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Authors & Films for September

Atlanta, Aug. 23-- We have a remarkable line-up of authors and films coming in September. They are all free and open to the public. The author programs start at 7pm, but the film screenings are earlier, so look for details on the individual listings. You can also get information at www.jimmycarterlibrary.gov
Take a look at what's coming up:

Sept. 4..... Mary Schmidt Campbell... *An American Odyssey: The Life and Work of Romare Bearden*

This is the definitive biography of one of the most important artists of the twentieth century. Spelman College President Mary Schmidt Campbell offers a view into the mind of a man whose art celebrated the traditions and ceremonies of African American culture

Sept. 6... Dr. Derryn Moten... *Crusader Without Violence*

Published to critical acclaim in 1959 and long out of print, *Crusader Without Violence* was the first biography of the dynamic leader who emerged from the 1955–56 Montgomery Bus Boycott as the spokesman of the twentieth century American civil rights movement. New South's 60th Anniversary Edition, with a new introduction containing new biographical details about its author, returns to general circulation a valuable, rare, and engaging account of Martin Luther King Jr. before he became an American phenomenon.

Sept. 12...Frye Gaillard...*A Hard Rain: America in the 1960s*

Frye Gaillard has given us a deeply personal history, bringing his keen storyteller's eye to this pivotal time in American life. He explores the competing story arcs of tragedy and hope through the political and social movements of the times – civil rights, black power, women's liberation, the War in Vietnam, and the protests against it. But he also examines the cultural manifestations of change – music, literature, art, religion, and science – and so we meet not only the Brothers Kennedy, Martin Luther King Jr and Malcolm X, but also Gloria Steinem, Janis Joplin, Jimi Hendrix and Johnny Cash.

Sept. 13...Film Screening of ...*Greenland: A Journey Under the Ice*. 6:00 pm in the museum theater

This is a spectacular film about climate change. Sponsored by the French Consulate of Atlanta. Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/screening-greenland-a-journey-under-the-ice-tickets-485644-03438>

Sept. 19...Film Screening of *MERCI CONGO*... 6:30 pm in the museum theater

The Carter Library and the Emory Institute for Developing Nations present a free screening of the film “Merci Congo”. The ongoing conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo has been called the “deadliest in the world since World War Two”. More than five million Congolese have died as the result of two decades of war. Millions more have been displaced. “*Merci Congo*” is a 90 minute exposé of the minerals trade and East Congo conflict. A discussion will follow the screening.

Sept. 24...Justin Driver...*The Schoolhouse Gate: Public Education, the Supreme Court, and the Battle for the American Mind*

Award-winning constitutional law scholar Justin Driver (who clerked for Judge Merrick B. Garland, Justice Stephen Breyer, and Justice Sandra Day O’Connor) gives us an engaging and alarming book that aims to vindicate the rights of public school students, which have so often been undermined by the Supreme Court in recent decades.

Sept. 25...Ryan Hampton...*American Fix: Inside the American Opioid Crisis*

In “AMERICAN FIX”, author Ryan Hampton discusses his own struggle with addiction, outlines the challenges that the recovery movement currently faces, and offers a concrete plan of action towards making America’s addiction crisis a thing of the past. Co-sponsored by the Davis Direction Foundation.

Sept. 26...Juan Williams....*What The Hell Do You Have to Lose: Trump’s War on Civil Rights*

Bestselling author, political analyst, and civil rights expert Juan Williams delivers a forceful critique of the Trump administration's unprecedented rollback of the civil rights movement. Williams argues the stirring history of hard-fought and heroic battles for voting rights, integrated schools, and more is under direct threat from an administration dedicated to restricting these basic freedoms.

Sept. 27...Clint Harp...*Handcrafted: A Woodworker’s Story*

Clint Harp, maverick carpenter on HGTV’s smash hit *Fixer Upper* and the star of *Wood Work* on the DIY Network, presents his inspirational memoir that celebrates meaningful work, turning your craft into a career, and recognizing the importance of the journey itself.

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