JANUARY
University Hour: Women & Wealth
Wednesday, January 22, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
Join us for an informative seminar to discuss how to take charge of your financial life.

February
Carlos Andrés Gómez
Monday, February 3, 4pm
Student Center, Cafe
Award-winning poet, actor, and writer Carlos Andrés Gómez will perform spoken word pieces addressing various themes around masculinity, identity, and other realities that determine what makes a man.

To Write Love on Her Arms
Wednesday, February 5, 1pm
Student Center, Tipton Room
To Write Love on Her Arms is a non-profit movement dedicated to presenting hope and finding help for people struggling with depression, addiction, self-injury, and suicide. TWLOHA exists to encourage, inform and inspire.

It Gets Better
Thursday, February 6, 12pm
Student Center, Theatre
Record your own “It Gets Better” videos. James Clementi, the brother of Tyler Clementi, will speak to students about his brother, mental health, and the LGBTQIA population.

Teaching for Change
Wednesday, February 12, 1pm
Student Center, Tipton Room
“Readbiologist” Earne Raje Codell will speak about her experiences teaching disadvantaged elementary school students in Chicago.

University Hour: Half of Me
Wednesday, February 19, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
We will have a diverse panel address and discuss current issues affecting the LGBTQIA community.

March
Film Screening:
The Invisible War
Monday, March 3, 4pm
Library, Johnson Room
The Invisible War is a groundbreaking investigation that exposes the epidemic of rape within the U.S. military today.

University Hour: Shooting History's 1st Free Throw: Kye Allums
Wednesday, March 5, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
Kye Allums is the first openly transgender Division I athlete in sports history. Come hear Kye discuss the challenges and triumphs that came along with coming out to teammates, family, and the world.

April
Warriors Against Violence
Tuesday, April 1, 12pm
Student Center, Patio
A walk with Eastern Warriors committed to ending interpersonal violence in our community and around the world.

The Way of the Elders: Buddhism and the Lao Community in Connecticut
Tuesday, April 8, 1pm
Library, Johnson Room
Ajan (Monks) from the Lao Buddhist Temple in Morris, CT will introduce students to the history of their particular form of Buddhism (Theravada) as well as their cultural and religious practices.

University Hour: We Remember
Wednesday, April 9, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
Come discuss current issues about interpersonal violence and a community response that empowers all to become a part of the solution.

University Hour: Girl Rising Film Screening
Wednesday, March 12, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
Girl Rising is a groundbreaking feature film about the strength of the human spirit and the power of education to transform societies.

University Hour: A Talk with Chief Justice Rogers
Wednesday, March 26, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
Chief Justice Chase Rogers has been the Chief Justice of the Connecticut Supreme Court since 2007. Rogers will speak about access to justice as a human right.

Cesar Chavez Distinguished Service Awards Ceremony
Wednesday, April 23, 6pm
Library, Johnson Room
Come honor individuals whose actions demonstrate distinguished service in promoting human rights activist Cesar Chavez.

Documenting & Challenging Racial Hierarchies in Puerto Rican Classrooms
Thursday, April 24, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
Cultural anthropologist, Hilda Lloréns will discuss the study, “Beyond the Self: Towards an Integral Approach to an Anti-Racist Pedagogy in Elementary Education,” which examines manifestations of racism in Puerto Rico’s elementary school curriculum and classroom.

Bridegroom: A Love Story about Marriage Equality
Wednesday, April 16, 7pm
Student Center, Tipton Room
After Shane Bitney Crone’s partner died in a tragic accident, Shane suffered injustice in the aftermath of his death. Come hear him share his experiences, as well as excerpts from his documentary, Bridegroom.

Take Back the Night
Thursday, April 17, 6pm
Student Center, Theatre
Join us for an evening dedicated to raising awareness about sexual assault and violence.

Inscriptions for Air: Celebrating the Release of Jake Adam York's “Abide”
Tuesday, April 22, 5:30pm
Science Building, Room 104
Inscription for Air is a poetry reading commemorating the release of Abide, the final book of poems by Jake Adam York. Join us for a celebration of art that remembers the martyrs of the troubled times in our country’s history and strives to inspire peace and social justice.

University Hour: The Economic Argument for Ethnic Studies
Wednesday, April 23, 3pm
Student Center, Theatre
A talk on our nation’s growing ethnic and racial groups and why ethnic studies are critical for those who are affecting an increasing number of professions and careers.

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