



2008-09

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec. 2 - Lit to Film Book Club

Dec. 6 - Poetry Reading

Jan. 6 - Lit to Film Book Club

Jan. 8 - Poetry Reading

Feb. 5 - Kym Worthy Speaks

Feb. 12 - Poetry Reading

Mar. 4 - Authors @ OU

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Upcoming Library Events and Activities

Kym Worthy, Wayne County Prosecutor, to Speak

On Thursday, February 5, 2009, at 12 noon, on the 4th Floor of Kresge Library, Kym Worthy will speak on the topic of "Economic and Spiritual Recovery in a Post-Kilpatrick Detroit." In her current position as Wayne County Prosecutor, she has handled many high-profile cases, none higher-profile than the recent prosecution of Kwame Kilpatrick, former mayor of Detroit. As part of Oakland University's African History Celebration Month 2009, Kresge Library is proud to host Ms. Worthy's appearance.

Poetry Readings

In order to bring poetry off the page and to an audience, Kresge Library began holding monthly poetry readings (generally, the first Thursday of each month) in our Student Lounge. These events are a relaxed and informal setting where attendees can read their own work or poems or poems by other authors, or just sit back and enjoy the experience of listening.

Lit to Film Book Club announces new lineup

The **OUAA Lit to Film Book Club** has begun its 2008-09 season with a viewing and discussion Tuesday, September 2, of "Personal Velocity" by Rebecca Miller and the film based on it. See the schedule of films and books for the rest of this year and find out how to become a member! [Full Story...](#)

Recent Library Events

Authors at OU: A Celebration of the Book

The third annual tribute to the scholarly productivity of Oakland University faculty continued with this year's celebration of the book. A reception was held on March 19, 2008, at which two authors discussed their work and over 80 participants enjoyed the event. [Full Story...](#)

Gala Dedication of the Gaylor Collection in GLBT Literature

The GLBT Literature and Resource Center featuring the Robert Gaylor Collection of GLBT literature was dedicated on September 27, 2007. The Center, located in Kresge Library, features a reading and study area along with a research collection of books and magazines. [Full Story...](#)

Student Exhibition "art ex libris": Art Made from Books

Last fall, the Kresge Library successfully presented a unique juried art exhibition, *art ex libris*, co-sponsored by the Art and Art History Department. The exhibit, comprised of withdrawn library books made into art by Oakland University students, was on display throughout October 2007. [Full Story...](#)

China Gift Collection Dedicated

On June 5, 2008, a special China Gift Collection of books and unique photographs was dedicated by Kresge Library. This circulating collection of books about China is housed in the comfy confines of KL328. [Full Story...](#)

Poetry: Slammin' in the Library

Kresge Library began promoting poetry with a bang starting with its first poetry slam on November 1, 2007, co-sponsored with Auburn Hills Public Library. The event was so successful that another was held to celebrate National Poetry Month on April 10, 2008. [Full Story...](#)

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