

# SPRING 2017 EVENTS

IN THE BAKER CENTER TOYOTA AUDITORIUM  
UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

All events are FREE and OPEN to the public.

## JANUARY

**JANUARY 18** | 12:15 PM

HOWARD BAKER PUBLIC POLICY

### CHALLENGE

Info Session and Orientation

**JANUARY 20**

### Presidential Inauguration Viewing

Toyota Auditorium

## FEBRUARY

**FEBRUARY 1** | 5:30 PM

### Human Trafficking: Too Close to Home

JAMESENA WALKER, TBI; KATE TRUDELL, Community Coalition Against Human Trafficking; and ANITA VOORHEES, International Justice Mission and Baker Ambassador.

**FEBRUARY 17** | NOON

### CYBER Brown Bag Lunch

LOUIS KUYKENDALL

Tennessee Bureau of Investigation and the Fusion Center. Jointly held with Cyber & Information Security Consortium.



ROSEN

**FEBRUARY 27** | 1:15-2:45 PM

### First Amendment Forum: Understanding the First Amendment on Campus

JEFFREY ROSEN, National Constitution Center, Philadelphia, Pa.; DAVID REIDY, Philosophy; BONNIE OWNLEY, Faculty Senate; CYNTHIA POLK-JOHNSON, Student Life; student representatives; and others



CHEEK

**FEBRUARY 27** | 5:30 PM

### Last Lecture

JIMMY G. CHEEK

Former UT Knoxville Chancellor  
In partnership with UT Mortar Board

## BakerCafe



KEELS

### **FEBRUARY 2** 12:30 PM Crisis in South Sudan: Democracy, Mass Killings, and the International Response

ERIC KEELS

Baker Center Postdoctoral Fellow  
Global Security



KRONYAK

### **MARCH 8** 3:30 PM Visions of Mars

RACHEL KRONYAK

Doctoral student in Geology



MASON

### **APRIL 18** 1 PM Climate Change and Social Justice

LISA REYES MASON

Asst. Professor, College of Social Work

## MARCH



HAMAGUCHI

### HOWARD BAKER MEMORIAL LECTURE

**MARCH 23** | Time TBA  
PRESIDENT MICHINARI HAMAGUCHI, MD, PHD

Japan Science & Technology Agency



VARUGHESE

### **MARCH 27** | Time TBA Global Security Lecture

GEORGE VARUGHESE

The Asia Foundation, Nepal

## APRIL



KNIGHT

**APRIL 5** | 5:30 PM

### ASHE LECTURE Central Africa and International Terrorism

AMBASSADOR JAMES KNIGHT

Former ambassador to Chad and Benin



## ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL FORUM 1-2:30 PM

With support from the UT College of Arts and Sciences, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, and the UT Institute for a Secure and Sustainable Environment



McCOLLUM

**JANUARY 12**

### Alternative Fuel Vehicles and the Future of the Global Energy System

DAVID McCOLLUM

Baker Fellow, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis, Austria

*David H. McCollum*



PARKER



LIGHT



GILLESPIE



O'CONNELL

**FEBRUARY 23**

GARY PARKER

Professor of Geology  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**FEBRUARY 24**

ANDREW LIGHT

University Professor of Philosophy, Public Policy, and Atmospheric Sciences, and Director of the Institute for Philosophy and Public Policy, George Mason University

**MARCH 2**

THOMAS GILLESPIE

Department of Geography, UCLA

**APRIL 6**

CAELA O'CONNELL

Department of Anthropology  
University of Tennessee



BELL

### **APRIL 10** | 5:30 PM Energy and Environment Distinguished Lecture

MICHELLE BELL

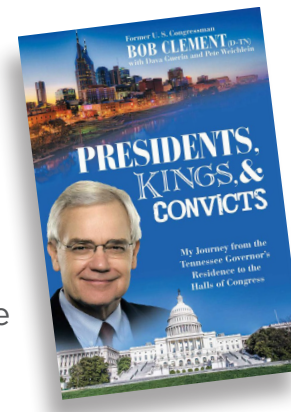
Environmental Health, Yale University

**APRIL 11** | 12:30 PM

### Presidents, Kings, & Convicts

THE HONORABLE BOB CLEMENT

Former US Congressman (1988-2003), president of Cumberland University, and son of Gov. Frank Clement, will discuss his book and his journey from the governor's residence to the US Congress. Book signing to follow. Bring your lunch, we'll provide beverages.



ALIRIZA

**APRIL 19** | 3 PM

### Global Security Distinguished Lecture: US-Turkey Relationship: A Troubled Alliance?

BULENT ALIRIZA

Center for Strategic & International Studies  
Washington, DC

**APRIL 23** | 1:30 PM

HOWARD BAKER PUBLIC POLICY

### CHALLENGE

Student teams present their policy solutions to community issues to win cash prizes.

## MAY

**MAY 10**

### Senior Recognition Ceremony

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