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## UCT events and interview opportunities

- **Nelson Mandela & the Arts, by Imraan Coovadia** - Award-winning novelist Imraan Coovadia presents *Nelson Mandela and the Arts*, in which he asks: What do politicians learn from the arts? What do they see reflected in the novel? Why was Mandela interested in the novel and how did he show himself in his choice of stage roles? What is the nature of Mandela's famous high-mindedness and grace, and how do we understand his identification with Tolstoy's Kutuzov from *War and Peace*?
- **Curriculum Change by Professor Nelson Maldonado-Torres** - The Curriculum Change Working Group (CCWG) in collaboration with the UCT Black Academic Caucus (BAC) present a lecture by Prof Nelson Maldonado-Torres. The CCWG is a task team commissioned by Vice Chancellor Dr Max Price in response to the call by the #RhodesMustFall and #FeesMustFall protest movements, which challenged and reenergized critical engagement around the purpose of a university both as a site of complicity and a potential agent for social change in an unequal society. This lecture serves to contextualise the notion of a university from a global perspective, and provides a critical point of departure for further engagements at UCT.
- **Fisheries Myths by Professor Ray Hilborn** - Internationally respected fisheries scientist, Prof Hilborn, is visiting South Africa this week at the invitation of the Deep Sea Trawling Industry Association (SADSTIA). Members of the media are invited to attend this public event in which Prof Hilborn will argue that all fish stocks will NOT collapse by 2048; 70% of the world's fish stocks are NOT overfished; all large fish species were NOT depleted by 1980; and we are NOT "fishing down the food chain".  
  
Ray Hilborn is professor of aquatic and fishery science at the University of Washington in Seattle, United States. At the recent four-yearly World Fisheries Congress, where he was a keynote speaker, he received the World Council of Fisheries Societies award for his contributions to global fisheries science and conservation.
- **Launch of 'Just Work? Migrant Workers' Struggle Today'** - The Department of Sociology and Centre for African Studies at UCT will launch 'Just Work? Migrant Workers' Struggle Today', a book edited by Aziz Choudry (McGill University) and Mondli Hlatshwayo (University of Johannesburg).
- **Social Responsiveness Symposium 2016** - This symposium will reflect on

progress made in institutionalising social responsiveness at UCT and in deepening understanding of the scale and nature of it at the university, broadening debate and discussion about the role of higher education institutions in contributing to the development of an equitable, just and humane society in South Africa.

<b>Event/Topic</b>	<b>Details</b>	<b>Contact</b>
Nelson Mandela and the Arts by Imraan Coovadia	<b>Date:</b> 23 August 2016 <b>Time:</b> 17h00 - 19h00 <b>Venue:</b> Hiddingh Hall, UCT Hiddingh Campus, 31 - 37 Orange Street, Cape Town,	<b>Name:</b> Jessica Loizides <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:jessica.loizides@uct.ac.za">jessica.loizides@uct.ac.za</a> <b>Tel:</b> 021 650 5671
Curriculum Change by Professor Nelson Maldonado-Torres	<b>Date:</b> 23 August 2016 <b>Time:</b> 13h00 - 14h00, with a discussion from 14h00 - 15h00 <b>Venue:</b> PD Hahn 1, Middle Campus, UCT	<b>Name:</b> Azwi Mufamadi <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:azwi.mufamadi@uct.ac.za">azwi.mufamadi@uct.ac.za</a> <b>Tel:</b> 021 650 5427
Fisheries Myths by Professor Hilborn	<b>Date:</b> 25 August 2016 <b>Time:</b> 16h00 – 17h30 <b>Venue:</b> Room M320 in the Mathematics and Applied Mathematics Building, Upper Campus, UCT	<b>Name:</b> Sino Mdunjeni <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:sino.mdunjeni@uct.ac.za">sino.mdunjeni@uct.ac.za</a> <b>Tel:</b> 021 650 4976
Launch of 'Just Work? Migrant Workers' Struggle Today'	<b>Date:</b> 25 August 2016 <b>Time:</b> 17h00 for 17h30 <b>Venue:</b> Centre for African Studies, Harry Oppenheimer Institute Building, Level 3, Engineering Mall Rd, Upper Campus	<b>Name:</b> Jessica Loizides <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:jessica.loizides@uct.ac.za">jessica.loizides@uct.ac.za</a> <b>Tel:</b> 021 650 5671
Social Responsiveness Symposium 2016	<b>Date:</b> 26 August 2016 <b>Time:</b> 14h00 – 16h30 <b>Venue:</b> Mafeje Room, Bremner Building, Middle Campus, UCT	<b>Name:</b> Sino Mdunjeni <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:sino.mdunjeni@uct.ac.za">sino.mdunjeni@uct.ac.za</a> <b>Tel:</b> 021 650 4976 <b>RSVP:</b> <a href="mailto:elaine.hendricks@uct.ac.za">elaine.hendricks@uct.ac.za</a>

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