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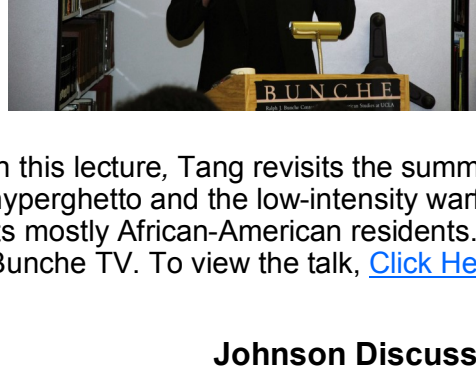
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Miss the last Bunche Center talk? Check out Bunche Center TV on YouTube and binge on the latest discussions about groundbreaking research by UCLA faculty, graduate students, and visiting scholars.



Tang Lecture — *Unsettled*

University of Texas, Austin Professor Eric Tang discussed his new book, *Unsettled: Fugitive Life in the Hyperghetto*, in a Bunche Center Circle of Thought on April 6, 2016.

In this lecture, Tang revisits the summer of 1967 to uncover the origins of the hyperghetto and the low-intensity warfare that has since been waged against its mostly African-American residents. The edited video is now available on Bunche TV. To view the talk, [Click Here](#).

Johnson Discusses *Black Radicalism*

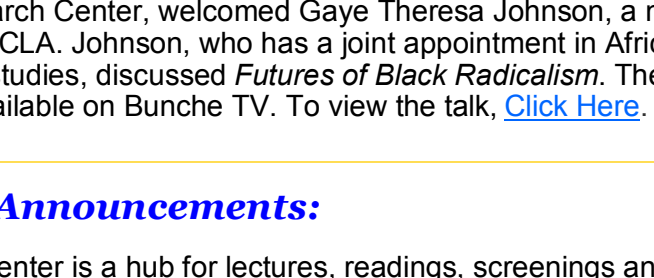


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The March event co-sponsored by the Ralph J. Bunche Center and the Chicano Studies Research Center, welcomed Gaye Theresa Johnson, a new associate professor at UCLA. Johnson, who has a joint appointment in African American and Chicano studies, discussed *Futures of Black Radicalism*. The video of her talk is now available on Bunche TV. To view the talk, [Click Here](#).

News and Announcements:

The Bunche Center is a hub for lectures, readings, screenings and other informative and entertaining events. To learn more, [Click Here](#).

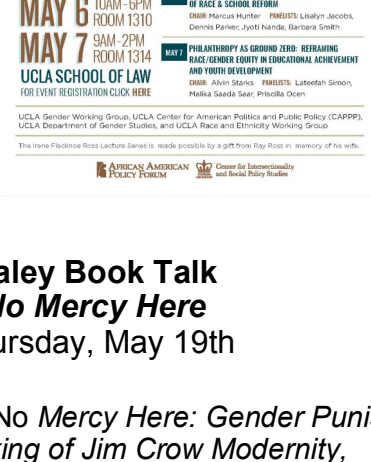
Howard Talks Black Male(d) Tuesday, May 3rd

Professor Tyrone Howard is Associate Dean of Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion, Director of the UCLA Black Male Institute, and a Bunche Center affiliated faculty member. He will give a talk based on his latest book *Black Male(d): Peril and Promise in the Education of African American Males*. The talk will be from 12:00—1:00pm in Haines Hall 135.



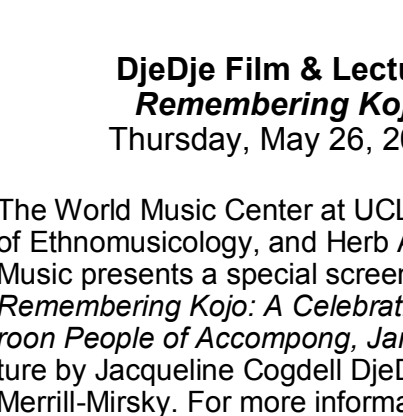
Noguera, Hunter, Crenshaw, Allen & Howard among many taking part in conference on Gender-Based School Reform May 6th & 7th

On May 6-7th, 2016, the UCLA School of Law co-hosts the conference: "Is Separation the Solution?" A Convening to Discuss the Theory and Practice of Gender-Based School Reforms for At-Risk Students of Color. For more information, [Click Here](#).



Black Feminism, The Carceral State, and Abolition

A Book Talk by Sarah Haley with responses by Marame Kaba and Dayo F. Gore



Haley Book Talk No Mercy Here Thursday, May 19th

In her new book, *No Mercy Here: Gender Punishment and the Making of Jim Crow Modernity*, Gender Studies Professor Sarah Haley sheds light on the brutality faced by incarcerated women at the local, county and state convict labor. The book talk will be held in Royce Hall from 4:00pm—5:00pm. To learn more, [Click Here](#).

DjeDje Film & Lecture Remembering Kojó Thursday, May 26, 2016

The World Music Center at UCLA, Department of Ethnomusicology, and Herb Alpert School of Music presents a special screening of the film, *Remembering Kojó: A Celebration of the Maroon People of Accompong, Jamaica*, and a lecture by Jacqueline Cogdell DjeDje and Carol Merrill-Mirsky. For more information, [Click Here](#).

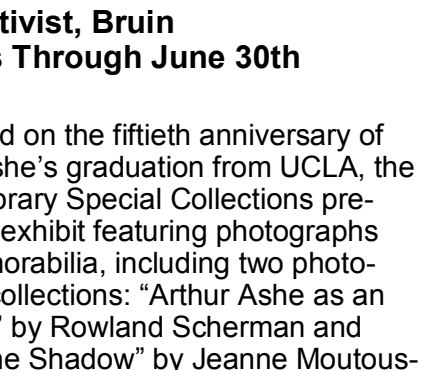
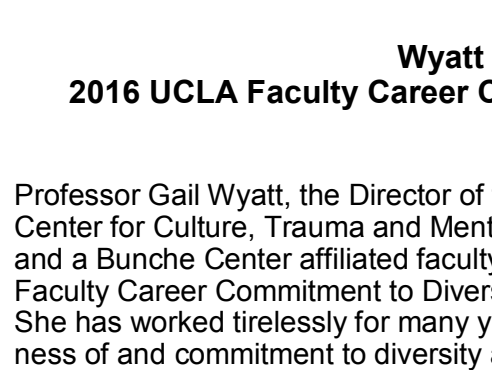


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Arthur Ashe: Athlete, Activist, Bruin Special Collections Exhibit Runs Through June 30th



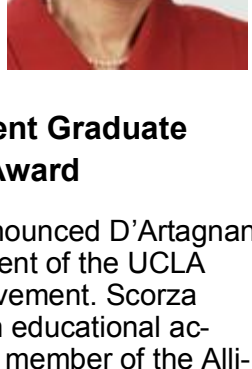
Presented on the fiftieth anniversary of Arthur Ashe's graduation from UCLA, the UCLA Library Special Collections presents an exhibit featuring photographs and memorabilia, including two photographic collections: "Arthur Ashe as an Amateur" by Rowland Scherman and "Out of the Shadow" by Jeanne Moutousamy-Ashe, noted photographer and Ashe's wife.

The exhibit will be featured from *Friday, April 15, 2016 - 7:30am to Thursday, June 30, 2016 - 8:00pm*. For more information, [Click Here](#).

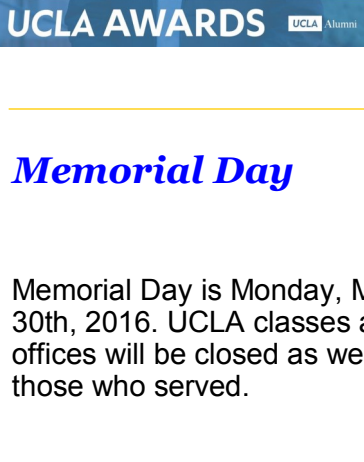
Faculty & Staff News:

Wyatt Honored with 2016 UCLA Faculty Career Commitment to Diversity DEI Award

Professor Gail Wyatt, the Director of the Semel Institute's Center for Culture, Trauma and Mental Health Disparities, and a Bunche Center affiliated faculty member, is this year's Faculty Career Commitment to Diversity DEI Award recipient. She has worked tirelessly for many years to increase awareness of and commitment to diversity and inclusion principles. For more information, [Click Here](#).



Scorza Receives Recent Graduate Achievement Award



The UCLA Alumni Association announced D'Artagnan Scorza '07, Ph.D. '13 as the recipient of the UCLA Award for Recent Graduate Achievement. Scorza worked with the Bunche Center on educational access issues including serving as a member of the Alliance for Equal Opportunity in Education, participating in the Center's CAPAA research project, and working as student Regent on the UC Board of Regents. He will be honored at the #UCLA Awards in May. To learn more [Click Here](#).

Memorial Day

Memorial Day is Monday, May 30th, 2016. UCLA classes and offices will be closed as we thank those who served.

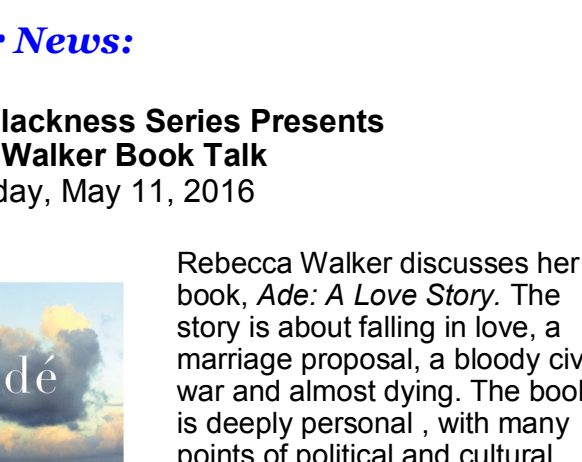
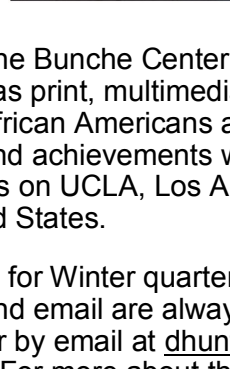
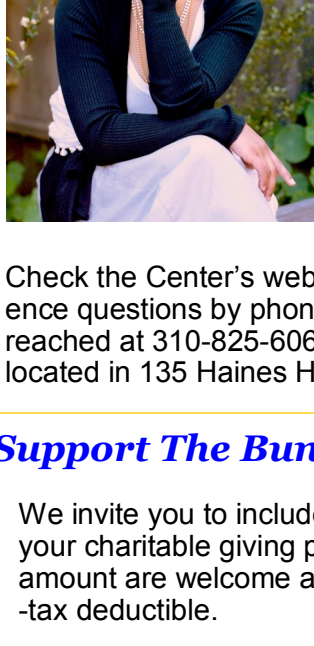


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Library & Media Center News:

LMC Images in Blackness Series Presents Rebecca Walker Book Talk Wednesday, May 11, 2016



Rebecca Walker discusses her book, *Adé: A Love Story*. The story is about falling in love, a marriage proposal, a bloody civil war and almost dying. The book is deeply personal, with many points of political and cultural resonance. The event will take place from noon to 1:00pm in Haines 135. There will be a Q&A and light reception immediately following. This event is co-sponsored by Robin D.G. Kelley.

The Bunche Center's Library and Media Center (LMC) has print, multimedia, and archival materials relevant to African Americans and the diaspora, their institutions and achievements worldwide, with a particular emphasis on UCLA, Los Angeles, and the Southwestern United States.

Check the Center's website for Winter quarter library hours. Research and reference questions by phone and email are always welcome. The Librarian can be reached at 310-825-6060 or by email at dhunter@bunche.ucla.edu. The LMC is located in 135 Haines Hall. For more about the library, [Click Here](#).

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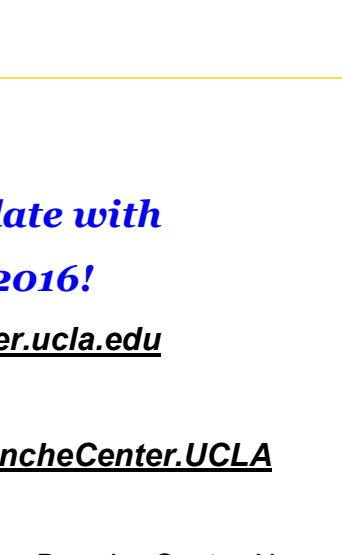


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