



# **Quality programs**

The Goshen College Afternoon Sabbatical program was started by community women and college personnel in 1977 as a way for the community and the college to connect through programs that draw on the expertise of Goshen College faculty and community members. The name suggests time for a "sabbatical" from daily routines to refresh minds and spirits.

The concept has grown into a yearly series with on-campus programs held on a Tuesday each month during the school year and bus trips for off-campus tours. This year our international luncheon featuring Hungary will be held in October. We have tried to get tickets to *Hamilton* in Chicago, but with the very high demand, we were not successful. Watch for an email announcement if we add a Chicago show. You may sign up for an "interested list" for a trip we are planning for Fall 2017 to Niagara-on-the-Lake for theater.

Please join us for these interesting programs.

You will receive an email reminder of monthly programs if your address is in our files. Please call (574) 535-7565 or email aftsabb@goshen.edu to update your email address.

#### The Afternoon Sabbatical Committee:

Terri Plank Brenneman, Toni Johnson, Laurie Lord, Marie Moore, Mary Ann Roth, LaRayne Siegmann and Janette Yoder

### **2016-17 Schedule**

Tuesday, Sept. 13, 2016, 1 p.m.

Evolving With Language: When the Rules on Courtesy, Profanity and Other Usage Give Way

Duane Stoltzfus, GC professor of communication

Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016, noon

International Luncheon: Hungary – The Heart of Eastern Europe

Balazs Pirot, 2016 GC graduate

Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2016, 1 p.m.

El Sistema: Transforming Lives through Music

Jose Rocha, GC associate professor of music

Tuesday, Dec. 6, 2016, 1 p.m.

**Curating Christmas** 

Beverly Lapp, GC professor of music and department chair

Jan. 2017 – No Program

Tuesday, Feb. 14, 2017, 1 p.m

**I** ♥ Comics: The Cultural Power of Comics and Graphic Novels

Jessica Baldanzi, GC associate professor of English

Tuesday, March 14, 2017, 1 p.m.

Nurturing Our Entrepreneurship Ecosystem

Michelle Horning, GC professor of accounting

Tuesday, April 4, 2017, 1 p.m.

Women's World Music Choir: Creating, Sustaining, Disrupting

Debra Detwiler Brubaker, GC professor of music

Tuesday, May 16, 2017, 1 p.m.

Salzbergen: Bass-baritone Njål Sparbo and Friends

Njål Sparbo, bass-baritone, 2009 Grieg Prize recipient Luke Norell, piano program director, Community School

Mary Rose Norell, director, Community School of the Arts

Sept. 19-21, 2017

of the Arts

Theater Trip to Niagara-on-the-Lake





# Afternoon Sabbatical





## **Program descriptions**



Tuesday, Sept. 13, 2016 | 1 p.m. Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

Evolving With Language: When the Rules on Courtesy, Profanity and Other Usage Give Way

Duane Stoltzfus, GC professor of communication

Duane Stoltzfus will talk about navigating standards in a shifting landscape. Communication is more important than rules, but standards also have their place. He'll reflect on his own journey with language and engage his students, former professors and others in a conversation about how we best say what we want to say.



Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2016 ∣ noon Church-Chapel Fellowship Hall

International Luncheon Hungary – The Heart of Eastern Europe

Balazs Pirot, 2016 GC graduate

After a traditional Hungarian meal, Balazs Pirot, a recent Goshen College graduate and Hungarian citizen, will give a brief overview of the country's history, economy, culture, famous personnel and sites such as capital, Budapest.

Cost: \$22, \$5 late fee after Oct. 3



Tuesday, Nov. 8, 2016 | 1 p.m. Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

El Sistema: Transforming Lives through Music

Jose Rocha, GC associate professor of music

With El Sistema, a grassroots music education program, children of all ages and walks of life have learned to play instruments; neighborhoods and lives have been transformed. Interspersed with a cello performance, Jose Rocha will share the history of this movement, his experience with El Sistema in his home country, Mexico, and how GC is collaborating with Longy School of Music with an emphasis on music for social change.



**Tuesday, Dec. 6, 2016** | 1 p.m. Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

**Curating Christmas** 

Beverly Lapp, GC professor of music and department chair

Beverly Lapp will perform her favorite piano arrangements of Advent and Christmas music, and will offer commentary on how the compositional techniques at play bring out the message and spirit of these beloved carols.



Tuesday, Feb. 14, 2017 | 1 p.m Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

I ♥ Comics: The Cultural Power of Comics and Graphic Novels

Jessica Baldanzi, GC associate professor of English

Jessica Baldanzi designed and developed the college's course on comics and graphic narratives, writes the comics review blog Commons Comics for the Elkhart Truth, and is co-editing a collection of scholarly essays on Kamala Kahn, the new Ms. Marvel. Her presentation will review the language of comics, as well as their unique power — from Art Spiegelman's Maus, which won the Pulitzer Prize in 1986, to the new Ms. Marvel — to negotiate difficult cultural conversations.



Tuesday, March 14, 2017, 1 p.m. Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

Nurturing Our Entrepreneurship Ecosystem

Michelle Horning, GC professor of accounting

The success of an entrepreneurship ecosystem depends on the robust and active interactions of individuals, organizations and the culture that surrounds them. Learn how the college's entrepreneurship program provides a launching point for individual entrepreneurs who have been instrumental in helping to develop the local and regional entrepreneurship community.



Tuesday, April 4, 2017 | 1 p.m. Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

Women's World Music Choir: "Creating, Sustaining, Disrupting"

**Debra Detwiler Brubaker**, GC professor of music

In its 13 years of music-making, the college's Women's World Music Choir continues to celebrate the strength and energy of women from a diversity of cultures. Through singing, movement and spoken word, this program will embrace the themes of: sustaining individuals through hard times; creating joy as a response of gratitude to life's gifts; and disrupting the attitudes held towards women.



**Tuesday, May 16, 2017** | **1 p.m.** Sauder Concert Hall, Music Center

Salzbergen: Bass-baritone Njål Sparbo and Friends

Njål Sparbo, Norwegian bass-baritone, 2009 Grieg Prize recipient Luke Norell, piano program director, Community School of the Arts

Mary Rose Norell, director, Community School of the Arts

Celebrate the connections between musical giants Edvard Grieg and Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart in a preview of "SALZBERGEN," the inaugural conference of the Edvard Grieg Society of the Great Lakes, to be held at the college on May 19-20. This collaborative lecture performance includes vocal, solo and chamber music.



Sept. 19-21, 2017

Theater Trip to

Niagara-on-the-Lake

Join us for a trip to the picturesque Victorian village of Niagaraon-the-Lake to attend theater by the highly recognized Shaw Festival Acting Company. We will stay at the historic Prince of Wales Hotel, centered ideally for walking, shopping, restaurants and the three theaters.

**Cost:** \$575 includes coach travel, two nights lodging, two evening theater tickets and stop at Niagara Falls. A third play (matinee) can be added for additional cost. Size is limited to 35 guests. Make a \$25 nonrefundable deposit to hold your place.

# Registration

Name
Address
City State
ZIP code Phone
Email
Oct. 11, 2016: International Luncheon – Hungary (Late fee of \$5 after Oct. 3)
at \$ 22 =
Table of 8 at \$160 =
Sept. 19-21, 2017: Theater Trip to Niagara-on-the-Lake
Non-refundable \$25 deposit per person
at \$ 25 =
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