Spring Semester 2012: February 14 – May 8
Special Focus: Changing Economic Realities

Feb. 14  Economic Crisis: A Crisis of Values  
Rebecca Todd Peters, Associate Professor, Chair Department of Religious Studies

Feb. 21  Re-thinking the Bottom Line: Three P’s (Profit, People, Planet)  
Eric Henry, Owner of TS Designs, Burlington, NC  
Sam Moore, Adjunct Professor, Love School of Business

Feb. 28  The Elon Story  
Earl Danieley, Elon President Emeritus and Professor of Chemistry  
George Troxler, Professor of History Emeritus  
Jo Watts Williams, Vice President Emerita and Professor of Education Emerita

March 6  How Media Shapes Politics  
Laura Roselle, Professor of Political Science

March 13  A Sustainable Economy: Jeremy Rifkin’s Third Industrial Revolution  
Jim Barbour, Associate Professor of Economics, Chair Department of Economics

March 20  Growing Economic Importance of the Wine Industry to North Carolina  
Justin Furr, Director of Wine Marketing, NC Division of Tourism, Film & Sports Development, NC Department of Commerce  
Max Lloyd, Owner of Grove Winery and Vineyards, Gibsonville, NC  
Debbie Strikeleather, The Winery at Iron Gate Farm, Mebane, NC  
Samuel P. Troy, Executive in Residence, Bryan School of Business, UNCG, Moderator

March 27  Writing Down Along the Haw  
Anne Cassebaum, Associate English Professor Emerita

April 3*  Convocation for Honors 2012 with Dr. Muhammad Yunus  
Winner, Nobel Peace Prize, 2006

*In lieu of classes, all members are encouraged to attend Elon’s Convocation for Honors, Alumni Memorial Gym, Koury Center, 3:30 p.m. (More details regarding tickets will be shared as we get closer to that date.)

April 10  The Drama of Our Oceans  
Rich D’Amato, Professor of Engineering
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April 17       Project Pericles: Engaged Learning around the World
               Tom Arcaro, Professor of Sociology, Director of Elon’s Project Pericles program
               and students

April 24       The Mathematics of Voting
               Richard Haworth, Professor Emeritus of Mathematics

May 1          A Short History of Jazz
               Jon Metzger, Associate Professor of Music, Artist in Residence

May 8          Program Wrap-up and Elections
               Also included will be a presentation on College Access by Elon Academy Students
               and Deborah Long, Director of Elon Academy, Professor of Education