2016 Fall Past Events

**LGBTQ+ History and Resource Summit**
October 3, 2016 | 4pm | AMU 305 & 313  
*Co-sponsored by LGBTQ+ Resource Center*

**Film viewing and discussion: “Paris is Burning”**
October 6, 2016 | 6:30pm | Wehr Chem 121  
*Co-sponsored by LGBTQ+ Resource Center*

**LGBTQ+ Speaker Series**  
*Co-sponsored by LGBTQ+ Resource Center*

**Deconstructing Gender and Supporting Trans Identities, Enrique Tejada III**
October 25, 2016 | 12pm | AMU 252  
Enrique Tejada III, Coordinator of the LGBTQ+ Resource Center, will present ways to challenge the social construction of gender and also explore transgender (binary or non-binary) identities. Specifically, listeners can walk away with strategies to better support trans students and peers on our campus.

**Ball Culture: LGBT Underground, Dr. Marlon Bailey**
October 26, 2016 | 12pm | AMU 163  
Join us as Dr. Marlon M. Bailey, associate professor of women’s and gender studies at Arizona State University, discusses ballroom culture, an underground subculture among LGBTQ of color communities who participate in dance, dress, and vogue competitions based on house culture. His award-winning book, *Butch Queens Up in Pumps* (UM Press 2013), examines how Black and Latin@ queer people create and sustain new kinship and gender systems through ball culture in Detroit.

**Southeastern WI LGBT Community Needs, Christina Nelson**
October 27, 2016 | 12pm | AMU 252  
Christina Nelson, Program Assistant for the Center for Gender and Sexualities Studies, will discuss the research methods and collaboration with the Cream City Foundation. This needs assessment was conducted to understand the unmet needs of LGBTQ individuals in southeastern Wisconsin, post-marriage equality.

**Intersectional Approach to Queer People of Color, Dr. Heather Montes Ireland**
October 28, 2016 | 12pm | AMU 252  
Dr. Heather Montes Ireland, Postdoctoral Fellow in the Center for Gender and Sexualities Studies and faculty in the women’s and gender studies program, will discuss how queer women of color effect social change.
Butch Queens Up in Pumps: Ball Culture the LGBT Underground, Dr. Marlon M. Bailey
October 25, 2016 | 6pm | Lunda Room
Co-sponsored by Office of Institutional Diversity and Inclusion

Ball Culture: Ballroom Showcase
October 26, 2016 | 7pm | AMU Ballrooms
Co-sponsored by LGBTQ+ Resource Center and Office of Intercultural Engagement

Guyland: The Perilous World Where Boys Become Men, Dr. Michael Kimmel
November 1, 2016 | 5pm | AMU Ballrooms
Co-sponsored by Social and Cultural Sciences Department and the McGee Lecture Series
Dr. Michael Kimmel, distinguished professor of sociology and gender studies at Stony Brook University, is a leading expert on men and masculinities. He has lectured at more than 300 colleges, universities, and high schools and is the author of Guyland: The Perilous World Where Boys Become Men and Angry White Men: American Masculinity at the End of an Era. A tireless advocate of engaging men to support gender equality, Dr. Kimmel was recently called “the world’s most prominent male feminist” by The Guardian. In this talk, he will discuss the social conditions that produce contemporary models of manhood—challenging us to redefine what a man is today and beyond.