

BLACK HISTORY MONTH 2019



BLACK MIGRATIONS

Monday, Feb. 4 6-7:30 pm

Black History Month Kickoff

SIU Student Center Auditorium
Sponsored by the Black History Month Planning Committee and the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center

Welcome by Interim Chancellor Dr. John Dunn, guest speaker Dr. Pamela Smoot, musical performances by Voices of Inspiration and by SIU alum Matt Wilson, and step show performance by Gentlemen of Vision. Refreshments after the program

Tuesday, Feb. 5 4:30-6:45 pm

Film and Discussion: Down in the Delta

SIU University Museum Auditorium, 1st Floor Faner
Sponsored by the SIU Department of Africana Studies and the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center
Refreshments served

Wednesday, Feb. 6 Noon-2 pm

Lunch with Black Graduate Students

SIU Student Center Old Main Room
Sponsored by Black Affairs Council and Black Graduate Student Association

5:30 pm

Panel Discussion: A Journey from Where We Are to Where We Are Going

SIU Student Center Auditorium
Sponsored by Black Graduate Student Association

Thursday, Feb. 7 5 pm

Black Migrations

Guest Speaker: Teresa Haley, MPA, NAACP IL State President, Springfield Branch President
SIU Student Center Auditorium
Sponsored by the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center and SIU Office of the Associate Chancellor for Diversity
Refreshments served

Friday, Feb. 8

Art Exhibit: Reflections of Migrations

SIU University Museum, 1st Floor Faner
4:30 pm Reception
5 pm Guest Speaker: Dr. Leonard Gadzekpo, interim chair, associate professor, SIU Department of Africana Studies
Sponsored by SIU University Museum. Open to the Public

9:30 pm

WSIU InFocus: Isabel Wilkerson, Pulitzer Prize winning reporter

WSIU PBS channel 8
To see full Black History Month Programs: go to wsiu.org/tv/

Monday, Feb. 11 4:30-5:45 pm

Framing Black Migrations: Citizenship as a Human Right

Guest Speaker: Dr. Javiela Evangelista, assistant professor, African American Studies Department, New York City College of Technology
SIU Morris Library Guyon Auditorium
Sponsored by the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center

Tuesday, Feb. 12 4-7 pm

Story of a Thousand Miles

SIU Old Main Room
Sponsored by African Student Council

Wednesday, Feb. 13 4:30-6:30 pm

Craft Night: Underground Railroad Quilt Signs

SIU Craft Shop, Student Center Lower Level
Sponsored by SIU Craft Shop and the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center
Limited Supplies: RSVP to craftshp@siu.edu or 618-453-3636. Refreshments served

Friday, Feb. 15 3-6 pm

Networking and Resource Fair: Mass Communication and Media Arts (MCMA)

SIU Communication Building Studio A (MCMA)
Career development & networking opportunity with alumni and local media professionals (Business casual attire required)
Sponsored by National Association of Black Journalists
For more information contact: tweeten@siu.edu

Monday, Feb. 18 5-6 pm

The Great Migration

Guest Speaker: Dr. Tiffany Player, assistant professor, SIU Department of History
SIU Morris Library Guyon Auditorium
Sponsored by the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center

Wednesday, Feb. 20 Noon-1:30 pm

Diversity within the Community

SIU Student Services Building Room 150
Sponsored by the SIU office of the Associate Chancellor for Diversity and the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center
Lunch provided: RSVP to Lanel Love, Ph.D. llove2@siu.edu or 618-453-3470

6-7 pm

Purple Table Talk: Bucket Discussion Edition

SIU Student Center Delta Room, 4th floor
Sponsored by the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs
Refreshments served

Friday, Feb. 22 7 pm

Movie: The Green Book

SIU Student Center Auditorium
Sponsored by the Student Programming Council
\$3 for public, \$2 for faculty and staff, free for SIU students and children under 3

Saturday, Feb. 23 11:30 am-1 pm

Taste of Blackness XXIV

New Zion Missionary Baptist Church (Fellowship Hall)
803 North Robert A. Stalls Avenue, Carbondale
Cost: \$10

Tuesday, Feb. 26 Noon-2 pm

Lunch with Black Graduate Students

SIU Old Main Room
Sponsored by Black Affairs Council and Black Graduate Student Association

6 pm

African Americans in the Performing Arts

Carbondale Middle School
1150 East Grand Avenue, Carbondale
Sponsored by Carbondale Elementary School District #95-District Black History Program

Wednesday, Feb. 27 11:30 am-1 pm

Black Staff and Faculty Appreciation Luncheon

SIU Student Center Old Main Room
Sponsored by the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center
RSVP to Lanel Love, Ph.D. llove2@siu.edu or 618-453-3470

5:30-10 pm

Black Business Expo

SIU Student Center International Lounge East, 2nd floor
Sponsored by SIU College of Business, Office of Diversity and Inclusion

Feb. 20, 21, 22 5 pm-7:45 pm

Tunnel

SIU Student Center Old Main Lounge
Sponsored by the Black Togetherness Organization
For more information contact: Travis Hardwick, thardwick@housing.siu.edu, 618-453-7535

Exhibits Throughout the Month

Briana Mason, graduate student
SIU School of Art and Design
SIU Student Center, 2nd floor Art Alley

Reflections of Migrations
SIU University Museum, 1st floor Faner

Black Migrations
Window case, Student Center, 1st floor n. entrance
Created by the Student Multicultural Resource Center/Black Resource Center

EVENTS ARE OPEN TO EVERYONE

FOR MORE INFORMATION, contact Dr. Lanel Love, llove2@siu.edu
Individuals with disabilities are welcomed. Call 618-453-5738 to request accommodations.