Human Rights DukelImmerse Programs

Spring 2016 applications now available

'Rights and Identities in the Americas' examines the historic crucible of the Americas and its effect on the development of human rights principles. In the classroom and on the ground both in Durham and in Mexico, students will examine the history of human rights in the Americas, indigenous rights through the lens of language and culture, and the relation between the state, family, gender, immigration and human rights.

'The Freedom Struggles in the 20th Century' semester grew out of a desire to understand the similarities and differences between the American Civil Rights Movement and the anti-apartheid struggles in South Africa. The program combines classroom study with visits to historic sites of resistance and oppression in South Africa, including discussions with scholars and activists.

Speaking Power

Poetry, performance, and sermon slam
Calling all poets, preachers, performing artists, DJs, dancers, and creatives alike! The Pauli Murray Project invites you to share your gift of speaking power in a slam-style event in celebration of the life and legacy of accomplished American activist Pauli Murray, who championed the cause of human rights through her work as an author, educator, lawyer, feminist, poet, and priest. The slam will take place at The Scrap Exchange on Friday, October 16th from 6-9 p.m. For more information or to sign up please click here.

Also on display until December 12, 2015 at The Scrap Exchange is Pauli Murray: Imp, Crusader, Dude, Priest, an exhibition about Murray's life and legacy. Read more about the exhibit here.

2015 North Carolina Research Symposium

Call for submissions

Registration is now open for the 2015 State of North Carolina Undergraduate Research and Creativity Symposium, hosted at High Point University on Saturday, November 14, 2015. During the day-long gathering of over 600 students from dozens of colleges and universities around the state, students from all disciplines will present their research through creative products such as posters, talks, and performances.

The deadline for submission is October 16th. A limited number of grants to help with travel and registration are available through the Duke URS Office. Click here for more information about the symposium and here to learn more about the Human Rights Summer Research Grants offered by the DHRC@FHI.

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