

JHU ACE (Alumni Chapter Events) Newsletter
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The luncheon with Carol Perez, US consul-general in Milan, on October 13, was attended by more than 40 alumni from 13 different university and graduate school alumni associations. Discussion was lively and the consensus was to have future such events. If you weren't able to make it then, try to do so for the next one.

Prof. Erik Jones of SAIS-Bologna will be in Milan on November 18 to talk about his new book, - "The 2008 Elections: A story in four acts". He will be speaking at the centrally-located Casa della Cultura. Details below.
RSVP preferred

Sign up for "Hopkins in Milan" on Facebook for more opportunities to interact with fellow alumni. Since ACE comes out only once a month, you can miss late-breaking events. "Hopkins in Milan" will flag you to event updates in more timely fashion. Sign up at www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=144941875270&ref=search&sid=700200458.3993938987..1

November welcomes many exciting speakers in Bologna - academics and diplomats from around the world. Check the calendar for events you wish to attend and follow instructions for reservations.

www.jhubc.it/HOME/events.cfm

Not to discriminate against alums living outside Milan, there's a group encompassing all JHU in Italy:

www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=37391756928

Several other groups organize regular events for internationally-minded Milanese. Check out

Aperitivo Network	http://aperonet.too.it
Inernations	www.internations.org
Americanites in Milan	www.Americanites.com
Semprefuori:	www.semprefuori.it

Events below are open --- unless otherwise specified -- to our alumni counterparts at Bocconi, Columbia, Georgetown, Harvard, HEC, INSEAD, London Business School, LSE, MIT, Stanford, and Wharton.

MILAN

Saturday October 31

8 pm - American-style Halloween Party!

Americanites in Milan are holding a bash at Bistrot Fiori Oscuri,
Via Fiori Oscuri 3, Milan.

To see more details and RSVP, follow the link below:

<http://www.facebook.com/n/?event.php&eid=151999790673&mid=1469a6b629bc360a677a9cf567>

Tuesday November 3

9:30 am - 2 pm - "Rom e Sintì: from European strategy to local politics"

A half-day conference on the issues of these targeted minorities in Europe, with participants including Vladimír Špidla, EU Commissioner for employment, social affairs and equal opportunity, and television journalist Gad Lerner (partly in Italian)

Sala Manzoni., Palazzo delle Stelline

Corso Magenta, 61

Free but RSVP:

Laura Gaggini, CGIL Milano - email gaggini@libero.it

Elsa Mescoli, Caritas Ambrosiana - email rom.ambrosiana@caritas.it

EU office in Milan - Tel.02.4675141 - comm-rep-mil@ec.europa.eu

Wednesday November 4

7-9 p.m. - Networking for women, any nationality

PWA's monthly networking event, for which membership is not required.

Grand Hotel et de Milan Via Manzoni 29 (MM Montenapoleone)

Cost: cash bar (drinks 10 euro each)

For guest reservations or information: networking@pwa-milan.org

Tuesday November 10

6:30 pm - Book presentation: RE-BRAND. Come svegliare i brand che dormono (in Italian)

Round table with author Mirko Nesurini.
Cost: free to AmCham members, others call first
Grand Hotel et de Milan
Via Manzoni 29
RSVP: www.amcham.it/italian/eventi.asp or
benfrech@amcham.it +39 028690661.

6:30 pm - L'uomo che cerca parole"

A film written and produced by Mario Ghiretti about the life of missionary Antonino Melis among the Masa of Africa (in Italian)

Spazio Krizia, via Manin 21

Free.

RSVP to Krizia: Mara Botton marabotton@gmail.com +39 02 620261

8:30 pm - Kung Fu Panda (film in English)

Bocconi's Aula Maggiore, via Sarfatti 25

Free

For information:

laboratoriolingue@unibocconi.it www.unibocconi.eu/languagecenter

Wednesday November 11

7 pm Meet the guru: Edgar Morin

French sociologist and philosopher Edgar Morin studies the relationship among ideology, politics, and science. He is one of the creators of the International Ethical, Scientific and Political Collegium. In French.

Mediateca Santa Teresa, Via della Moscova 28

Free, but RSVP recommended. First come, first served.

www.meetthemediaguru.org/iscrizione.htm#titsezione

Monday November 16

from 10 am - Between History and Myth: Politics and Political Use of Abraham Lincoln

A series of scholars from US and Italian universities discuss aspects of the life and politics of Abraham Lincoln (in English).

10 am - Scienze Politiche, Via Conservatorio 7, Milano, Sala Lauree

3 pm - Polo di Mediazione culturale, P.za Indro Montanelli 1, Sesto S. Giovanni, Aula Magna

For information, contact Prof. Marco Sioli of the Università Statale di Milano. marco.sioli@unimi.it

7:30 pm - the Horn of Africa seen as a thriller
as written by Stanford alumnus Sergio Grea and debated with Giuliano Urbani (in Italian)
Stanford University Club
Hotel Touring, Via Tarchetti, Milan
Dinner cost: 45 euro
RSVP by November 12 to sfantino@tin.it

Tuesday November 17

8:30 pm - The Terminal (film in English)
Bocconi's Aula Maggiore, via Sarfatti 25
Free
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Wednesday November 18

9 pm - "The 2008 Elections: A story in four acts"
Professor Erik Jones of SAIS in Bologna will be talking to us about his recently-published book on the US presidential campaign. Anyone who has heard him speak knows that he is always worth hearing, both for his excellent analysis and his spot-on delivery. Professor Pamela Adams of Franklin College, Switzerland, will moderate.
Casa della Cultura
Via Borgogna 3 (MM San Babila)
Free, RSVP preferred. cflisi@jhu.edu

Sunday November 22

5 pm - cocktails with Kathleen Kennedy Townsend and other political progressives
Venue: private home in central Milan
Cost: 75 euro pp
You must have a US passport (or an American friend, spouse or partner must pay your ticket) to attend this event.
RSVP required no later than November 15.
Contact damilanevent@gmail.com or call Claudia at 338 868 1826

Thursday December 3

20:00 AmCham Transatlantic Award Gala Dinner

Teatro Versace, Piazza Vetra 7, Milano

RSVP: www.amcham.it/italian/eventi.asp or
benfrech@amcham.it +39 028690661.

FLORENCE

Monday November 2

5 pm - International Town Hall on the Status of Women

Palazzo Vecchio, Salone de Cinquecento, Florence

A star-studded panel of participants, including household names from many countries. For information contact lapietra.reply@nyu.edu
+39 044 4007 210

Don't forget: if you change job, address, phone, or email, please get in touch with Alumni Relations in Baltimore or Meera Shankar in Bologna to update your details: alumni@jhu.edu mshankar@johnshopkins.it

A presto.

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