

# Mathers Museum of World Cultures

## Events and Exhibitions Calendar

### May-June 2014

#### Special Note

Due to exhibition hall renovations this summer, the MMWC is operating on a reduced calendar of activities. Thank you for your patience as we transition MMWC galleries into new exhibition and programming spaces.

#### Events



##### Lecture

Heritage in 3D in Digital Museums (Glenn Black Laboratory of Archaeology)  
Tuesday, May 27; 9 a.m.



##### MMWC Demonstration

Casey Winningham: Gravestone Carving  
Thursday, May 29; 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

#### Featured Events

##### Lecture: Heritage in 3D in Digital Museums (Glenn Black Laboratory of Archaeology)

Tuesday, May 27; 9 a.m.

Rachel Opitz of the University of Arkansas will be giving a free public lecture highlighting the successful use of 3D in virtual exhibits and collections, and providing an overview of heritage community efforts to help organizations start this work. The lecture is made possible through funding by the Center for Advanced Spatial Technologies/Advanced Imaging Laboratories (CAST/AIL) of the University of Arkansas.

##### MMWC Demonstration--Casey Winningham: Gravestone Carving

Thursday, May 29; 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Casey Winningham is a limestone artisan and gravestone maker. Though relatively new to gravestone carving, he draws inspiration from the work of turn-of-the-century carvers in Southern Indiana stones in his work. The free demonstration will take place on the MMWC "front porch," and is organized and sponsored by Traditional Arts Indiana, and co-sponsored by the Indiana Arts Commission and the National Endowment for the Arts.

#### Exhibitions

**Assessing Authenticity: Museum Fakes and Mistakes (Closes July 13, 2014)**—Explores issues of museum object identification and authentication.

**From the Big Bang to the World Wide Web: The Origins of Everything (Closes June 1, 2014)**—Examines history on a large scale.

**In Their Own Words: Native Americans in World War I (Opens Friday, June 27, 2014)**—Illustrates the experiences of Native Americans in World War I using photographs and veterans' stories.

**Ojibwe Public Art, Ostrom Privates Lives (Closes June 22, 2014)**—Presents works by late 20th century Ojibwe artists of Manitoulin Island, Canada, collected by Elinor and Vincent Ostrom.

**Thoughts, Things, and Theories...What Is Culture?**—Examines the nature of culture.

#### Visiting the MMWC

The Mathers Museum of World Cultures is located at 416 N. Indiana Avenue, Bloomington, Indiana. Admission to the museum is free. The MMWC exhibition hall and Mathers Museum Store will be closed Saturday, May 24 through Monday, May 26 for the Memorial Day weekend. During normal hours of operation, the exhibition hall and Museum Store are open Tuesdays through Fridays, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; and Saturdays and Sundays, from 1 to 4:30 p.m.

Free visitor parking is available by the Indiana Avenue lobby entrance. Metered parking is available at the McCalla School parking lot on the corner of Ninth Street and Indiana Avenue. The parking lot also has spaces designated for Indiana University C and E permits. During the weekends free parking is available on the surrounding streets. An access ramp is located at the Fess Avenue entrance to the Glenn A. Black Laboratory of Archaeology on the corner of Ninth Street and Fess Avenue. Reserved parking spaces are available on Ninth Street, between Fess Avenue and Indiana Avenue. If you have a disability and need assistance, special arrangements can be made to accommodate most needs. Please call 812-855-6873. For more information, please call 812-855-6873, email [mathers@indiana.edu](mailto:mathers@indiana.edu), or visit our website at [www.mathers.indiana.edu](http://www.mathers.indiana.edu).



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