

OSU LIBRARY JANUARY 2008 UPDATE

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CELEBRATING BOOKS BY OSU AUTHORS

Join us on January 31 from 2-4 p.m. in the Peggy V. Helmerich Browsing Room for the second annual "Celebrating Books by OSU Authors." The reception honors OSU faculty, emeriti, staff and students who have authored, co-authored or edited a book or who have published creative works such as musical compositions, art exhibit catalogs or audio recordings. Guests will have the opportunity to talk to authors, and several books and CDs by honorees will be for sale.

The purpose of "Celebrating Books by OSU Authors" is to recognize and honor these individuals' achievements, encourage academic dialogue, and ensure that works by OSU authors are available to the University community by adding these pieces to the OSU Library's collection. This year's event will spotlight books and creative works published in 2006 and 2007. If your work falls into this category, submit the form at www.library.okstate.edu/forms/authors.htm. We will add you to the list of honorees.

This year we are pleased to honor: Brant Adams • Cokie Anderson • Linda M. Austin • Lee Bird • Phil Choo • Anne-Marie Condacse • Bob Darcy • Sidney Ewing • Jami Fullerton • Todd Hubbard • Deb Jordan • Thomas Lanners • Jason Lavery • Lance A. Millis • David Moll • Ruth Mudroch • Jennifer Paustenbaugh • Angela Piehl • David Peters • Donna Rhea • William Seagall • Ramesh Sharda • Ravi Sheorey • Marcella Sirhandi • Rebecca te Velde • Jean Van Delinder • Martin Wallen • Susan Weir • John Wooley

TWO OPPORTUNITIES TO HEAR CARLOS EIRE, 2003 NATIONAL BOOK AWARD WINNER

The 2003 National Book Award winner for non-fiction, Carlos Eire, will speak at the next Arts and Humanities Lecture Series. The event is presented in two installments and is sponsored by the College of Arts and Sciences, OSU History Department and the OSU Library. Eire is the T. Lawrason Riggs Professor of History and Religious Studies at Yale University.

- January 28, 7 p.m. in Room 106, Noble Research Center
Eire will present "When Mystics and Witches Flew: Writing a History of the Impossible."
- January 29, 1 p.m. in the Peggy V. Helmerich Browsing Room, Edmon Low Library
Eire will discuss *Waiting for Snow in Havana*. Book sale and signing follows.

Both events are free and open to the public. For more information, call 744-7331, or email lib-pub@okstate.edu.

TELL YOUR STUDENTS: TEXTBOOKS ARE ON RESERVE

Many students first discover Library resources and services because a professor brought it to their attention. This month we encourage you to tell your students about textbooks on reserve.

The OSU Library has expanded the number of textbooks available for check out to students for the fourth semester in a row. This spring, required textbooks for classes of 125 or more students, or costing \$125 or more were added to the Library's collection. The textbooks are on two-hour reserve and available to be checked out.

For more information about the Library's textbook program, contact Richard Paustenbaugh at (405) 744-5271 or richard.paustenbaugh@okstate.edu.

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