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VOICES THE CIVIL WAR SPEAKAT LMU

JANUARY - MAY 2015

Loyola Marymount University presents two exhibitions of extraordinary artifacts and a semester-long series of programs to commemorate the sesquicentennial of the ending of the Civil War.

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Voices of the Civil War Speak at LMU is made possible by the LMU Office of the President, the LMU Classics and History Departments, the Office of Black Student Services, and the William H. Hannon Library

EXHIBITIONS

Not Silent: Finding Voices in Civil War Artifacts

An exhibition curated by students enrolled in Dr. Carla Bittel's History 550 Civil War Seminar

> Terrance L. Mahan, S.J. Department of Archives & Special Collections William H. Hannon Library, Level 3

Open to the public Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

LMU Archaeology Center Civil War Collection

University Hall 3325

By appointment. Please call 310-338-5835.

At both locations: Guided Exhibit Walk-throughs

First and third Wednesday of every month, February 2 through May 6 1:30 – 4:30 p.m., both locations. Drop-ins welcome.

PROGRAMS

Thursday February 5 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Not Silent opening reception, with keynote by Dr. Ronald C. White, Jr., "The Voice of Abraham Lincoln: The Second Inaugural Address." William H. Hannon Library, Level 3 At this special event, historian Ronald C. White will explore Lincoln's voice, the role of oratory in the nineteenth century, and the value of words then and now. Program followed by a hosted reception and exhibition viewing accompanied by a performance of Civil War era violin music.

PROGRAMS

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Monday February 23 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. Film screening: 12 Years a Slave Deja View Movie Lounge Screening of the Academy Awardwinning film 12 Years a Slave, in preparation for the discussion on February 25. Refreshments will be served. LMU only.

Wednesday February 25 7:30 – 9:30 p.m. Beyond 12 Years a Slave: Panel & Discussion William H. Hannon Library, Von der Ahe Family Suite, Level 3 All are invited to view the Not Silent exhibit and participate in a panel and discussion that explores the major themes of physical and psychological violence, labor exploitation, and family desecration presented within the movie 12 Years a Slave, as well as their contemporary relevance in society.

Wednesday March 4 5:00 - 6:30 p.m. **Women's Voices of the Civil War** William H. Hannon Library, Von der Ahe Family Suite, Level 3 Professor Carla Bittel will discuss how historians have studied women of the Civil War era, and will set the stage for the audience to hear diverse women's voices from the time, interpreted by LMU theater students.

Saturday March 21 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. **LMU Undergraduate Research Symposium** University Hall Atrium Hear first-hand from students of history, archaeology, and graphic design about their experiences researching, curating, and designing this academic program.

Unless otherwise noted, all programs are free and open to the public.

The courtesy of an RSVP is requested.

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