

IN CELEBRATION OF BLACK HISTORY MONTH



The University of Miami  
Africana Studies Program,  
The Department of Art & Art History  
&  
Curator, Edmund Abaka  
present

**LEGACIES : SOCIAL JUSTICE  
(Past and Present)**

Opening Reception

Feb 15, 2014

7:00pm

CAS GALLERY  
1210 Stanford Drive, University of Miami  
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RSVP by 2.14.2014



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# LEGACIES : SOCIAL JUSTICE (Past and Present)

The University of Miami's Africana Studies Program and the Department of Art & Art History present **Legacies: Social Justice (Past and Present)**, an art exhibition in celebration of Black History Month. Social Justice is the belief that each person deserves equal rights and opportunities - legally, economically, politically and socially. This month-long celebration highlights the many legacies and the impact that the peoples of African descent have had on the Americas and the World.

## FEATURING



**Ansel Butler:**

is a mixed-medium artist based out of Atlanta, Georgia



**Julia Yarbough:**

A multiple Emmy Award-winning broadcast and print journalist



**Guy C. Syllien:**

is a Haitian-born multimedia artist

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- Feb 11 | 7:30pm "Natural Is Cool Enough (Hair)" Photography Exhibit and Poetry Slam  
*CAS Gallery, UM Campus*
- Feb 12 | 7:00pm "Reflections on an Africa Journey" with Julia Yarbough  
*Shoma Hall, School of Communication, UM Campus*
- Feb 13 | 5:30pm "Rasta-I-zation" Documentary with Jamaica-based documentary Filmmaker, David DaCosta  
*Perez Architecture Building, UM Campus*
- Feb 15 | 7:00pm Black History Month Art Exhibition Opening Reception "Legacies: Social Justice (Past and Present)" with Ansel Butler, Guy Syllien and Julia Yarbough  
*CAS Gallery, UM Campus*
- Feb 19 | 5:00pm Africana International Coffee Hour  
*CAS Gallery, UM Campus*