



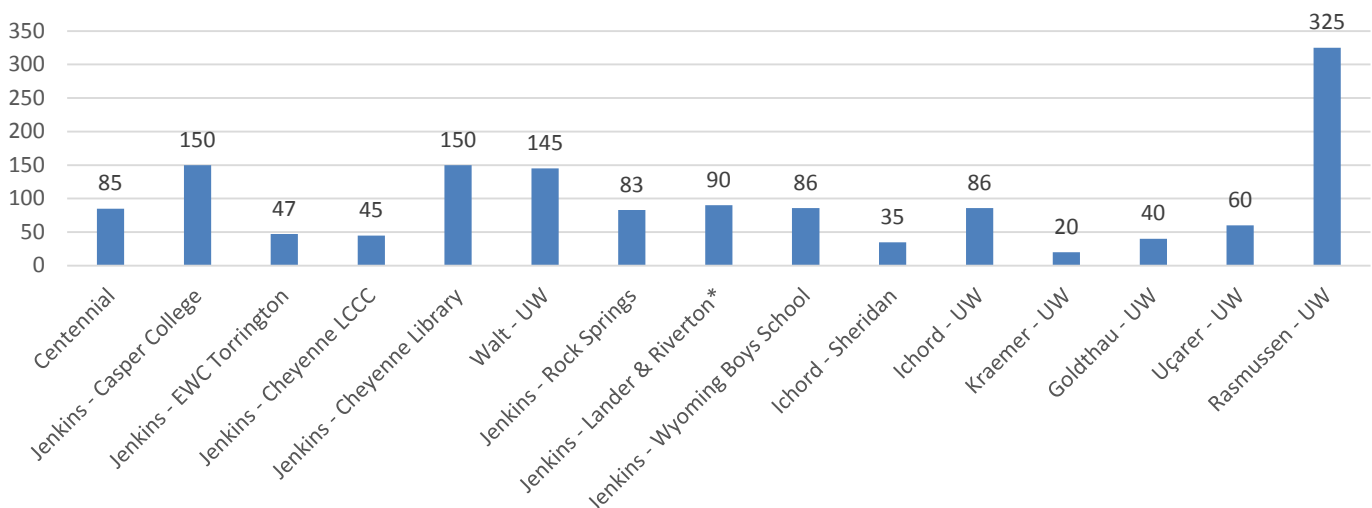
Global Studies Lecture Series AY 2017-18 Report of Activities Around Wyoming Jean A. Garrison

The Center for Global Studies (CGS) continues its commitment to statewide outreach programming focusing on international affairs in communities around Wyoming and on the UW campus. This series is made possible through partnerships with UW's Office of Academic Affairs, School of Energy Resources, School of Politics, Public Affairs, & International Studies, College of Arts and Sciences, College of Law, and external partners including the Wyoming Humanities Council, Homer A. and Mildred S. Scott Foundation, Rocky Mountain Power Foundation, InterConnections21 in Jackson, National Museum of Wildlife Art, Buffalo Bill Center of the West, and Wyoming's community colleges.

Fall 2017 Global Studies Lecture Series

We sponsored/facilitated sixteen events in ten Wyoming communities in the Summer and Fall of 2017 – ten events were held around Wyoming and six were on the UW campus. The *Centennial What in the World?* summer series included presentations by CGS-funded graduate students, Jeremy Goldsmith presenting on migration out of The Gambia and Denise Muro on migrant experiences in Germany in June, UW department of art professors Mark Ritchie and Leah Hardy presenting on "Riding the Range in Mongolia and Australia: Art, Insights, and Impressions" in July, and Dr. Thomas Risse from the Free University of Berlin presenting on "Europe, the U.S., and the Transatlantic Relationship during Tumultuous Times" in August. Fall 2017 *World to Wyoming* presentations continued with Mark Jenkins, UW writer-in-residence and *National Geographic* correspondent, presenting "Tea, Trade, & Tyranny: Tibet & China over Time" at Casper College, Eastern Wyoming College in Torrington, Laramie County Community College and Laramie County Library in Cheyenne, Western Wyoming Community College in Rock Springs, Central Wyoming College in Riverton, Lander Valley High School, and the Boys School in Worland. CGS partnered with the School of Politics, Public Affairs, and International Studies to host Phi Beta Kappa Distinguished Scholar Dr. Stephen Walt from Harvard University who discussed "Where is U.S. Foreign Policy Headed?" In conjunction with a grant from the Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, CGS co-sponsored Stefan Kraemer, manager of the Forestry Area Edelweiler in the County of Freudenstadt, for his presentation on "Comparing German and U.S. Forestry Management in the Black Forest and Medicine Bow National Forest: Different Approaches to the Pine Beetle" and Dr. Emek Uçarer, professor in the International Relations Department at Bucknell University, for her presentation on "Mare Nostrum or Solidarity of Inaction? European Union's Responses to the Unfolding Refugee and Burden-Sharing Crisis." In partnership with the School of Energy Resources, CGS sponsored Dr. Robert F. Ichord, Jr., non-resident senior fellow with the Atlantic Council's Global Energy Center and former Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Energy Innovation, for a presentation on "Changing Global Energy Markets, U.S. Foreign Policy, and Wyoming's Position as an Energy Leader" at Sheridan College and UW and Dr. Andreas Goldthau, professor in International Relations at Royal Holloway University of London, who presented "Russian Energy and European Security: Challenges and Policy Implications." In collaboration with the College of Arts and Sciences and the Wallop Conversations on Democracy Program, the Center hosted Anders Fogh Rasmussen, former Prime Minister of Denmark and Secretary General of NATO, who presented on "America's Will to Lead: Transatlantic Relations, and the Future of the U.S. - European Alliance." This exciting day's events also included presentations by CGS-Wallop Student Fellows about their summer research and Mr. Rasmussen took time to meet with and mentor some promising young UW scholars. Many of these programs are available on the CGS YouTube channel "uwcenterforglobalstudies."

Global Studies Lecture Series – Fall 2017



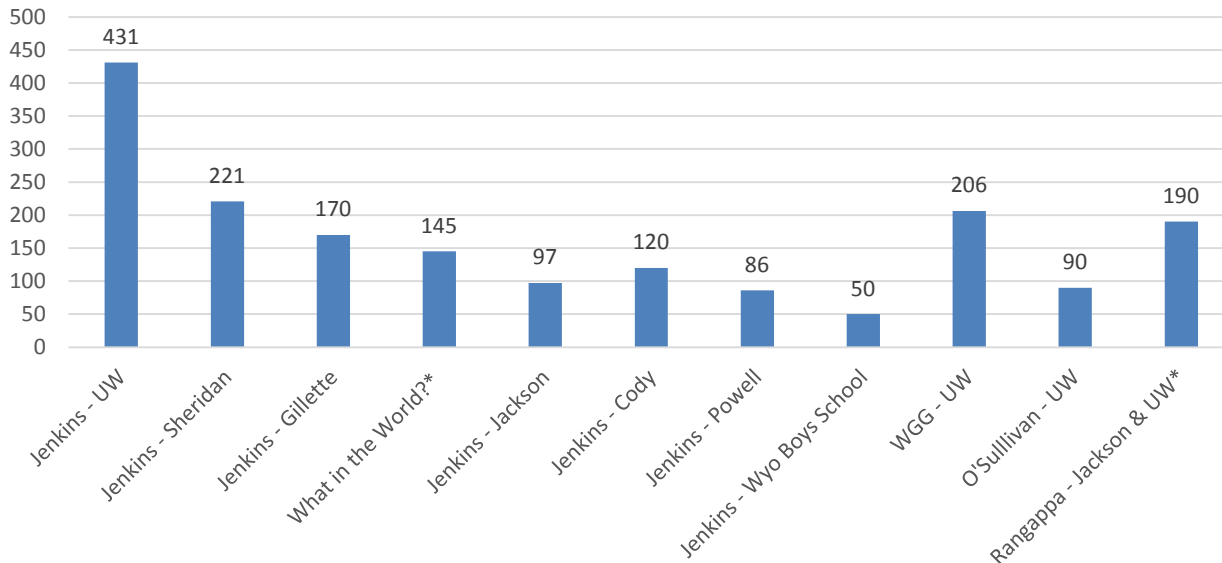
*Data is combined for visits to Lander Valley High School and Central Wyoming College.

**Number of attendants for these events overall = 1447 people; UW campus events = 676 people; non-UW = 771 people. Average attendance = 90 people/event.

Spring 2018 Global Studies Lecture Series

We sponsored/facilitated sixteen events in seven Wyoming communities in the Spring of 2018 – twelve events were held around Wyoming and four were on the UW campus. In February and March, Mark Jenkins’ *World to Wyoming* tour continued with presentations on “Camels, Climbing and St. Catherine, An Expedition to Egypt” at UW, Sheridan College, Gillette College, National Wildlife Museum in Jackson, Buffalo Bill Center of the West in Cody, Northwest College in Powell, and the Boys School in Worland. Throughout the Spring, CGS sponsored graduate students’ presentations on their international research in the *What in the World? International Studies Fieldwork* program in Centennial, Sheridan, Powell, Cody and Jackson. At UW, programs included the fourth annual *Wyoming Goes Global Conference: A World of Opportunities* that featured a roundtable discussion on International Careers and a panel discussion on American Foreign Policy in the Trump Era, followed by student and faculty presentations/posters highlighting the exciting and significant international research being done by UW faculty and students. In April, EU Ambassador to the U.S., David O’Sullivan, gave a keynote speech at the student organized European Horizons Conference on the future of EU-US relations, followed by an expert roundtable session focused on current challenges in the transatlantic relationship and three panels on energy and EU policy, culture and identity, and security. Finally, Asha Rangappa, former FBI Agent and CNN Contributor, gave public presentations in Jackson and Laramie on social media and Facebook’s role in preserving democracy and on making sense of the Robert Mueller investigation.

Global Studies Lecture Series – Spring 2018 Data



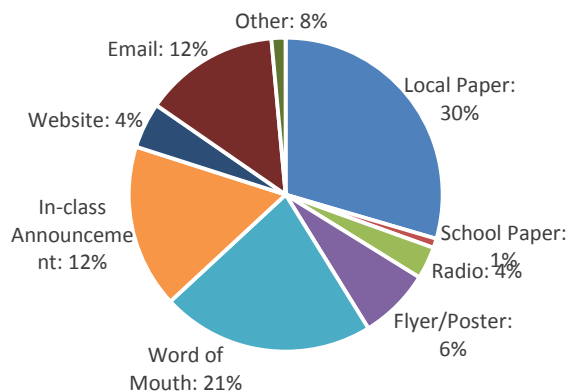
*What in the World? included five venues for student presentations including Centennial, Sheridan College, Northwest College in Powell, Cody and Jackson.

*Data is combined for Rangappa’s visits to Jackson and Laramie.

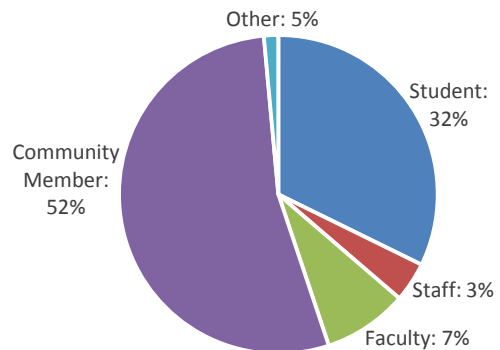
**Number of attendants for these events overall = 1806 people; UW campus events = 817 people; non-UW = 989 people. Average attendance = 113 people/event.

The following charts display data gathered at speaker series events over the last year via short questionnaires distributed to audience members. Over 94% of respondents, which included students, faculty, staff, and community members, reported that the speaker series improved their understanding of global issues, and 95% stated that the event contributed to building a sense of international awareness.

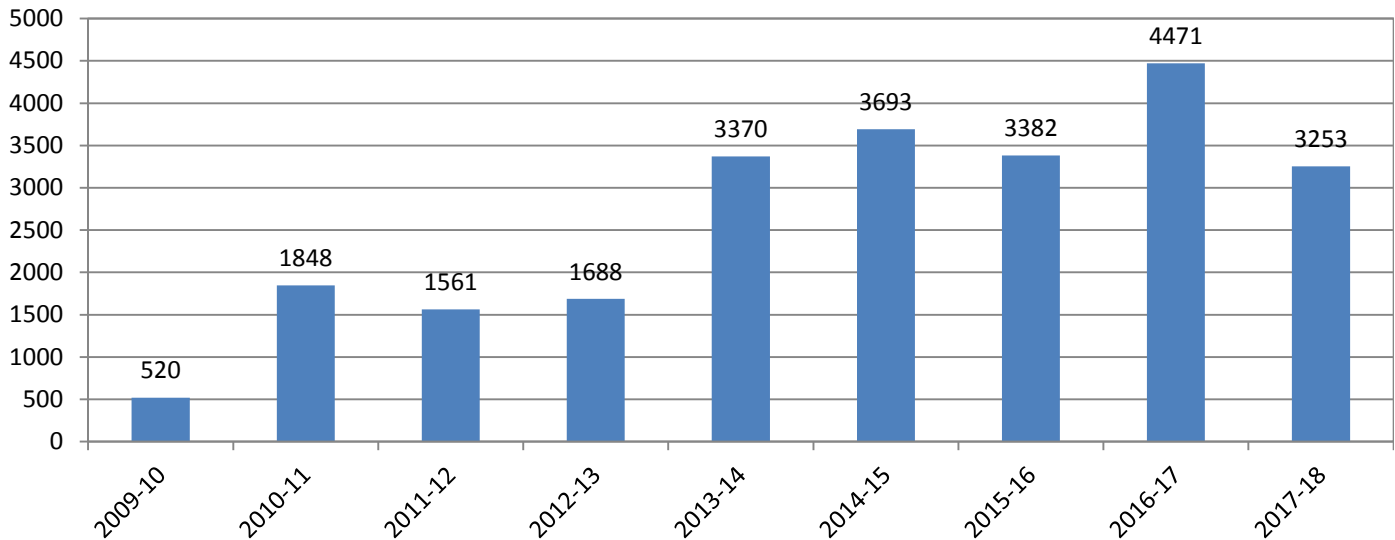
Where did you hear about the event?



What category describes you best?



Global Studies Lecture Series 2009 – 2018 Data



Upcoming Summer & Fall 2018 Events

Summer 2018 Centennial 'What in the World?' International Studies Fieldwork Presentations (Centennial, Wyoming)

In Summer 2018, the 7th annual Centennial 'What in the World?' series will highlight the excellent and varied international work conducted by CGS-affiliated faculty and students.

May 23 – Student International Fieldwork Presentations

"Internationalization of Chinese Higher Education" (Cecile Gleizes, MA International Studies)

"Youth Migration from the Balkans to the United States" (Nina Radovanovic, MA American Studies)

"Sex Trafficking at a Crossroads in the Republic of Georgia" (Misty Springer, Master's in Public Administration)

July 11 – "Wyoming Pathways from Prison: An Internationally Replicable University-Community Partnership Model"

Dr. Susan Dewey, Associate Professor, School of Culture, Gender, & Social Justice, University of Wyoming

August 15 – "The World in Turmoil: Illiberal Challenges to the International Order"

Dr. Tanja A. Börzel and Dr. Thomas Risse, Otto Suhr Institute for Political Science, Freie Universität Berlin

Fall 2018 World to Wyoming Series with Mark Jenkins

Sept. 18 at Western Wyoming Community College, Room 1302 in Rock Springs (7 pm); Sept. 19 at Lander Valley High School Auditorium (7 pm);

Sept. 24 at Eastern Wyoming College Fine Arts Auditorium in Torrington (7 pm); Sept. 25 at Casper College Wheeler Concert Hall (7 pm); and

Sept. 27 at the Laramie County Library in Cheyenne (6 pm)