

FALL 2024 EVENTS

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SONA TATOYAN ARTIST RESIDENCY for the 2024 Annual Dr. Berj H. Haidostian Lecture

Cosponsors: Center for World Performance Studies, U-M Arts Initiative

SEPTEMBER 5

Annual Dr. Berj H. Haidostian Lecture. Paradox and Liberation: Bones, Puppets, and Psychedelic Journeys in the Deconstruction of Identity SONA TATOYAN, Hakawati By Invitation Only

SEPTEMBER 7

Theater Performance.

Azad Storytelling

SONA TATOYAN, Hakawati;
AYHAN HULAGU, Actor
7:00 - 8:30 PM | Keene
Theater, Residential
College



SEPTEMBER 17

Lecture. Nagorno-Karabakh: The Next Chapter

PHIL GAMAGHELYAN, University of San Diego

3:00 - 4:30 PM | Zoom

SEPTEMBER 26

EIHS Lecture. The Ethics of Blessed Entertainment: The Visual and Affective Fundraising Strategies of German Humanitarianism on Behalf of Ottoman Armenians (1890-1930)

MELANIE TANIELIAN, University of Michigan

4:00 - 6:00 PM | 1014 Tisch

OCTOBER 2



Lecture. "For us the Desert are Buzzling Cities:" Early Soviet Yerevan between Armenian Futurism and Post-Persian Retrotopia

DAVID LEUPOLD, Leibniz-Zentrum Moderner Orient Berlin

4:00 - 5:30 PM | Weiser Hall 555

OCTOBER 24





Lecture. Ottoman Passports: Security and Geographic Mobility, 1876-1908

ILKAY YILMAZ, Freie Universität Berlin 4:00 - 5:30 PM | Weiser Hall 555

NOVEMBER 5

Lecture. "They Vowed Never to Return:" Armenian Transatlantic Mobility and Abandoned Ottomans

HAZAL ÖZDEMIR, 2024-24 Manoogian Postdoctoral Fellow in Armenian Studies

4:00 - 5:30 PM | Weiser Hall 555

NOVEMBER 7

Lecture. Making "MENA": Histories of the "Middle East," Race, and the US Census

THOMAS SIMSARIAN DOLAN,

Armenian General Benevolent Union

4:00 PM - 5:30 PM | Weiser Hall 555

Co-sponsors: Arab and Muslim American Studies Program; Department of American Culture

NOVEMBER 20

CREES Lecture. Political Anxieties in Caucasia: the Georgian National Narrative Between War and Peace NUTSA BATIASHVILI, Free University of Thilisi

12:00 - 1:20 PM | Weiser Hall 555

NOVEMBER 21

Lecture. Needs of the Armenian Apostolic Church in the Context of Contemporary Political Processes and Social Modernization Trends

ARTHUR ATANESYAN, Yerevan State University, Armenia

4:00 - 5:30 PM | Weiser Hall 555 Cosponsor: Weiser Center for Europe and Eurasia

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