



come home to english

october 28-november 1, 2014



art & archives gallery

Tues.-Fri., Oct. 28-31, Tu-Th 9-5; F 9-3:30 | LL 316

Annual exhibit of original artwork by faculty, staff, students, alumni, and friends of the Department of English at ASU. The gallery is an opportunity to demonstrate our multi-dimensionality as scholars, writers, citizens, and artists. Curated by **Sarah Dean** and **Bruce Matsunaga**.

vernissage: meet the artists

Wed., Oct. 29, 3:30-5 p.m. | LL 316

Celebrates the opening of the Come Home to English Art and Archives Gallery. Meet the **artists**! Live classical guitar music by ASU English's **Taylor Corse** and ASU Film, Dance & Theatre's **Rob Kaplan**. Wine and hors d'oeuvres served. Free of charge and open to the public.

animal studies lecture by ron broglio + homecoming writing awards presentation

Thurs., Oct. 30, 4:30 p.m. | LL 316

Ron Broglio (Associate Professor of English and Senior Sustainability Scholar at ASU) presents "A Field Guide to English: Or How English Studies Prepared Me to Work with Condors." Following the lecture, winners of English's **Homecoming Writing Awards** will be announced and will read from their work.

In his talk, Broglio posits that sustainability is less a problem of science than a problem of cultural adaptation. He explores how skills in cultural studies and critical theory provide a way of addressing a sustainable future. In particular, he looks at endangered species in Arizona--who gets to decide their fate and by what criteria? These "canaries in the coal mine" tell us much about how culture addresses sustainability. In addition, Broglio will explain a bit about why an English professor would be doing such work and how the English major is well-positioned to think about broad cultural issues. [See also Broglio's co-curated exhibit, "Trout Fishing in America and Other Stories" through Jan. 17, 2015 at the ASU Art Museum.]

homecoming block party

Sat., Nov. 1, 4-8 p.m. | English Booth on Cady Mall (west side of LL Bldg)

Part of the annual CLAS celebration, features a giant crossword puzzle designed by Regents' Professor and Arizona Poet Laureate **Alberto Ríos**, children's book giveaway (for kids ages 3-12) facilitated by ASU **English Education students**, and writing/building activities (with Play-Doh!) with **Writing Programs faculty**.

All events are free of charge, open to the public, and take place at Arizona State University in Tempe.

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