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News and Events

[Red Carpet Premiere](#)

Don't worry if you missed the amazing show performed on Civil Service Day 2008. Everyone will have a chance to see the whole performance at the Civil Service Anniversary Traveling Show Red Carpet Premiere. The movie of that incredible display of talent, complete with outtakes and bloopers, will be screened on Thursday, February 26, from 3:30 to 4 p.m., in Sherman Hall.

Admission is free. Pop and popcorn will be for sale in the lobby. Proceeds benefit the Civil Service Scholarship Fund.

[Theater and Conversation](#)

GSU faculty and staff are invited to celebrated GSU Night at the Illinois Theater Center. On Saturday, March 7, at 7 p.m., the evening begins with a wine bar and hors d'oeuvres reception. At 8 p.m., the curtain opens on the ITC production of *Moonlight and Magnolias* by Ron Hutchinson.

Tickets are available on a first-come-first-served basis for GSU personnel and a guest. Call 708.235.2239 no later than February 28 to reserve tickets. The Illinois Theater Center is located in downtown Park Forest at 371 Artists' Walk (adjacent to the Village Hall).

[You + the Economy = ?](#)

Understanding the current economic crisis and its impact on one's assets and liabilities is the topic of a round table discussion sponsored by Human Resources and Prairie Trail Credit Union on Wednesday, February 18, from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., in the Hall of Honors. Joining the discussion will be John Olson, AIG Retirement Representative. The event is free and open to everyone.

John Olson will also be available from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., in the Visitors' Center for one-on-one consultations related to retirement.

Winter Library Workshops

The Governors State University Library is offering free, computer and writing workshops to members of the community, students, staff, and faculty.

Among the topics covered in the one to two hour workshops are PowerPoint, scholarly publishing process, podcasting, Publisher, PhotoShop Express, blogging, APA style citations, formatting papers in APA style, and genealogy.

The workshops are free and open to the public. The workshop schedule is updated frequently and posted on the [library website](#). Registration is recommended, but not required. Contact [Helen Benos](#) at ext. 7514.

Faculty Authors' Reception

The GSU community will celebrate the published works of its faculty and staff at the Faculty Authors' Reception on Wednesday, March 11, from 2 to 3:30 p.m., on the Library Balcony.

All university faculty are invited to display their published works from the past year on this day and share their accomplishment with the GSU community. Work submissions are requested by March 5 to ensure their inclusion in the bibliography. Contact [Helen Benos](#) or [Linda Ayala](#) at ext. 7514.

World Water Day 2009

In observance of World Water Day, GSU and the Homewood Rotary Club will sponsor a public forum to call attention to the waters that cross borders and link communities. *Shared Water – Shared Opportunities* will be held from Wednesday, March 18, from 12:15 to 3 p.m., in Sherman Hall.

The forum is free and open to students, staff, faculty, and the community. Everyone is encouraged to join the discussion.

