

Irish and Irish American Studies

Events for Spring 2016



Celtic Night at the Music Hall

31 January, 7pm, Charleston Music Hall

Join the whole Charleston Irish community for the biggest musical event of the year: the 2nd Annual Charleston Night at the Music Hall. Benefitting the Irish and Irish American Studies program, the show features Banna da Dha (with Alabama fiddler Tom Morley), Good Foot (with CofC's Karin McQuade), and Castle Crossing. For tickets, contact the Charleston Music Hall.



Charleston Irish Architects

11 February, 7pm, Addlestone Library, Rm. 227

Robert Stockton lectures on such figures as James Hoban and John Devereux, internationally-known architects who practiced in Charleston. Their legacy still surrounds us. Free and open to the public.



Dedication of Bishop England High School monument

13 March, 3pm, Rivers Green (behind the Addlestone Library)

In the high school's centenary year, alumni of Bishop England dedicate a new monument marking 75 years at its downtown campus, where CofC's Addlestone Library now stands. Free and open to the public.



Charleston's Reaction to the Easter Rising

15 March, 7pm, Addlestone Library, Rm. 227

Part 1 of our series remembering the Easter Rising of 1916. Charleston historian Stephen White discusses our city's reaction to the historic events in Dublin as found in the Charleston *News & Courier* and the *Evening Post*. Free and open to the public.



St. Patrick's Day Parade

17 March, 10am, King Street (between Radcliffe and Broad)

8am Mass at St. Patrick's Catholic Church followed by the parade down King Street. Around noon, the Republic of Ireland's tri-color flag will be raised at City Hall at the corner of Broad and Meeting Streets.



The Easter 1916 Rising in Historical Perspective

4 April, 7pm, Alumni Center, School of Education, Health, and Human Performance

Part 2 of our series remembering the Easter Rising of 1916. Historian Joe Lee, director of Glucksman Ireland House at NYU, will travel to Charleston to speak about the Easter Rising. This event is co-sponsored by the Consulate General of Ireland, Atlanta. Free and open to the public.



1916 The Irish Rebellion

17 April, 6pm, Education Center, Rm. 118

Part 3 of our series remembering the Easter Rising of 1916. The new documentary produced by the University of Notre Dame's Keough-Naughton School for Irish Studies, narrated by Liam Neeson, will be screened on the CofC campus. The South Carolina Irish Historical Society brings this 70-minute film version of the 3-part television series to Charleston. Reception to follow. Free and open to the public.



Cara Delay's *Women, Reform, and Resistance in Ireland,* 1850-1950

20 April, 4pm, venue to be announced

CofC history professor Cara Delay's edited volume is one of two books published by our Irish and Irish American Studies faculty in 2015. Come out to celebrate new scholarship on Ireland produced right here in Charleston.



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