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## SPECIAL EVENTS

**Monday, October 1, 2007, 8:00 p.m.**  
**A Reading by Adrienne Rich**

Sponsored by the Heymann Center for the Humanities, the Institute for Research on Women and Gender, the Friends of the Columbia Libraries, and the Barnard Center for Research on Women

501 Schermerhorn Hall  
1190 Amsterdam Avenue  
New York, NY 10027

**Thursday, October 11, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**An Evening with Oscar Hijuelos**  
*with special guest Gay Talese*

The Kellogg Center  
1501 International Affairs Building  
420 West 118th Street  
New York, NY 10027

*Reception immediately following*

**Thursday, November 8, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**2007 Paul O. Kristeller Lecture**  
**"The Culture of Correction: Humanism and the Practices of Publication in Renaissance Rome"**

The Kristeller Occasional Lectures in Western Cultural History Before 1800 are made possible by a bequest from the late Professor Kristeller to the Columbia University Libraries.

**Anthony Grafton**  
Henry Putnam University Professor of History  
Princeton University

Social Hall, Union Theological Seminary  
3041 Broadway at 121st Street  
New York, NY 10027

*Reception immediately following*

**Monday, November 12, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**Lecture by Dr. Saad Eskander, Director of the Iraq National Library and Archive**

Social Hall, Union Theological Seminary  
3041 Broadway at 121st Street  
New York, NY 10027

*Reception immediately following*

**Wednesday, November 28, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**A Conversation with Erica Jong**  
*with special guest Jay Parini*

The Kellogg Center  
1501 International Affairs Building  
420 West 118th Street  
New York, NY 10027

*Reception immediately following*

### SAVE THESE DATES IN SPRING 2008!

**Tuesday, January 22, 2008, 6:00 p.m.**  
**The 14th Annual Book Arts Lecture**

**Friday, March 28, 2008, 2:00–7:00 p.m.**  
***Fear of Flying* Conference**

**Thursday, April 10, 2008, 6:00 p.m.**  
**Fritz Stern**

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## CONFERENCES

**Human Rights Archives and Documentation: Meeting the Needs of Research, Teaching, Advocacy, and Social Justice**

Sponsored by the Center for Human Rights Documentation and Research, the Center for Research Libraries, and the University of Texas Libraries

*By registration only*

The Kellogg Center  
1501 International Affairs Building  
420 West 118th Street  
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**Thursday, October 4, 2007, 6:00–7:30 p.m.**  
**Opening Reception, Welcome, and Keynote Address**

**Friday, October 5, 2007, 8:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.**  
**Conference Proceedings**

*For additional details or to register for this conference, please visit <http://www.columbia.edu/cu/lweb/div/humanrights/conferences/2007.html>.*

**Thursday, October 25, 2007, 2:00–6:00 p.m.**  
**Yurii Lawrynenko: Path and Legacy**  
**A Symposium**

Sponsored by the Bakhmeteff Archive of Russian and East European History and Culture and the Ukrainian Studies Program at Columbia University

Butler Library, Room 203  
535 West 114th Street  
New York, NY 10027

**Friday, November 2, 2007, 9:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m.**  
**Reconstructing Womanhood: A Future Beyond Empire**  
**A Symposium**

Sponsored by the Institute for Research on Women and Gender, the Friends of the Columbia Libraries, and the Barnard Center for Research on Women

Sulzberger Parlor  
Barnard Hall, 3rd Floor  
3009 Broadway  
New York, NY 10027

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## LECTURE SERIES

**The 35th Bampton Lectures in America**  
**"The Crusades, Christianity, and Islam"**

Sponsored by the Department of Religion and the School of Arts and Sciences; co-sponsored by the Friends of the Columbia Libraries

**Jonathan Riley-Smith**  
Dixie Professor Emeritus of Ecclesiastical History,  
Cambridge University

The Kellogg Center  
1501 International Affairs Building  
420 West 118th Street  
New York, NY 10027

**Tuesday, October 9, 2007, 5:00 p.m.**  
**"Crusades as Christian Holy Wars"**

**Wednesday, October 10, 2007, 5:00 p.m.**  
**"Crusades as Christian Penitential Wars"**

**Tuesday, October 16, 2007, 5:00 p.m.**  
**"Crusades and Imperialism"**

*Reception immediately following in the Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Butler Library, 6th Floor East*

**Wednesday, October 17, 2007, 5:00 p.m.**  
**"Crusades and Islam"**

**Three Lectures on the Very Modern History of the Book**

**Daniel M. G. Raff**  
Associate Professor of Management,  
Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania

Butler Library, Room 523  
535 West 114th Street  
New York, NY 10027

**Thursday, November 1, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**"The Book-of-the-Month Club: A Reconsideration"**

*Reception immediately following in the Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Butler Library, 6th Floor East*

**Wednesday, November 7, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**"Bookstores and Bookselling in the Late Twentieth Century"**

**Thursday, November 15, 2007, 6:00 p.m.**  
**"Wholesalers: A Love Story"**

## EXHIBITIONS

**August 20–October 26, 2007**  
**Arthur Rackham: Drawings from the Berol Collection**

Chang Octagon Exhibition Room  
Rare Book & Manuscript Library  
Butler Library, 6th Floor East  
535 West 114th Street  
New York, NY 10027

<http://www.columbia.edu/library/rbml>

**September 3–28, 2007**  
**John Jay and the Summer of 1787**

An exhibition in honor of Constitution Day 2007

Kempner Gallery Cube Cases  
Rare Book & Manuscript Library  
Butler Library, 6th Floor East  
535 West 114th Street  
New York, NY 10027

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**September–October 2007**  
**Selections from the Cambodia Witness Exhibition**

West Reading Room  
Lehman Library  
International Affairs Building, 3rd Floor  
420 West 118th Street  
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<http://www.columbia.edu/library/lehman>  
<http://www.columbia.edu/library/humanrights>

**September 19–December 8, 2007**  
**Revolutions: A Century of Makonde Masquerade in Mozambique**

**Opening reception: September 19, 2007, 5:00–7:00 p.m.**

Miriam & Ira D. Wallach Art Gallery  
826 Schermerhorn Hall  
1190 Amsterdam Avenue  
New York, NY 10027

<http://www.columbia.edu/cu/wallach>

**November 12, 2007–February 29, 2008**  
**The Author as Artist: The Beats**

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Rare Book & Manuscript Library  
Butler Library, 6th Floor East  
535 West 114th Street  
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