

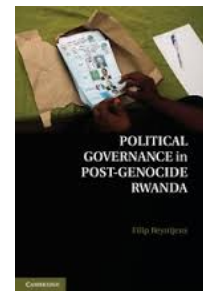
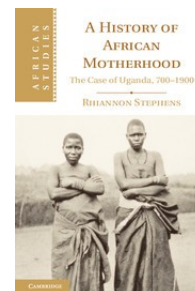
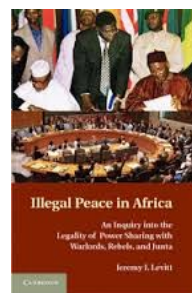
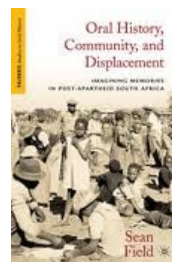
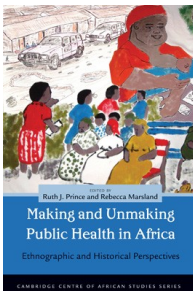
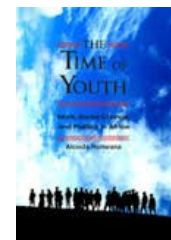
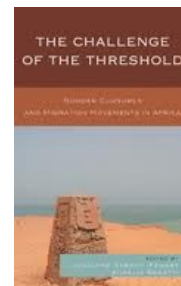
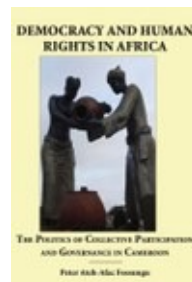
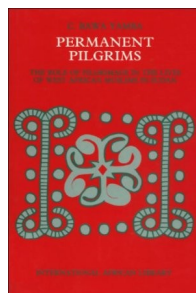
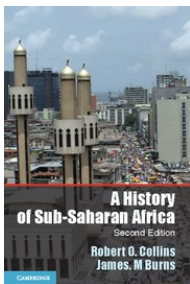
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Easter newsletter. Welcome to all new Library patrons joining us this term!
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New in the Library



Events at the Centre of African Studies this term

The Audrey Richards Annual Lecture in African Studies

Waiting for Emancipation: The Prospects for Liberal Revolution and a Human Economy in Africa

Building on his early research in West Africa, Professor Keith Hart reflects in this lecture on how and why Africa has been a symbol of global inequality. Professor Hart is currently co-director of the Human Economy Programme in



the Centre for the Advancement of Scholarship at the University of Pretoria, and Centennial Professor of Economic Anthropology at the London School of Economics. **Thurs 22 May, 5 pm, Seminar Rooms SG1 & SG2, Alison Richard Building, 7 West Road** The lecture is followed by a reception in the atrium.

Please register your interest.

Kenyatta, Leakey, and the Making of the Modern Kikuyu: Professor Bruce Berman and Professor John Lonsdale

An enquiry into the respective roles of social history, popular politics, intellectual elites, and colonial administration in the imagination of a Kikuyu moral community in the twentieth century. **Mon 12 May, 5 pm, Room S1**

For further information about these and other events, visit: <http://www.african.cam.ac.uk/>

African Trajectories: Travel and the Archive



Upcoming conference considering the roles of scholars, libraries, archives, and information sources in documenting and interpreting the complex interrelationship of travel, tourism and heritage in, to and from Africa.

University of Birmingham, 2 July. See <http://scolma.org/> for programme and registration information.



African Society of Cambridge University

Among other events organised by this new society, **Africa Together** is a commemoration of Africa Day, will be held on May 23rd. For further information and to join the society's mailing list, contact ascu@cusu.cam.ac.uk You can also visit their blog <http://www.ascu-cambridge.org/>

THE CAINE PRIZE FOR AFRICAN WRITING

Ex Africa semper aliquid novi

The Caine Prize shortlist has now been announced: printouts of all of the stories are available to read in the Library.

Diane Awerbuck (South Africa) "Phosphorescence" in *Cabin Fever* ([Umuzi](#), Cape Town, 2011)

Efemia Chela (Ghana/Zambia) "Chicken" in *Feast, Famine and Potluck* ([Short Story Day Africa](#), South Africa, 2013)

Tendai Huchu (Zimbabwe) "The Intervention" in *Open Road Review*, (issue 7, New Delhi, 2013)

Billy Kahora (Kenya) "The Gorilla's Apprentice" in *Granta* (London, 2010)

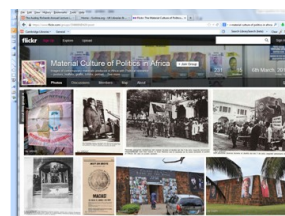
Okwiri Oduor (Kenya) "My Father's Head" in *Feast, Famine and Potluck* ([Short Story Day Africa](#), South Africa, 2013)

Featured electronic resources

The most recent podcast to become available from Eye on Africa is a talk by Prof Derek R. Peterson, a former Director of CAS, *Violence and Political Advocacy in the Lost Counties' Western Uganda* <http://eyeonafrica.matrix.msu.edu/2014/04/april-10th-2014-derek-r-peterson/>

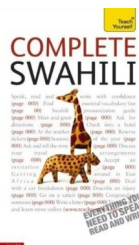


Material Culture of Politics in Africa is a new flickr group for showcasing images of diverse materials produced in Africa that may have political significance <https://www.flickr.com/groups/2548689@N20/>



Library news

Following your feedback to your Library reps, **we have abolished the 2 day loan category**. If you would like to borrow an item that still appears to have this status, let us know so that we can change it for you.



We've recently received a donation of books and DVDs including language courses and some items in Swahili. Look out for a **new language materials section in the Library** (please note that some of this material is older editions of titles which may since have been updated).

There's still time! The deadline for applications for the MPhil in African Studies is

30 June 2014

If you are planning to begin graduate study in October

<http://www.african.cam.ac.uk/mphilintro/prospective/apply>

Would you like to write a short review of an African Studies title for inclusion in this newsletter? This could be a review of a book we hold, or of one you would like to recommend. Please email afrib@hermes.cam.ac.uk if interested in contributing. Reviews will be no more than 250 words.