Fall 2015 Events

September 10-11
"Heritage of Death"
Joint international conference with our Critical Heritage Studies Network partners
Stockholm University, Sweden

September 17
"The Lure of the Relic: Collecting the Holy Land"
Lecture by Dr. Monag Kersal (Department of Anthropology, DePaul University)
Knight Auditorium, Spurlock Museum, 5:30 pm

September 18
"Serving the State: Artifacts, Archaeology and Diplomacy"
Lecture by Dr. Monag Kersal (Department of Anthropology, DePaul University)
Room 109, Davenport Hall, 4:00 pm

September 18
"The Ethics of Trusteeship and the Biography of Objects"
Lecture by Dr. Andreas Fantazatos (Department of Philosophy, Durham University)
Room 109, Davenport Hall, 5:00 pm

September 21
"Loss. The Restitution of Jewish Property in Austria after the Holocaust"
Lecture by Dr. Lisa Silverman (University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee)
Room 62, Krannert Art Museum, 5:30 pm

October 7
"Pirates of the Press. Case Studies in the Prehistory of Copyright"
Lecture by Lori Newcomb (English Department, UIUC) and Adam Doskey (Curator of Rare Books & Manuscripts, UIUC)
Rare Books Room of the Library, 3:00 pm

October 27
"Right to Accessible Information for Global Citizenship"
Lecture by Dr. Irmgarda Kasinskaite-Buddeberg (Program Specialist for UNESCO’s Knowledge Societies Division, Communication
Room 126, GSLIS, 4:00 pm

November 9
"Mind and Murals: The Buddhist Cave Paintings of the Mogao Grottoes, China"
Lecture by Eugene Y. Wang (Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Professor of Asian Art, Harvard University)
Knight Auditorium, Spurlock Museum, 4:00 pm

November 10
"Neutralizing heritage? Evaluating UNESCO’s World Heritage Nomination Process through the Example of Santiniketan, India"
Lecture by Sonal Mithal Moti (PhD, Landscape Architecture, UIUC)
Room 109, Davenport Hall, 5:30 pm