

# MANSFIELD CENTER SPRING 2014 BROWN BAG LECTURE SERIES



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All presentations are free and open to the public.  
Sessions run from 12:10—1:00 pm, unless otherwise noted, in the Mansfield  
Center in the Mansfield Library or in the University Center at UM.

Wednesday, February 5: UC 333

## **Caucasian, Muslim, and Chinese: Uyghur Culture in China**

Ali Fu Jiang Haimiti, Uyghur graduate student at Michigan State University

Tuesday, February 11: UC 333

## **Higher Education in Vietnam: A Fulbright Scholar's Views of Their Achievements and Challenges**

Teresa Sobieszcyk, Director of International Development Studies Program and Associate Professor, UM Sociology Department

Thursday, February 20: UC 332, 11:30 am—12:30 pm

## **Within the Margin of Error: Why Campaigns Still Matter**

David Parker, Associate Professor of Political Science, Montana State University

Wednesday, March 5: Mansfield Center

## **Sustainability for People Without a Country: Karen Refugee Agriculture in Thailand**

Josh Slotnick, Lecturer, UM Environmental Studies Program and Director of the PEAS farm

Tuesday, March 11: UC 330, 11:30 AM—12:30 PM

## **Apostles of Reason: The Crisis of Authority in American Evangelicalism**

Molly Worthen, Assistant Professor of History, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill

Tuesday, March 18: UC 326, 11:30 AM—12:30 PM

## **Why Place Matters: Geography, Identity, and Civic Life in Modern America**

Wilfred M. McClay, G.T. and Libby Blankenship Chair in the History of Liberty at the University of Oklahoma

Wednesday, April 9: UC 326

## **Afghan Women and Children: Silent Victims of Human Trafficking**

Shaima Khinjani, Lead Instructor and Adjunct Professor at the Mansfield Center Defense Critical Language and Culture Program

Wednesday, April 23: UC 333

## **China's Maritime Disputes and the Prospects for Further Confrontation**

Owen Sirrs, Adjunct Professor, Culture and Regional Studies at the Mansfield Center Defense Critical Language and Culture Program

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