



April 28, 2014

This is your weekly summary of news from the SAPA Board:

Need a study break? Craving something sweet? Stop by the SAPA Spring Bake Sale on Monday, April 28 from 9am-5pm! We'll have treats to celebrate warm weather, sunshine, and the ending of a great semester!

Who: SAPA

What: Spring Bake Sale

When: TODAY

Where: SPPA Break-room, Graham 183

Many thanks to those who came out and participated in Community Project Day this past Saturday!

20 Years Post-Apartheid: Trials and Tribulations for Higher Education in South Africa

Friday, May 2, 2014

Room 185 Graham Hall

12:00 noon

(Lunch will be provided)

This seminar rephrases the question asked in so many developing countries in Africa: Is higher education a public or private good? I suggest that a more appropriate question for universities in transitioning economies is: How can higher education be simultaneously both a private and a public good? At the core of the discussion lies the issue of access and equity. The seminar will highlight the milestones in the high education landscape over the last twenty years and offer some thoughts on the challenges in the current HE context in South Africa.

Dr. Venitha Pillay has been at the University of Pretoria in South Africa since 2002. Her research focuses on higher education in developing contexts. She has a particular interest in women in higher education. She has also published widely on feminist research methodologies. She is currently living in the US where she is working with the World Bank.

Please RSVP to Diana Simmons.

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The 3rd annual Dumpster Detour is fast approaching (May 21-24). Around the end of the academic year, the Sustainability Committee of the Graduate Student Government collects lightly used and good condition household items from students moving out of campus housing. To make this a success, we need the help of volunteers like you! You are not moving students out. Volunteers are stationed outside at specific locations across campus to collect household items before they end up in the move-out dumpsters and landfills. The collected items are then re-sold or donated to those in need. Also, volunteers get a Dumpster Detour t-shirt while supplies last.

Below is the volunteer sign-up form link. You can request any day or amount of time to volunteer that works best for you. Hour long time slots or longer are preferred. We need your help!

[Volunteer Sign-up](#)

For more information, see the link below and attached flyer:

[Facebook Event](#)

If you know anyone else that may be interested, feel free to share this opportunity. For more information about volunteering, please contact the volunteer organizer, Ben Wallace (benw@udel.edu) or myself (acario@udel.edu).

Thank you!

Anthony Cario, Sustainability Committee Co-Chair

First Friday, May 2nd, in Philadelphia

SAPA will be taking a trip on the first Friday in May to explore First Fridays, a monthly free event du. We will leave Newark around 5. The return time is up for discussion- we could stay for some nightlife in Philadelphia or come back around 9.

Contact Ben Wallace with your questions, suggestions and RSVP. If you have a car and can drive, let him know. For more information see <http://www.visitphilly.com/events/philadelphia/first-friday/> and check out the Facebook event here: https://www.facebook.com/events/1375561596062425/?ref_dashboard_filter=upcoming&source=1

SAVE THE DATES

Friday, May 16th - SAPA Crawl: Submit t-shirt ideas to Kelly Smith (kelsmith@udel.edu) or Jessica Mitchell (mitchj@udel.edu).

Tuesday, May 20th - SAPA Spring Picnic: **Kells Park, 3:30-7:30**. Burgers and hot dogs provided. Please bring a side or dessert.

Thanks,

SAPA BOARD

(Jason Bourke, Kelly Smith, Brooke Gessner, Amanda Brown, David Carter, David Karas, Gabrielle Vicari, Verity Watson, Benjamin Wallace, Nadine Sabater)

Please feel free to email us at SAPAssociation@gmail.com with any questions, comments, or additions to the weekly email. Thanks!