Contact: Ryan Greene at Ryan.Greene@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-6796



Women's "Herstory" Month Readings

Wednesday, March 25 • 11:15 a.m.-12:40 p.m.

(Lunch will be served.)

Lobby, Main Floor, Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library

Come read works by or about your favorite woman authors, or just come to listen!

Sponsored by the Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library.

► Contact: Margaret Burke at Margaret.Burke@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-6448 (An R.S.V.P. is required for this event.)

In the Crossing

Tuesday, March 31 • 11:10 a.m.-12:35 p.m.

Location TBA

Leila Buck, an Arab-American actress, writer and teaching artist, shares her story of a woman who sees herself as a bridge between her Muslim, Christian, Lebanese and American backgrounds and the Jewish culture into which she has married.

Admission: Free

Sponsored by the Department of Women's Studies, Middle East and Central Asian Studies Program, Department of Comparative Literature and Languages, and the Department of Speech Communication, Rhetoric, and Performance Studies.

► Contact: Dr. Cindy Rosenthal at (516) 463-4966 or Cindy.Rosenthal@hofstra.edu

On Paper Wings

Tuesday, March 31

2:20-3:45 p.m. and 4:30-5:55 p.m.

216 Breslin Hall, South Campus

Filmmaker Ilana Sol presents *On Paper Wings*, a documentary film about the Japanese balloon bombs in World War II, and the peacemaking efforts of the Japanese "factory girls" and a Japanese-American scholar in the 40 years that followed.

Sponsored by the Department of Women's Studies, Department of History, and Department of Asian Studies.

► Contact: Dr. Cindy Rosenthal at (516) 463-4966 or Cindy.Rosenthal@hofstra.edu

"For a Rosary of Memories: Italian-American Women Writers and Artists and Memory-Work"

in honor of the establishment of the UNICO Distinguished Professorship

Tuesday, March 31 • 5-7 p.m.

Leo A. Guthart Cultural Center Theater

Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

This is a discussion of women's role as bearers of memory, both personal and collective. Moderated by Pellegrino D'Acerno, professor of comparative literature and UNICO Distinguished Professor of Italian Studies and Italian American Studies. Speakers include Helen Barolini, Gioia Timpanelli, B. Amore, and Edvige Giunta.

Admission: Free

Sponsored by Hofstra College of Liberal Arts and Sciences and the Italian Studies and Italian-American Studies programs.

► Contact: Hofstra Cultural Center at (516) 463-5669

International Conference: "Between Three Continents: Rethinking Equatorial Guinea on the 40th Anniversary of its Independence From Spain"

Thursday-Saturday, April 2-4 • 9 a.m.-7 p.m.

Leo A. Guthart Cultural Center Theater

Joan and Donald E. Axinn Library, First Floor, South Campus

This conference, the fulcrum of an initiative designed to reshape the place of Africa in debates on the Spanish-speaking and Atlantic worlds, will address historical and cultural connections between Equatorial Guinea, Spain, and the Americas.

Sponsored by the Hofstra Cultural Center, Program for Cultural Cooperation between Spain's Ministry of Culture and U.S. Universities

► Contact: Benita Sampedro at Benita.Sampedro@hofstra.edu or (516) 463-4521

Exhibition: Tranquil Power: The Art of Perle Fine April 7-June 6

Emily Lowe Gallery, Behind Emily Lowe Hall, South Campus

This original retrospective exhibition, curated for the Hofstra University Museum, explores the work of Perle Fine (1905-1988), a faculty member at Hofstra University from 1962 to 1973.

Sponsored by the Hofstra University Museum.

► Contact: (516) 463-5672 or hofstra.edu/museum

Poetry Performance:

Women Poets in "Intimate Encounters"

Thursday, April 16 • 3 p.m.

Emily Lowe Gallery, Behind Emily Lowe Hall, South Campus

In conjunction with the exhibit *Tranquil Power: The Art of Perle Fine*, actress Shirley Romaine presents theatrical readings of poetry that explore the concept of intimacy.

Fees: \$5 general public; \$3 senior citizen; Hofstra students, faculty, and staff with current HofstraCard and Museum members admitted free.

Sponsored by the Hofstra University Museum.

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