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Co-Curricular Programming Spring 2013  
Sponsored by the Office of Intercultural Affairs  
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**Inclusive Excellence Grant Opportunity – Open to all current members of the Stonehill community**

The Offices for Intercultural Affairs is accepting proposals for innovative and educational projects, programs, initiatives and activities that have the following goals:

1. To create or improve programs which address the importance of including diverse views, cultures, or methods of teaching and learning
2. To encourage the participation of all community members in diversity initiatives at the College
3. To increase learning and support of groups from historically underrepresented groups
4. To increase opportunities for collaborative learning and inclusive excellence

This is a unique grant opportunity with an application process open to all current Stonehill students, faculty, administrators and staff members. For more information, please contact Intercultural Affairs at x1409 or visit <http://www.stonehill.edu/x13241.xml>

**Ongoing Series on Diversity**

**Raising Awareness of Cultural Experiences (R.A.C.E.)** is a 4-session dialogue group for members of the Stonehill community to explore issues of race, racism, power and privilege in our lives. Through activities, readings, and intergroup dialogue, R.A.C.E. participants will engage in meaningful conversations that seek to educate and empower. R.A.C.E. discussion group members are expected to attend each session. Each semester, a new cohort will be offered, and a 'series' length is 4 sessions, typically over 4 weeks. Contact: Liza Talusan (x1409)

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014** Session 1: Introduction to Conversations on Diversity

**Tuesday, February 11, 2014** Session 2: Ethnicity and Race

**Tuesday, February 18, 2014** Session 3: Majority, Minority, and Power

**Tuesday, February 25, 2014** Session 4: Reducing Prejudice and Anti-Racism

**\*All sessions will be held in Duffy 114 from 11:00am-12:00pm**

**Leadership Through Diversity** is a first year student introductory diversity discussion group. It is designed to keep first year students connected, integrated, and involved in the Stonehill community. Aside from gaining a better self-awareness and connecting with others, the program is designed to teach students how to engage in conversations about identity, diversity, empowerment, and peace. As a successful leader, being part of diversity discussions is essential to creating an inclusive campus. Contact: Tiffany Enos (x1409). Students meet once a month on the following dates (Thursday evenings at 6pm in Duffy 230):

**January 30, 2014**

**February 27, 2014**

**April 24, 2014**

**Lunch with 12 strangers** is open to all members of the Stonehill community. Each semester, the Office of Intercultural Affairs will select a book for interested participants to share thoughts, and talk about the diversity related stories. The discussion dates and times are as follows: **Wednesday, March 26, 2014**

***The Other Wes Moore by Wes Moore***

**RISE** is a discussion group open to all female students of color.

**MOSAIC** is a discussion group open to all male students of color.

**Exploring Whiteness** is a social justice discussion group open to all students who identify as white.

**GenOne** is a discussion group open to all students who identify as first-generation college students.

**\*\*\*Note: All our events are free and open to the public.**

## January

**Wednesday, January 29, 2014 at 4pm in Duffy 216**

### **Modern Family Panel**

International, inter-racial, and inter-religious adoption, dating, and marriage are increasingly visible in our world, community and in our own Stonehill lives. Listen to the experiences of Stonehill community members as they share their own stories of international, inter-racial, and inter-religious adoption, dating, and marriage.

What are the social, emotional and psychological impacts and benefits? How have the individuals and families dealt with outside pressures and interfamily issues?

## February

**Tuesday, February 4, 2014 at 4pm in Duffy 220**

### **Black History Month Convocation**

Come celebrate the kick-off event to Black History Month with members of the Stonehill Community! Listen to stories from fellow students and administrators from across campus about their life experiences. Their reflections and insights will be informative and thought-provoking as we honor Black history and experience this month.

**Friday, February 7, 2014 at 4pm in Martin Auditorium**

### **Conference on Diversity and Inclusion**

The Conference on Diversity and Inclusion is an opportunity for sharing programs, teaching practices, student experiences and leadership in areas that create and improve a culture of belonging at Stonehill. From administrators to faculty to staff to students, the conference is designed to be participant driven workshops facilitated by members of the Stonehill community and guests. All are welcome to attend!

**Thursday, February 20, 2014 at 7pm in Martin Auditorium**

### **The Shaolin Jazz Project**

Conceived and produced by Gerald Watson and DJ2-Tone Jones, SHAOLIN Jazz is a testament to the stylistic connection between both Jazz and Hip-Hop. It is a mix project whereby various Jazz songs and breaks are fused with vocals from the Wu-Tang Clan. Join us for this creative multi-media visual arts presentation.

**Wednesday, February 26, 2014 at 4pm in Martin Auditorium**

### **The Prep School Negro Film Screening**

Come watch this wonderful film and join us for a post- film discussion with the director, Andre Robert Lee. In the Prep School Negro, Andre takes a journey back in time to revisit the events of his adolescence while also spending time with current day prep school students of color and their classmates to see how much has really changed inside the ivory tower if at all.

## March

**Tuesday, March 4, 2014 at 4pm in Duffy 220**

### **Women's History Month Convocation**

Join Stonehill women as they share their experiences of school, career, family, and life. While historically underrepresented, women have contributed and continue to contribute many gifts to a global society as well as the Stonehill community.

**Thursday, March 26, 2014 at 12pm in Cleary**

### **Lunch with 12 Strangers: *The Other Wes Moore* by Wes Moore**

The Other Wes Moore tells the story of two boys with the same name growing up in the same city. One grew up to be a Rhodes scholar, decorated combat veteran, White House Fellow, and business leader. The other is serving a life sentence in prison for felony murder. Here is the story of the two boys and the journey of a generation. **RSVP required; please contact x1409**

**Thursday, April 3, 2014 at 4pm in Duffy 216**  
**Asian/Asian-American Heritage Month Convocation**

This kick-off event recognizes and celebrates Asian heritage as we hear from members of the Stonehill Community. With voices from international students, Asian-American students, and faculty here on campus, we will get a small look into the vast differences of the Asian culture.

**Thursday, April 10, 2014 at 7pm in Pettit Atrium**  
**DiverCity Festival**

This culmination of dance (traditional and contemporary), fashion, and theatrical performance pulls from the talents of the Stonehill Community. Various aspects of diversity are represented through artistic form as we explore social issues that impact our community today. Part celebration, part education -- support the many students who work to shape a more just and compassionate community.