



THE IAU COLLEGE TROUBADOUR #1

THIS WEEK'S

SAFE TRAVELS

THURSDAY EVENING

STUDY TOUR

LECTURE SERIES

June 10, 2015



Chers Etudiants,

Bienvenue à la première édition du Troubadour pour cet été 2015. Vous allez le recevoir chaque semaine en début de semaine.

Though the heat is a little more than what we usually get at the beginning of June, in Provence we typically look for as much shade as we can find. Students coming from the US are known in the city of Aix for always having plenty of water with them so you won't need our advice on keeping hydrated. Despite all of this, it has been exciting to see the enthusiasm in kicking off the summer term and we congratulate you all on a good start.

These first couple of weeks can be the most intense, the most thrilling but also the most challenging so keep your heads up and your eyes open.

Passez une excellente semaine,

Leigh Smith
Dean of IAU College

SAFE TRAVELS

Many of you are organizing your own travels around Europe. To ensure your safety, for any trips, individuals or groups traveling together are required to complete the **SIMPLE TRAVEL FORM**. These can be found at reception to Manning Hall.

RECEPTION

Thursday, 11 June, 6 :30pm

CEF, Main Hall

Reception for Professors and Students

A gathering to wind down after this first week of classes. All staff and students are invited and encouraged to come together for "un échange sympathique."

STUDY TOUR

Friday, 12 June, 8:45am-6:pm

Meet in front of Hôtel Roi René (see <https://goo.gl/maps/30vym>)

Study Tour to La Ciotat

We'll take a trip to the town of La Ciotat, birthplace of cinema, for the day and be back in Aix around 6pm.

Itinerary:

Visit village and market


Picnic and pétanque

Beach and beach volley or visit village

Drive over Route des Crêtes
 Make sure to bring:
 Hats, sunscreen and plenty of water
 Picnic food or money to buy picnic food
 Good walking shoes

IAU LECTURE SERIES

The Summer Lecture Series begins next week at the CEF Main Hall. The titles indicate in what language the lecture is conducted. See the list below.



**J.M.G. LE CLEZIO ENTRE DEUX MONDES:
 METISSAGE ET VOYAGE**

lecture in French given by Dr. Sylvie Requemora-Gros, Aix-Marseille Université

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 6:30PM.

IAU College, Main Hall, CEF 2bis rue du Bon Pasteur

Tuesday, June 16 at 6:30pm

"J.M.G. Le Clézio entre deux Mondes : Métissage et Voyage"

Dr. Sylvie Requemora-Gros of Aix-Marseille Université

Le Clézio is a Nobel Prize-winning French author. He lived many years in the US.

Wednesday, June 17, 6:30pm

"The Aftershocks of Colonialism: A Look at Haiti"

Dr. Lori Willard

University of Colorado Denver

Tuesday, June 23, 6:30pm

"Sex & Probability but Not the Probability of Sex"

Dr. Robert A. Hancock

Allegheny College

Wednesday, June 24, 6:30pm

"Trespassing Literary and Political Boundaries in the Arabian Peninsula Novel"

Dr. William Granara

Harvard University

Tuesday, June 30, 6:30pm

"The Third Way: Metaphor, Translation and Travel"

Dr. Fred Robinson

University of San Diego

Wednesday, July 1, 6:30pm

"Les 'nouveaux' défis de la liberté de la presse"
Aboubakr Jamaï
IAU College

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