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2008 Schedule*

- January 28 - **Women and Political Leadership in Iran: Lecture and Film Presentation**
Dr. Shahla Haeri, Director of the Women's Studies Program
Boston University
Introduction: Marjorie M. Medd, Member, Board of Trustees, University of Maine System
Location: Bangor Public Library, 2nd floor conference room
Time: 4:00 pm
- March - **Bangor Forum 2008 Senate Election Special - Congressman Tom Allen**
Congressman Allen will present his perspective on how US should deal with foreign policy challenges in the 21st century. Exact date and time to be determined.
- March 17 - **The Roots of Terrorism: From the Horn of Africa to Pakistan Ambassador Mark Bellamy**, CSIS Visiting Fellow
Mr. Bruce Riedel, Brookings Institution
This is a talk sponsored by the School of Policy and International Affairs (SPIA). All forum members will be invited to this event.
- April - **Bangor Forum 2008 Senate Election Special - Senator Susan Collins**
An opportunity to hear the incumbent senator's foreign policy platform. Exact date and time to be determined.
- April 30 - **Bangor Forum 2008 Presidential Election Special: The Future of American Foreign Policy in the Middle East**
Live videoconference debate between students from the University of Maine and American University in Cairo (AUC). This live debate will be chaired by President of UMaine Student Government
Location: TBA
Time: 12 Noon

* Unless indicated otherwise, all events will be held in the Bangor Library at 7:30 am.

May 12 - **Seeds of Peace & its Impact on Israeli-Palestinian Peacemaking**
Tim Wilson, Senior Advisor, Director of Alumni Affairs, and Director Emeritus
Seeds of Peace International Camp

June 23 - **Private-Sector Entities and Latin American Economic Integration**
David Fleming, Vice President
Senior Editor and Supervisory Analyst
Global Investment Research Division's Content Management Group
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July - **U.S. Policy in the Muslim World**
Dr. Vali R. Nasr, Professor of International Politics
The Fletcher School of Law & Diplomacy, Tufts University
Author of *The Shia Revival: How Conflicts within Islam Will Shape the Future*

September - **Globalized World, Globalized Challenges: Role of International Organizations**
Dr. Michael Barnett, Harold Stassen Chair of International Relations
Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota

October 20 - **"Persistence from the Margins: Women's Filmmaking in Contemporary China"**
Dr. Shu-chin Tsui, Director of Asian Studies
Bowdoin College

November - **TBA**

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