The WALL

VOLUME 8, NUMBER 6

March 2020





Dear WALL Members

As I write this month's message, I am reminded of the many wonderful times that I have shared with so many members of WALL, and the tremendous support of the curriculum team whose work enables WALL to continue to offer those courses

that bring so many of you back semester after semester and year after year. I am midway through my term as president of WALL, and it has been a wonderful experience getting to know everyone, as well as making plans for WALL's tenth year. I would like to thank Curriculum Chair Ed Brewton for his outstanding performance in his support of WALL, and also welcome new members Mary Ekeldo, and Mary Clayton to the curriculum committee. Thank you for joining us.

March is almost here, and with it comes another superb group of courses including WALL's popular Great Decisions where members analyze and discuss possible solutions to world problems. Slavery in Christianity is new to WALL and is a welcomed examination of this topic. In addition to these classes and more, we will take another excursion into the art of painting. For the first time, the paint media that will be used is acrylic instead of oils. Clarence Betleyoun will help members to master the techniques used with this media . The ease of cleanup with acrylic paint is a bonus for the members taking this class. A list of the supplies for the first class will be sent shortly. Wesleyan's own Amanda Wiggs will help us understand the current social media platforms using current real world examples.

As many of you may be aware, WALL members are invited to evaluate each class on its final day, and we appreciate each of you for taking the time to give feedback on each course. If you are not able to attend the last class to complete the evaluation, you can access the evaluation form on the WALL website: https://www.wesleyancollege.edu/academics/wall/upload/courseevalform.pdf

or pick one up during class.

See you on campus,

Course Descriptions March 2020 (schedule provided on page 3)

Acrylic Painting (Murphy Art Building)

Tuesdays March 10-31 10:00 a.m.

Clarence Betleyoun, an internationally known artist, who has taught at colleges and workshops worldwide, will teach students how to achieve the results they want using this fast drying medium that allows over-painting in a short time and transport overnight. Weather permitting, one class will be taught outside.

Slavery in Christianity (Taylor Amphitheatre)

Wednesdays March 18 - April 8 at 1:30 p.m.

Dr. Tyler Schwaller earned his Doctor of Theology from

Harvard in 2010 with an emphasis on New Testament and

Early Christianity. He will lead us in a study of the early

Roman context of Christianity and the dynamics of slavery

from the parables of Jesus and the writings of Paul.

Social Media: Navigating Today's Information Landscape (Taylor Amphitheatre)

Thursdays March 5 -26 at 10:00 a.m. Amanda Wiggs, who manages the Wesleyan online experience through the College's social media channels, will use real-world examples to help us gain an understanding of current social media platforms including Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and LinkedIn. The class will not teach the fundamentals of each platform, but rather how these platforms influence information gathering and social media's influence on society.

In This Issue

Greetings from President	1
Course Descriptions	.1 & 2
Class Photos	2
List of Officers	2
Wesleyan Activities	2
Class Schedule	3
Campus Map	2

VOLUME 8, NUMBER 6

March 2020

Great Decisions (Tuesdays in Taylor Room 205) OR (Fridays at Carlyle Place Activity Room A)

These fascinating examinations and discussions of current news and events will be moderated by our own Vince Coughlin, JD, LLM. Vince has been involved with lifelong learning since 2005 at the University of South Carolina, Aiken, where he taught law-related courses and participated in the Great Decisions program. He introduced the Great Decisions course to WALL in 2012, and has been the facilitator since that inception.

Both sections are presently full and anyone registering now will be put on the "Wait List."

Information on Great Decisions Material
The Great Decisions briefing books are in the bookstore the cost is \$30.

An online version is available at https://www.fpa.org/news/index.cfm? act=show announcement&announcement id=439

Participants should read the first article on Climate Change for the first class.

Of Interest at Wesleyan

Our hostess institution always has interesting and educational activities going on. Check out these activities:

Wesleyan Art Students Exhibition Thursday, March 5 - Friday, April 3 Opening Reception: Thursday, March 5 7:00 p.m. East Gallery, Porter Fine Arts Building

Wesleyan Market

Saturday, March 14, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. This community event features locally grown and produced items ranging from flowers and organically grown fruits and vegetables to baked goods, art, and jewelry by local artisans.

WALL Officers 2019 – 2020
President - Sandy Tharpe
Secretary – Garnett Lindsay
Curriculum Chair – Ed Brewton
Public Relations Chair – Richard Davies
Finance Committee Chair – Vince Coughlin
WALL Newsletter Editor – Bill Hargrave
Treasurer – Wesleyan Treasurer



WALL students were delighted to have Ken Hammond back for more poetry. This time Yeats.



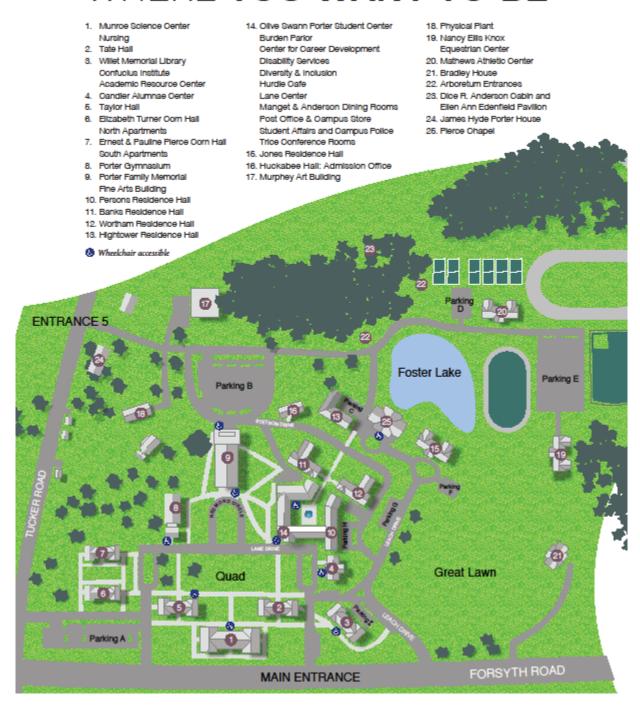
In the Regions of China course we learned there is more to China than Shanghai and Beijing.



Ernst Takacs showed the beauty of his Bavaria

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mar 2	Mar 3 1:30 – 3PM Great Decisions (T205) (enrolment limited)	Mar 4	Mar 5 10 – 11 AM Social Media (T Amp)	Mar 6 3-4:30 PM Great Decisions (CP) (enrolment limited
Mar 9	Mar 10 10 – 11 AM Acrylic Painting (M105) 1:30 – 3PM Great Decisions (T205) (enrolment limited)	Mar 11	Mar 12 10 – 11 AM Social Media (T Amp)	Mar 13 3-4:30 PM Great Decisions (CP) (enrolment limited
Mar 16 1:00 PM WALL Board Meeting	Mar 17 10 – 11 AM Acrylic Painting (M105) 1:30 – 3PM Great Decisions (T205) (enrolment limited)	Mar 18 1:30 – 2:30 PM Slavery in Christiani- ty (T Amp)	Mar 19 10 – 11 AM Social Media (T Amp)	Mar 20 3-4:30 PM Great Decisions (CP) (enrolment limited
Mar 23	Mar 24 10 – 11 AM Acrylic Painting (M105) 1:30 – 3PM Great Decisions (T205) (enrolment limited)	Mar 25 1:30 – 2:30 PM Slavery in Christiani- ty (T Amp)	Mar 26 10 – 11 AM Social Media (T Amp)	Mar 27 3-4:30 PM Great Decisions (CP) (enrolment limited
Mar 30	Mar 31 10 – 11 AM Acrylic Painting (M105) 1:30 – 3PM Great Decisions (T205) (enrolment limited)	Apr 1 1:30 – 2:30 PM Slavery in Christiani- ty (T Amp)	Apr 2	Apr 3 3-4:30 PM Great Decisions (CP) (enrolment limited
Apr 6	Apr 7 GREAT DECISIONS WILL CONTINUE IN APRIL/ MAY	Apr 8 1:30 – 2:30 PM Slav- ery in Christianity (T Amp)	Apr 9	Apr 10 GREAT DECISIONS WILL CONTINUE IN APRIL/ MAY
CLASSROOM LOCATIONS	T Amp - Taylor Amph T 205 - Taylor 205 CP - Carlyle Place Ac M 105 - Murphy Art B		ap)	1

WESLEYAN COLLEGE WHERE **YOU WANT TO BE**



Most classes are held in Taylor Hall Amphitheatre # 5 on map [entrance at left end of bldg.]

Taylor 205 is upstairs in Taylor Hall # 5 on map [entrances at middle of bldg. elevator at right end of bldg.]

Murphy Art Building is # 17 on map [enter campus at Entrance 5 - ample parking in Parking B]