




Newsletter of the Center for European Studies at UNC-Chapel Hill

September 14, 2005

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CES News

Woman to Top Schroeder? German Elections Roundtable



Observers are closely watching the German elections to see if, as predicted, the parties of the left will split their vote, opening the door to the leader of the Christian Democratic Party. With the election coming up on September 18, Angela Merkel could become the first female Chancellor of Germany if Schroeder gets ousted. For more information about the election, view [this article](#). Come and hear the experts ([Christiane Lemke](#), University of Hanover and [Konrad Jarausch](#), UNC History), and join the

discussion!

Thursday, September 22, 2005

12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Coates Building, 223 East Franklin Street: UCIS Seminar Room

View the event flyer [here](#).

CES Fall Speakers Series



Friday, September 30, 2005

11:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Coates Building, 223 East Franklin Street: UCIS Seminar Room

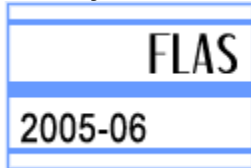
[Graeme Robertson](#) (UNC-CH, Political Science) will give a talk on

Protest Politics in Pseudodemocracies.

Foreign Language & Area Studies (FLAS)

Funding Workshop

Tuesday, November 15, 2005 at 2pm & Wednesday, November 16, 2005 at 3:30pm



UCIS Conference Room, 223 E. Franklin Street

Seeking funding to study less commonly taught languages and area studies? Each Fall, the National Resource Centers at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University hold a Foreign Language Area Studies competition for graduate students (and with approval, faculty)

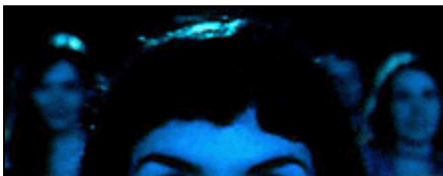
to pursue foreign language and area studies for professional purposes. FLAS funds are from the US Department of Education and are intended to support second language acquisition among US professionals.

FLAS funds are non-service awards providing fellows with a stipend of \$14,000 (AY) or \$2400 (summer) and full payment of tuition and fees. Grants are administered by the Center for European Studies, Center for Slavic, Eurasian, and East European Studies, Institute of Latin American Studies, South Asian Studies, and the University Center for International Studies. For more information visit <http://www.unc.edu/nrc/flas.htm> and stop by this information session!

Potential applicants are strongly encouraged to attend one of the two workshops prior to contacting FLAS coordinators.

Fancy a Film in French?

In collaboration with Prof. Martine Antle's course on Identities in Contemporary European Cinema and the Languages Across the Curriculum program, CES is sponsoring a series of film screenings on Thursday evenings during the fall semester. The series is free and open to the campus community, and a short discussion of the films will follow the screenings. All films will be shown in their original language with English subtitles; the LAC discussions will be in French. Individuals wishing to attend only the film screenings are free to leave before the discussion. A full listing of the films is available [here](#). Please note the location change from previous weeks: all films will be shown in Peabody 204.



Thursday, September 15, 2005

6:00 pm

Seminar Room, Coates Bldg., 223 East Franklin St.

*Please note that the location of the film screenings will change to Peabody 204 for the remainder of the semester,

beginning next Thursday, September 22.
The Scent of Green Papaya (Franco/Vietnamese)

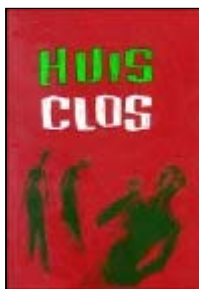
Thursday, September 22, 2005

6:00 pm
 Peabody 204
The Promise (Germany)

Thursday, September 29, 2005

6:00 pm
 Peabody 204
Run Lola Run (Germany)

Jean Paul Sartre Event: "Huis Clos" Performance (No Exit)



Play: Huis Clos by Jean-Paul Sartre

Time: 7:30 pm

Location: Meredith College, Jones Auditorium

Note: [See flyer](#). Free and open to the public. Performed by the Compagnie Claude Beauclair Inter-Europe Spectacles: Paris. Directed by Catherine Masson. This performance celebrates the centennial of Jean-Paul Sartre, the renowned French philosopher, playwright, novelist, and literary critic.

Teaching Materials: Dossier Pédagogique proposé par Catherine Masson (Wellesley College, MA). For copies of these copyrighted materials, please

contact us at [CES](#).

Seminars and Workshops

Exploitation and Competitive Development: Hyena Capitalism and the Informalization of Labor



The Carolina Asia Center presents this talk as part of its Seminar Series. **Phil Robertson Jr.** (former Program Manager of the UN Inter-Agency Project on Human Trafficking in Greater Mekong Sub-region) will discuss the origins and development of Hyena Capitalism, focusing on Thailand and its neighbors.

Monday, September 26, 2005

10:30 am - 12 noon
 Toy Lounge, 4th floor Dey Hall

For more information, view this [announcement](#) and contact [Peter Landstrom](#) (Manager of the Carolina Asia Center) with any questions.

Grants and Fellowships

European University Institute Post-Doctoral Fellowships



The EUI has launched a new Post Doctoral Programme, starting in 2006. For

details please consult the [EUI website](#).

- [Max Weber Fellowships](#): The new Max Weber Fellowships for junior post-docs who would like to embark on an academic career and improve their teaching and professional skills, will start in 2006. These Fellowships are open to candidates who have recently received their doctorates in economics, social and political sciences, law or history, and wish to pursue a career nationally or internationally as future academics. Deadline for applications: **25 October 2005**.
- [Jean Monnet Fellowships](#): The Jean Monnet Fellowships at the Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies with its emphasis on research are available to junior academics at an early stage in their professional careers. Deadline for applications: **25 October 2005**.
- [Senior Fellowships](#): The Senior Fellowship Programme provides a framework for established academics with an international reputation for short stays of up to ten months in one of the Institute's four departments. There are two annual deadlines for applications: **30 March** and **30 September**.

Carnegie Junior Fellows Program



Each year, the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace offers one-year fellowships to students who have graduated during the past academic year. Carnegie Junior Fellows work as research assistants to the Endowment's senior

associates. No one will be considered who has started graduate studies. Applicants must first receive the UNC-CH endorsement.

For more information, please visit the [Office of Distinguished Scholarships website](#). Contact the Director, [Prof. George Lensing](#), with any questions. He has an office in 219 Graham Memorial with an appointment sheet on his door and will be glad to meet with students who express interest. Additionally, [Ms. Jan Hutton](#), the program assistant, is in 225 Graham Memorial, and she can also provide information about scholarships.

Campus Deadline for UNC: **November 30, 2005**

Other International Studies news

Volunteers Needed: Residents of the Former Soviet Union

A UNC student is recruiting volunteers for an oral history project she is conducting this fall through the Anthropology department. Her focus is on individuals who have lived in the former states of the Soviet Union, who have a memory of their lives there, as well as the fall of the Berlin Wall.

You would meet for a total of about three hours; however they need not be all in one sitting. In these meetings, the student will make a cassette recording of your stories and memories, and will then transcribe the recordings and compile them into an ethnographical life story.

If you have any questions or would like to participate in this study, please contact Alexandra Montealegre via [email](#) or 786-877-4745.

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