



Lunch & Learn Seminar Series for 2013-2014

Bring your lunch, and learn from alumni and current grantees about their Fulbright experiences. Presentations will last 20-30 minutes, allowing time for discussion and socializing.

Location: All meetings will be held in University Capitol Center (Old Capitol Mall), Room 1117

Friday, October 4, 2013, Noon-12:50 p.m.

Making Chai With a Fulbright

Philip Lutgendorf, Professor of Hindi and Modern Indian Studies
Co-Chair, South Asian Studies Program

Dr. Lutgendorf was in India during 2010-11 as a Fulbright-Hays Senior Overseas Research Fellow. His research topic was the popularization of tea drinking in India, and its evolution into the country's (invented) "national drink"—chai, a distinctive spiced tea. This topic necessarily touches on colonial-era and post-Independence history, the rise of advertising, marketing, and visual culture, and changes in manufacturing, commerce, lifestyle, and eating habits.

Wednesday, November 6, 2013, 12:30-1:20 p.m.

Choral Adventures in Estonia

David Puderbaugh, Associate Professor of Music
Assistant Director of Choral Activities

Dr. Puderbaugh received a 2004-05 Fulbright Fellowship to research Estonia's national song festivals during the Soviet occupation. He will speak about the power of song as an instrument of nationalistic and cultural identity, as well as his personal, ongoing experience of musical assimilation into Estonian culture.

Save these dates for our Spring Term 2014 Lunch & Learn Seminar Series!

January 29, February 21, April 11

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