

Auburn Connects 2011

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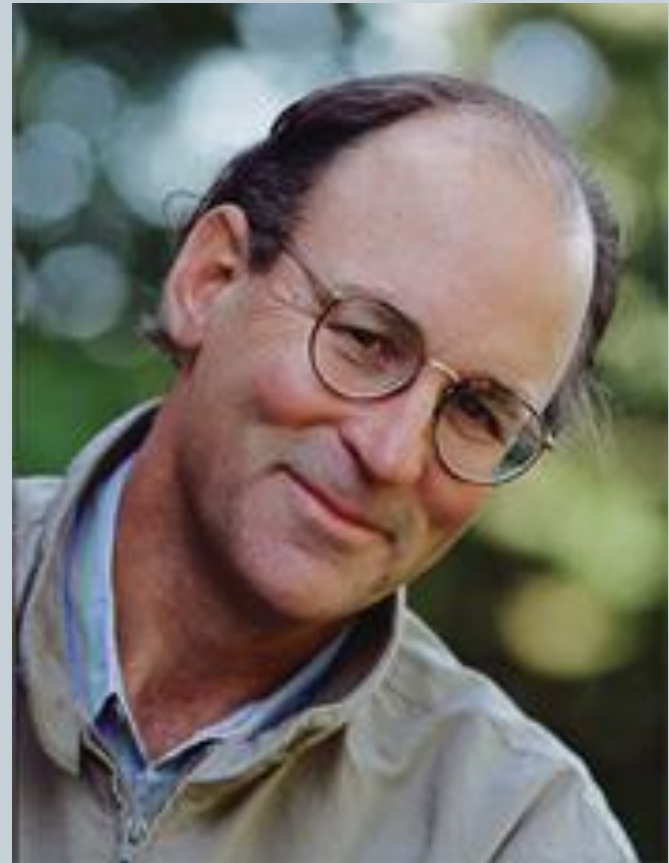
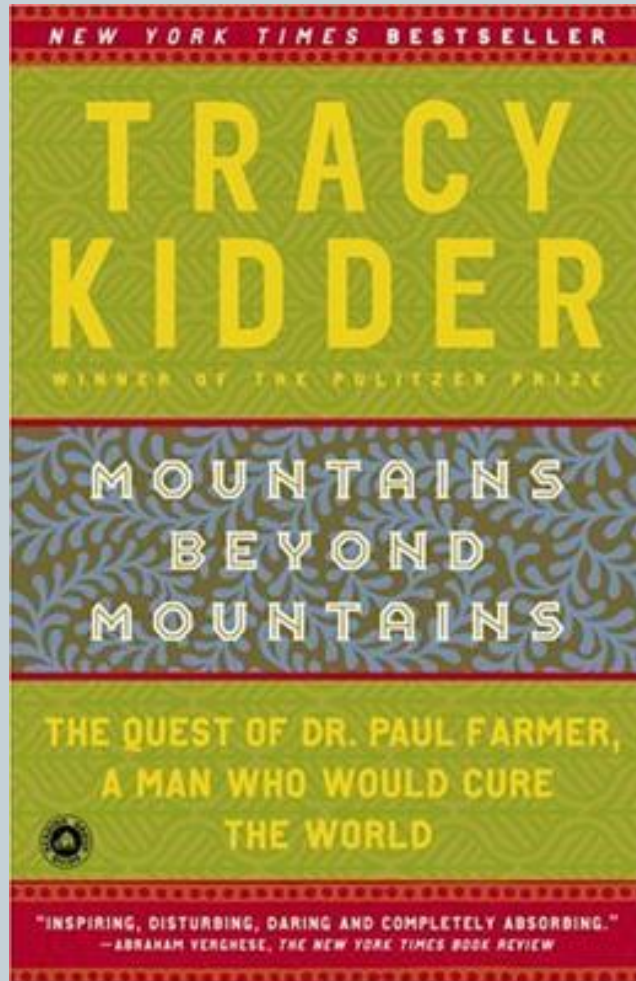


... to our potential

... to our community

... to our world

***Mountains Beyond Mountains* by Tracy Kidder**



Dr. Paul Farmer

Working Toward Global Health Equity



Goals of Auburn Connects!



- Promote intellectual community on campus;
- Help students gain a global perspective;
- Promote a culture of service;
- Emphasize individual empowerment and the need for hard work;
- Set the stage for the intellectual engagement students will need throughout their Auburn careers;
- Link to diverse programming.

<http://video.pbs.org/video/2073764815>



Haitian Proverb:

Beyond mountains there are mountains.

“As you solve one problem, another problem presents itself, and so you go on and try to solve that one too.” Paul Farmer

Central Discussion Themes

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- **Global Awareness**
- **Public Health**
- **Structural Violence**
- **Infection and Disease (TB / HIV/AIDS/Cholera)**
- **History/Culture/Life of Haiti**
- **Ethical/Moral Obligation to Self vs. Others**
- **Globalization and Health Care**
- **Multicultural Awareness and Understanding**

- **Catastrophic events and Consequences**
- **Architectural**
- **Human Rights**
- **Comparisons/contrasts between cultures**
- **Identity and Power**
- **Nutrition, Water and Food Production**
- **Personal Determination**
- **Political Structures**
- **Building Infrastructure**

Central Themes Related to Various Majors

- Health Occupations
- Public Health and Medicine
- Sciences
- Engineering and Technology
- Agriculture
- Fisheries
- Transportation Systems
- Anthropology
- Social Work
- Political Sciences
- Economics

- Water Filtration Systems
- Human Sciences, Family systems and Nutrition
- World Hunger Studies
- Education
- Architecture/Building Science
- Business and Ethics
- Nursing and Medical Care
- Pharmacy and Medical Mgt.
- Rehabilitation
- Sustainability
- Communications

Auburn University Programming



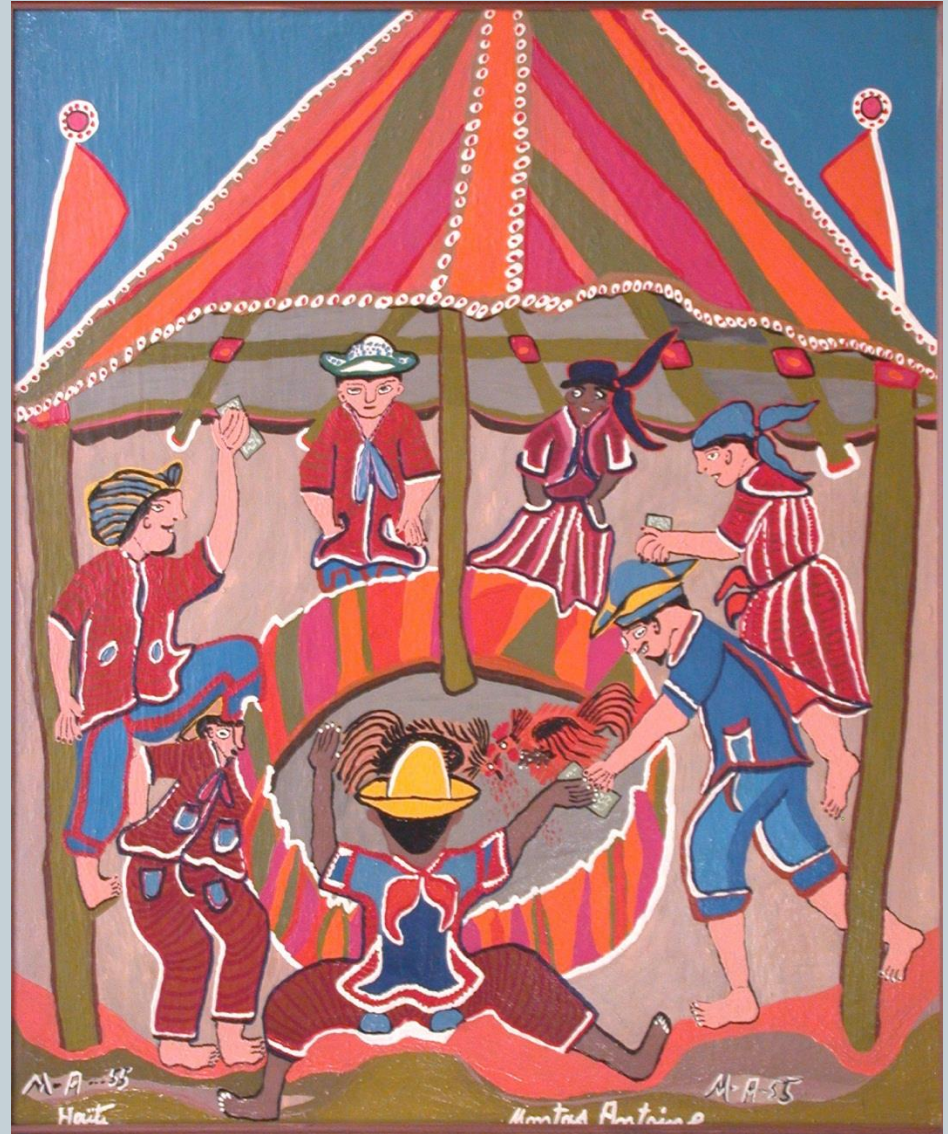
- Integrating the themes of the book in English Composition, First Year Seminars, Book Clubs, academic courses in various disciplines;
- Small formal and informal discussion groups;
- Public lectures, panels of experts;
- Student engagement in service learning;
- Engagement through the Arts;
- Campus and community service through IMPACT, Alternative Student Break, OLLI, Alumni Book Club, Extension, Residence Life and Outreach.

Jule Collins Smith
Museum of Fine Art

An Exhibit of
Haitian Art

*Lespri Endonptabl:
Selected Works
from the Winslow
Anderson
Collection of
Haitian Art at the
Huntington
Museum of Art*

August 20 -
October 29, 2011





Engineers Without Borders

**Dr. Steve Duke,
and Student
Members of the
Auburn Chapter**

**Samuel Ginn
College of
Engineering**

September 29, 2011

3:30 PM

2227 AUSC



**QUESIMPUCO, BOLIVIA
August 4-11, 2011**



The College of
Liberal Arts'
Community and
Civic Engagement
Initiative

Opening Feature
Film for The
Francophone Film
Festival

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October 3, 2011

5:00 PM

AUHCC
Auditorium





Auburn Connects!
presents:

***“Because When God
Is Too Busy”***

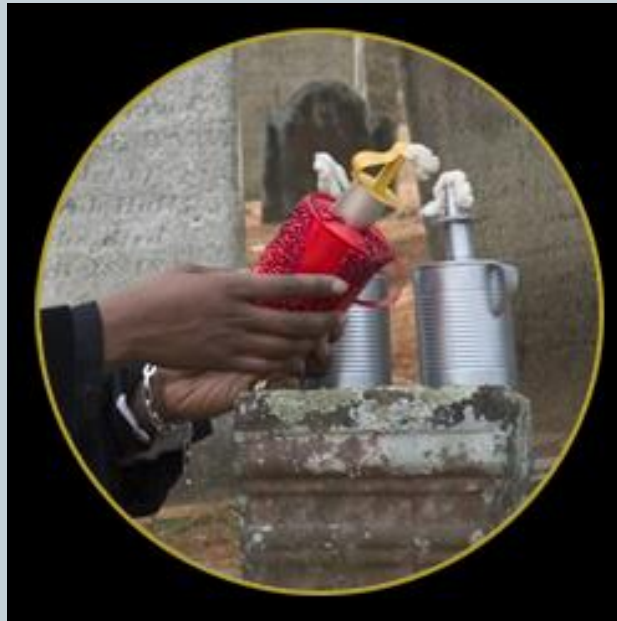
**Telfair Peet Theatre
October 6, 7:30 PM**

***“Performance
Workshop”***

**Telfair Peet Theatre
October 7, 10:00 AM**

**Lecture: *“Why
Feminist Analysis
Matters to Haiti Now
More Than Ever”***

**Langdon Hall
October 7, 3:00 PM**



**Dr. Gina Athena Ulysse: Professor, Wesleyan
University, anthropologist, poet/performer, and
multimedia artist.**

October 6-7, 2011



The College of Agriculture and Auburn Connects!

*“Auburn Works in
Haiti”*

Valentin Abe,
Drs. Dennis Shannon
and Kevin McBride

October 13, 2011

3:30 pm

Science Center 115



Valentin Abe, Auburn Alum '91, '95
http://www.time.com/time/specials/packages/printout/0,29239,1984685_19849_1985272,00.html



**E.T. York
Distinguished
Lecturer, Sponsored
by the College of
Agriculture**

**“World Food
Demand: Research
and Education
Needs”**

**November 3, 2011
AUHCC Auditorium
7:00 PM**



**Dr. Gebisa Ejeta, Distinguished Professor,
Purdue University &
2009 World Food Prize Laureate**

Making Connections Series

Thursdays @ 3:30



- Drs. Hale, Crutchley and Jon Waggoner: “Financial Accountability, Professional Ethics and Non-Profits: What the Case of Greg Mortenson May Teach Us” (8/25).
- Drs. McDaniel and Payne: “Climbing into *Mountains Beyond Mountains*” (9/1).
- Dr. Tina Zappile: “ *The Political Dimensions of Mountains Beyond Mountains*” (9/15-3:30, 2225 AUSC).
- Dr. Kathleen Tajeu: Discussant: “*Haiti Cherie*” by Director Claudio Del Punta (6:00-JCSM).
- Drs. Morris and Acevedo: *History, Histoire, Historia: Talking Story in Caribbean Literature*” (10/6,-2227 AUSC).

Additional Programming Fall



- Mark Kurlansky, “*Haitian Noir*”, Auburn Writers Conference (10/8, 2:45, AUHCC).
- Dr. Holly Lavenstein, Discussant, Film: “*The Living Gods of Haiti*” (10/18, 6:00, JCSM).
- Carol Duncan, Haitian Cooking, (9/29, 5:30, AUSC).
- Dr. Joyce DeVries: Moderator, Women’s Studies Panel: “*Women’s Studies Response to Mountains Beyond Mountains*”, 10/27, 3:30, 2227 AUSC).
- Dr. Fred Kam: “*Socialization of Medicine and Healthcare in Haiti*”, 11/3, 3:30, 2227 AUSC).

Announcement

Hold The Date

**April 2, 2012
7:00 PM**

Auburn Arena
Auburn University Campus

**Tracy Kidder, Author
*Mountains Beyond
Mountains***

Coming to the Auburn Arena

