

## WCU IFEST 2015



**COMING TOGETHER TO CELEBRATE OUR DIFFERENCE**

**September 28 – October 2**

### **Special Library Exhibition**

#### **Global Religious Diversity**

The F.H. Green Library will offer an exhibit with the theme of Global Religious Diversity in support of WCU IFest 2015. This topic was chosen to coincide with both Pope Francis's visit to the United States and the World Meeting of Families in Philadelphia. World Meeting attendees hail from 150 nations and represent a range of generations, socio-economic backgrounds, and faith traditions.

The library's display will feature rarely-seen items from Special Collections including George Morris Philips's personal Bible, which he used to perform convocations at West Chester Normal School beginning in the 1890s. Additional items from the circulating collection will highlight an array of diverse faiths from around the globe.

The exhibit will be located on the 2nd floor of the F.H. Green Library near the main entrance and viewable during library hours of operation



### **Monday, September 28**

**11:50 am to 3 pm: Ballroom A, Sykes**

- Opening Remarks, Dr. Weisenstein
- Multicultural Faculty and Student Forum:
  - a. **Chinese Mid-Autumn Moon Festival and the National Day**,  
Professor Yunong Zhou, Languages and Cultures
  - b. **"Stereotypes about the French: Reality or American Creation?"**  
Professor Roxane Petit-Rasselle, Languages and Cultures
  - c. **'Eyo Festival'**. It is a Yoruba festival unique to Lagos, Nigeria

Oluwafemi Adegboyega,

d. **Pray for Peace in the Middle East,**

Composition presented by Mahmoud Amer, Languages and Cultures.

**2:00- 3:00 pm, Sykes Theater**

- Belly Dance, Middle Eastern  
Workshop given by Roberto Mejia

**3:00 – 4:30: Ballroom Sykes**

- Study Abroad Symposium, Dr. Alice Speh

**Tuesday, September 29**

**10:00- 11 am: Ballroom B and C, Sykes**

- Community Dance

**1:00 – 2:00: Ballroom B and C**

- Chinese Mid-autumn Moon Festival  
WCU Chinese Club

**2:00- 3:00: Ballroom B**

- Opportunities for Service Learning and internships  
with the University Rafael Landivar, Guatemala

**4:00 to 5:00 pm: QUAD**

- International Tea Party

**7:00 pm: MIT 102**

- "Viennese Evening": "Before Sunrise"  
Joseph Moser, German, Languages and Cultures

**Wednesday, September 30**

**10:00 am: Sykes Theater**

- Community Dance/ Workshop

**4:30 pm- 6pm : Sykes Theater**

- **Service Learning Forum:** West Chester University students share their overseas service learning experiences in Costa Rica, Guatemala, Mexico and other countries.

**7:30 pm: MIT 102**

- Movie: Wrinkles, Dir. Ignacio Ferreras. Spain, 2012  
Megan Saltzman, Spanish, Languages and Cultures

**Thursday, October 1**

**11:00- 2 pm: Ballroom A**

- International Lunch