# **COLA Weekly**

October 11, 2019

Today's **TEDxDayton 2019** talks at the Victoria Theatre find COLA well represented among the speakers. **Brandy Foster**, director of Wright State's ONEIL Center for Research Communication, is an English department BA and MA. Her speech topic is sharing the value of generalists in a world full of specialists. And **Mary Rogero**, an accomplished architect who earned her bachelor's of fine arts here, will talk about how kitchens have evolved to take on special importance in home life.





The **New Media Incubator** folks have been busy on an exciting project in collaboration with the **Veteran and Military Center's Veterans' Voices Project**. They received an Ohio Humanities grant to support the creation of six short webisodes about different aspects of the veteran experience: Letters Home; Veteran Spouses; Integrity First about the LGTBQ experience; Hiring Veterans; the Vetrepeneur; and a final episode on the Veteran experience. A short film will be released each Friday from October 4 through November 8, and all of the episodes will play at the Neon on November 21st.

Our School of Public and International Affairs (SPIA) will present a panel called THE IMPEACHMENT PROCESS: facts, misconceptions, and implications on Thursday, October 17, 12:20-1:30 pm in 109 Oelman. Dr. Ed Fitzgerald will talk about prior impeachments; Dr. Lee Hannah will talk about what it means for members of Congress and the 2020 presidential election; and Dr. Myron Levine will discuss the wording of the U.S. constitution, the framers' intentions, and precedent. The public is invited.

Our department of Theatre, Dance and Motion Pictures got a double dose of good news this week. First, they found out that they were named as one of the top 30 College Acting/Performing Arts Programs for 2019-20 by a prominent national organization. Then BFA Musical Theatre alum **Joey Monda** '10 received a rave review in the New York Times for the new play he produced, Slave Play. We are so proud!

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Linda Caron, Dean College of Liberal Arts

#### Upcoming Events

A Night at the Opera featuring Men's Chorale, University Chorus & Cappella, Tuesday, October 22, 8:00 p.m., Schuster Hall, Creative Arts Center

Fall Faculty Recital, Thursday, October 24, Noon, Schuster Hall, Creative Arts Center

Octubafest, Thursday, October 24, 8:00 p.m., Schuster Hall, Creative Arts Center



#### **CLASS CORNER**

## COLA - Wright Patterson Air Force Base Careers Event

Wednesday, October 23, 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. Millett Hall Atrium

## Is Graduate School Right for YOU? Thursday, October 24, 11:30 a.m. -

12:30 p.m., 106 Millett

## Is Law School in YOUR Future?

Tuesday, October 29, Noon - 1:00 p.m. 106 Millett