Edward Said Lecture Series

Monday, Nov. 2, 2015
Dr. R. Radhakrishnan, Chancellor's Professor of English and Comparative Literature, School of Humanities, UC Irvine
“Edward Said: The Non-humanist Humanist”
Science 145, 5-6:30 PM Parking Code: 265618

Wednesday, Nov. 4, 2015
Leon S. Peters Ethics Lecture
“Food Security and Climate Change”
Dr. Hilal Elver, UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food with the Office of the High Commissioner on Human Rights and Research Professor, Orfalea Center UC Santa Barbara
Peters Education Auditorium (Student Rec Center), 5-6:30 PM Parking Code: 269503

Friday, Nov. 6, 2015
Mini Conference
Universities at the Crossroad: The Assault on Academic Freedom
UBC 191, 10 AM-12 PM Parking Code: 265613
Dr. Richard Falk, Professor Emeritus of International Law, Princeton University & UC Santa Barbara; Former UN Special Rapporteur on Palestinian human rights
“Edward Said's Humanism and the Rejection of the State Department's Definition of Anti-Semitism”
Azadeh Shahshahani, Former President of the National Lawyers Guild
“Censoring Palestine at the University: Growing Threats to Academic Freedom”
Dr. Vida Samiian, California Scholars for Academic Freedom, Professor of Linguistics, Dean Emerita, College of Arts and Humanities, CSU Fresno
“What is to be done: An Activist Agenda”
Dr. Hilal Elver, UN Special Rapporteur on the Right to Food with the Office of the High Commissioner on Human Rights and Research Professor, Orfalea Center UC Santa Barbara

Friday, Nov. 6, 2015 5:30 PM Cineculture film: Food Chains
Peters Education Auditorium (Student Rec Center) Parking: Free after 4 PM
Discussant: Dr. Hilal Elver

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