

Billie Holiday Center for Liberation Arts

Events Calendar Fall 2022 – Spring 2023

SEPTEMBER 10 2–6 PM

4th Annual Jazz in Lafayette Square Concert

Hosted by Lady Brion and featuring artist Navasha Daya, Nasar Abadev Quartet, Sean Jones & DJ Ian Friday

FALL
2022

Helena Hicks Speaker Series

*Honoring Helena Hicks, the formother of the student led movement for the Civil Rights in Baltimore City.

Fall 2022 lectures will be held in the main church at St. James Episcopal Church Lafayette Square, 1020 W. Lafayette Ave., Baltimore, MD 21217. 410-523-4588.

OCTOBER 12 6:30–8 PM – Professor Lester Spence, Political Science, Johns Hopkins University

NOVEMBER 9 6:30–8 PM – “Racism, Capitalism, and COVID-19” – Professor Zophia Edwards, Sociology, Johns Hopkins University

DECEMBER 14 6:30–8 PM – “Stolen: Free African Americans Kidnapped and Sold into Slavery” – Professor Richard Bell, History, University of Maryland

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FEBRUARY 15 6:30–8 PM – “William Watkins and the Legal Rights Association of Baltimore” – Professor Martha Jones, History, Johns Hopkins University

MARCH 15 6:30–8 PM – “The Resurrection of Patrice Lumumba in Congolese Popular Painting” – Professor Didier Gondola, History, Johns Hopkins University

APRIL 12 6:30–8 PM – “The Memoir of Captain Harry Foster Dean and Maritime Pan-Africanism” – Professor Nadia Nurhussein, English, Johns Hopkins University

APRIL 13 6 PM

3rd Annual Donald Bentley Memorial Lecture

Baltimore Museum of Art
10 Art Museum Drive, Baltimore, MD 21218

SPEAKER: Robert G. O’Meally, Zora Neale Hurston Professor of English and Comparative Literature at Columbia University
CURATED EXHIBIT from the Billie Holiday Archives
VOCALIST: Candice Hoyes