



**EASTERN
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STATE UNIVERSITY**

Division of Student Affairs

CULTURAL CELEBRATIONS CALENDAR

SPRING 2021

FEBRUARY

Wednesday, February 17, 3pm
New Beginnings: Justice
Alternatives Through the Arts
Teresa Severance, severancet@easternct.edu

Tuesday, February 23, 3pm
A Journey and A Joining a Reflection on the Tragedy and
the Triumph of the African and African American
Experience Through Storytelling
Jessica Petry, petryj@easternct.edu

Monday, February 22, 8pm
Dare to Speak: Carlos Andrés Gómez and Katie Kramer
Alyssa Duffy, duffya@easternct.edu

Wednesday, February 24, 3pm
Karen Finley: A Heroine Performance Art
Yulia Tikhonova, tikhonovay@easternct.edu

Thursday, February 25, 3pm
West African Dance: All Together
Jessica Petry, petryj@easternct.edu

MARCH

Wednesday, March 3, 3pm
Growing Their Own: Lessons From Community Driven,
Feminist Technology Design
Sukeshini Grandhi, grandhis@easternct.edu

Thursday, March 4, 4:30pm
Racial Injustice in the LGBTQ+ Community
Shariel Rodriguez-Echevarria,
rodriguezechevarrias@easternct.edu

Tuesday, March 9, 5pm
Pod-Mapping: Mapping Care with Pauline Batista
Jessica Petry, petryj@easternct.edu

Wednesday, March 10, 3pm
The Radical Power of Children's Books: The
Responsibility of Truth-Telling in Children's Literature
Lisa Fraustino, fraustinol@easternct.edu

Friday, March 19 – Sunday, March 21
Friday, March 26 – Sunday, March 28
Blood at the Root by By Dominique Morisseau
DeRon Williams, williamsdero@easternct.edu

Wednesday, March 24, 3pm
Theatre/ Film Talk-Back: Blood at The Root
DeRon Williams, williamsdero@easternct.edu

Thursday, March 25, 3pm
TRANScending (Sex)pectations
Shariel Rodriguez-Echevarria,
rodriguezechevarrias@easternct.edu

Tuesday, March 30, 6pm
Women in STEM: Her Story, Our Experience
Shandra Witke, witkes@easternct.edu

APRIL

Tuesday, April 6, 6pm
#EasternBlackOut Day: Women of Color in STEM
Shandra Witke, witkes@easternct.edu

Wednesday, April 7, 3p
We Need to Talk: Arts and Sciences
Yulia Tikhonova, tikhonovay@easternct.edu

Thursday, April 15, 5pm
Who Created White People?
Jessica Petry, petryj@easternct.edu

May

Saturday, May 1, 7pm
Cultivating Dignity
Kristen Morgan, morgankr@easternct.edu

Wednesday, May 5, 3pm
Theatre/Film Talk-Back: Cultivating Dignity
Kristen Morgan, morgankr@easternct.edu

Thursday, May 6, 12pm
#EasternBlackOut Day
Jessica Petry, petryj@easternct.edu



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