

AFRICAN STUDIES SYMPOSIUM

The North Africa Spring

An interdisciplinary examination of the cultural and political importance of the events of last spring in North Africa

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 2012 • 2–5:30 P.M.
RUSSELL HOUSE

SCHEDULE:

- 2 p.m. Opening Remarks: Michael Nelson, Wesleyan University
- 2:15 p.m. Leonardo A. Villalón, University of Florida
Spring Storms Across the Sahara: The Francophone Sahel in the Wake of the North African Spring
- 3 p.m. Katherine E. Hoffman, Northwestern University
Revolution's Refugees: Tunisian Amazigh Responses to Displaced Libyans and Their Commuter Rebellion
- 3:50 p.m. Panel: Peter Gottschalk, Tushar Irani, and Bruce Masters, Wesleyan University
- 4:20 p.m. General Discussion
- 4:50 p.m. Reception



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