International Women’s Day Celebration
March 13, 2008 • Storrs Gallery • UNC Charlotte

International Women’s Day (8 March) is an occasion marked by women’s groups around the world. This date is also commemorated at the United Nations and is designated in many countries as a national holiday. When women on all continents, often divided by national boundaries and by ethnic, linguistic, cultural, economic and political differences, come together to celebrate their Day, they can look back to a tradition that represents at least nine decades of struggle for equality, justice, peace and development.

4:00pm
Special Performances by the UNC Charlotteans:
Director: Linda Suda
Piano: Greg Underwood
*Nigra sum* - Pablo Casals
*How do I love thee?* - William Boland
Soloist - Cindy Faggart

Welcome & Introduction of International Women’s Day:
Denise Medeiros

Guest Speakers:
Karla Cecilia Arocha, Bolivia
Ruoyang Wang, China
Karel Joyce Kalaw, Philippines

Reading of the 2008 Honorees:
Rebecca Vincent

International Women’s Day Celebration Honorees 2008

Sonia Ali, Undergraduate Student - Computer Science
Kadija AlKusaimi, Undergraduate Student - Communication Studies
Belma Blanco, Staff - University Career Center
Jinny Bradley, Staff - Adult Students & Evening Services
Banita Brown, Faculty - Chemistry
Diana Carlton, Undergraduate - Student International Studies
Maren Coffman, Faculty - School of Nursing
Janice Gray, Undergraduate Student - Child & Family Development
Janet Levy, Faculty - Anthropology
Mary Malinsky, Undergraduate Student - Pre-Communication Studies
Jasmine Mitchell, Undergraduate Student - Pre-Nursing
Kimberly Neill, Staff - Office of Education Abroad
Jennifer Osborne, Undergraduate Student - Mathematics
Clarrice Rapisarda, Faculty - Counseling
Amina Saadaoui, Graduate Student - Cognitive Science Grad. Certificate
Inna Sokolova, Faculty - Biology
Essie Spears, Staff - Facilities Management
Marissa Tappy, Graduate Student - Liberal Studies
Rosemary Traore, Faculty - Middle, Secondary & K-12 Education
Danise Vang, Undergraduate Student - Management
Lisa Wagnes, Faculty - School of Nursing
Beth Whitaker, Faculty - Political Science

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