

LIFE@ELON

Spring Semester 2012: February 14 – May 8

Special Focus: Changing Economic Realities

- Feb. 14** **Economic Crisis: A Crisis of Values**
Rebecca Todd Peters, Associate Professor, Chair Department of Religious Studies
- Feb. 21** **Re-thinking the Bottom Line: Three P's (Profit, People, Planet)**
Eric Henry, Owner of TS Designs, Burlington, NC
Sam Moore, Adjunct Professor, Love School of Business
- Feb. 28** **The Elon Story**
Earl Danielely, Elon President Emeritus and Professor of Chemistry
George Troxler, Professor of History Emeritus
Jo Watts Williams, Vice President Emerita and Professor of Education Emerita
- March 6** **How Media Shapes Politics**
Laura Roselle, Professor of Political Science
- March 13** **A Sustainable Economy: Jeremy Rifkin's *Third Industrial Revolution***
Jim Barbour, Associate Professor of Economics, Chair Department of Economics
- March 20** **Growing Economic Importance of the Wine Industry to North Carolina**
Justin Furr, Director of Wine Marketing, NC Division of Tourism, Film & Sports
Development, NC Department of Commerce
Max Lloyd, Owner of Grove Winery and Vineyards, Gibsonville, NC
Debbie Strikeleather, The Winery at Iron Gate Farm, Mebane, NC
Samuel P. Troy, Executive in Residence, Bryan School of Business, UNCG,
Moderator
- March 27** **Writing *Down Along the Haw***
Anne Cassebaum, Associate English Professor Emerita
- April 3*** **Convocation for Honors 2012 with Dr. Muhammad Yunus**
Winner, Nobel Peace Prize, 2006
- *In lieu of classes, all members are encouraged to attend Elon's Convocation for Honors,
Alumni Memorial Gym, Koury Center, 3:30 p.m. (More details regarding tickets will be
shared as we get closer to that date.)*
- April 10** **The Drama of Our Oceans**
Rich D'Amato, Professor of Engineering

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- April 17** **Project Pericles: Engaged Learning around the World**
Tom Arcaro, Professor of Sociology, Director of Elon's Project Pericles program
and students
- April 24** **The Mathematics of Voting**
Richard Haworth, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics
- May 1** **A Short History of Jazz**
Jon Metzger, Associate Professor of Music, Artist in Residence
- May 8** **Program Wrap-up and Elections**
Also included will be a presentation on College Access by Elon Academy Students
and Deborah Long, Director of Elon Academy, Professor of Education