



Martin Luther King, Jr. 1964.
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Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration 2013

Reclaiming the R{evolution}ary Dream

Through FRIDAY, JAN. 18

Ticket sales for the 31st Annual MLK, Jr. Peace Breakfast (Monday, Jan. 21) Memorial Union Business Office

\$6 for students, \$10 for non-students, children 5 & under free. Tickets also available at the breakfast, but they go quickly, so you are encouraged to purchase in advance. *Cash or check only.*

Sponsors: Office of Equity and Inclusion, President's Office

MONDAY, JAN. 14

Ghosts of Ole Miss (film & discussion) 5:30-7:30pm, MU Journey Room

In the fall of 1962, James Meredith walked onto the University of Mississippi campus and integrated the school under order and protection of the federal government. That same fall, the Ole Miss football team was in the midst of its only perfect season in school history. This ESPN documentary explores the intersection of one of the most significant moments in the Civil Rights movement with a team of young men caught in the middle of history. Snacks and beverages provided.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 15

Social Construction of Disability 2:30-4pm, 202A Kerr Admin Bldg (Disability Access Services)

Explore how the disability movement is tied to Dr. King's message of human rights. Gain knowledge about models of disability, disability as culture, the concept of ableism, and able bodied privilege with a discussion about the role of disability through the lens of diversity, equity, and inclusion. Learn about stereotypes, societal barriers, and the steps we can take to eliminate these, as well as what OSU is doing to move toward the most accessible campus possible.

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New Day, Same Dream 5-6pm, MU Journey Room

Discuss how Martin Luther King, Jr.'s leadership style can apply to our generation. Explore how transformational leadership can inspire us to take action and face our challenges. Beverages and snacks provided.

Sponsor: Center for Leadership Development

Martin and Music

6-8pm, LaSells Stewart Center, Construction & Engineering Hall

This jubilant and compelling live stage production entails a riveting combination of spoken word and a delicate, yet profound thread of music and narrative. Gerald C. Rivers sets ablaze the words, authentic tone, and life of Dr. King, while Charles Holt brings the musical and melodic breath that marries a powerful trio of message, music, and storytelling.

Sponsor: Intercultural Student Services

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 16

Managing Difficult Conversations: Resolving conflict without giving in Noon-1pm, MU 109

Conflict is an unavoidable part of life. Learn to resolve disagreements while protecting your needs and the relationships that matter to you.

Sponsors: Counseling & Psychological Services, Latin@ Graduate Network

THURSDAY, JAN. 17

We Have a Dream: A reader's theater of peaceful heroes 6-7:15pm, MU Journey Room

A dramatic reading of speeches by Nobel Peace Prize winners, given around the world throughout the past 60 years, including those of Dr. King. Compare the messages of Dr. King and other leaders for peace on the subjects of non-violent social change, peace, freedom, equality, as well as the individuals' visions. Examine the similarity of human struggles across the globe and throughout history.

Sponsors: Student Events & Activities Center, International Students of Oregon State University

FRIDAY, JAN. 18

Interfaith Prayer Service Noon-1pm, MU 206

A time for prayer and reflection with community members from varied spiritual, religious, and philosophical backgrounds. Join us and be inspired to continue in celebrating the life and work of the Rev. Dr. King.

Sponsors: United Campus Ministry, Baha'i Community Association, Campus Coalition Builders

Sound and Fury (film & discussion)

Noon-2pm, 202A Kerr Administration Bldg (Disability Access Services)

Sound and Fury documents one family's struggle over whether or not to provide two deaf children with cochlear implants, devices that can stimulate hearing. Cochlear implants may provide easier access to the hearing world, but what do the devices mean for a person's sense of identity with Deaf culture? Can durable bridges be built between the deaf and hearing worlds? Find out.

Sponsors: Disability Access Services, Office of Equity and Inclusion

SATURDAY, JAN. 19

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service 8:30am-1:30pm (Check-in, McAlexander Fieldhouse)

Honor Dr. King's life and legacy of service to others. Choose from eight local community projects. Hot beverages, breakfast, and hot lunch will be provided.

Pre-registration is required: oregonstate.edu/cce/MLK

Sponsors: Center for Civic Engagement, HandsOn Willamette, Cultural Meals Program

MONDAY, JAN. 21

~ MLK Day ~

31st Annual Peace Breakfast 9-10:30am, MU Ballroom

Join together to honor and reflect upon Dr. King's revolutionary work and the evolution of his Dream.

- Phyllis S. Lee and Frances Dancy Hooks Community Awards
- Keynote speech: Maria Chavez-Haroldson, Assoc. Director for Outreach & Engagement at the Center for Latino/Latina Studies and Engagement
- Entertainment

Tickets available at the Memorial Union Business Office or at the Breakfast. \$6 for students, \$10 for non-students, children 5 & under free.

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Birthday Party for

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

2pm, Native American Cultural Center

Sponsors: Lonnie B. Harris Black Cultural Center, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

TUESDAY, JAN. 22

Sign the Pledge

9am-3pm, MU Trysting Tree Lounge

Reaffirm your support for non-violent social change, equality and justice, freedom and peace by signing the MLK, Jr. Pledge Wall.

Sponsor: Panhellenic Council

Candlelight Vigil

7:11pm, Lonnie B. Harris Black Cultural Center, 2325 NW Monroe Ave.

Meet at the at the Black Cultural Center for a candlelight walk to the Memorial Union steps

Sponsor: Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

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Dialogue on Class

5:30-7pm, Native American Cultural Center

Class is deeply embedded in U.S. society and can often create division among people. In honor of Dr. King, we welcome a dialogue on how class intersects with other parts of our identities and how it affects our connections with each other.

Sponsors: Counseling and Psychological Services, Human Services Resource Center, Center for Civic Engagement

THURSDAY, JAN. 24

Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity: Defining a R{evolution}ary Agenda

Noon-1pm, Native American Cultural Center

Over the course of the 2011-12 academic year, Oregon State engaged in a comprehensive self-study of equity, inclusion, and diversity efforts university-wide. The result of this unprecedented effort is a set of recommendations that will guide our collective efforts to make Oregon State a model equitable, inclusive, and diverse university. This program will introduce important goals for the university's equity, inclusion, and diversity agenda that are central to institutional mission, and outline the strategic leadership efforts of the Office of Equity and Inclusion with regard to these and other key goals. Beverages provided; bring your own lunch.

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Music of Hope and Resistance

5-7pm, 101 Furman Hall

Historically, music, song, and dance have been the voice for resistance, protest, and hope. Explore music that was used to focus on slavery, poverty, anti-war movements, women's rights, class struggle, civil liberties, civil rights, economic injustice, politics and wars, and also to resist imperialism and promote revolutionary ideas. In addition, music that focused on hope: idealism, social reform, equal rights, moral improvement, and community activism.

Sponsors: Intercultural Student Services, Asian Pacific Cultural Center, Native American Cultural Center, Lambda Theta Phi Latin Fraternity, Inc.

FRIDAY, JAN. 25

Partnership for Safety and Justice

1-2pm, Centro Cultural Cesar Chavez (temporarily 430 Snell)

Jose Gutierrez, an OSU Alum and current Youth Justice Policy Organizer, will discuss the Partnership for Safety and Justice and ways in which students, staff, and faculty can get involved in their efforts. The organization "works with people convicted of crime, survivors of crime, and the families of both to advocate for policies that make Oregon's approach to public safety more effective and more just."

Sponsors: Director of Multicultural Affairs, Partnership for Safety and Justice

Inside Voices

3-5pm, MU 211

An inside look at what prison is like from the mouths of prisoners themselves. Come hear about the life of a prisoner and hear the stories of how they got where they are. Afterwards there will be a panel of Inside-Out students who have spent a term meeting and learning with prisoners in a classroom environment inside the Oregon State Prison.

Sponsor: Oregon State Prisoner Rights Advocacy Group

The Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration 2013 events are coordinated and sponsored by the Office of Equity and Inclusion, and the Office of the President. Please direct questions to 541-737-6368.

Accommodation requests related to a disability should be made to the Office of Equity and Inclusion, 541-737-3556. Requests made at least 3 days prior to the event are appreciated.

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