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News, Research, Calls for Papers and Events from the
University of Missouri's Center on Religion & the Professions
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CORP EVENTS

Jan. 23 Film Series: ["Religion & Politics"](#) Free. ["My Mother India,"](#) documentary on the partition of India and Pakistan told through biographical sketches of an Indian-Australian family.

Jan. 30 Film Series: ["Religion & Politics"](#) Free. ["With God on Our Side: George W. Bush and the Rise of the Religious Right,"](#) documentary examining the connection between President Bush and evangelical Christianity.

Feb. 4 Lecture: ["American Muslims and U.S. Politics During Troubled Times,"](#) by **Paul M. Barrett**, author and former Wall Street Journal reporter.

CO-SPONSORED EVENTS

Jan. 24 Lecture: ["Faith-Based Resolution: An Introduction and Comparative Study,"](#) **David D. Schlachter** of Peacemaker Ministries discusses biblically based models for resolving disputes that would otherwise go to civil courts.

CORP NEWS

Article published: ["Spirituality, psychological coping, and community integration for persons with traumatic brain injury,"](#) generated by CORP's spirituality and health research team, was published in the Journal of Religion, Disability, and Health, Vol. 11(3). Authors are John Mahalik PhD, Brick Johnstone PhD, Bret Glass MS, and Dong Pil Yoon PhD.

Religion Course: CORP Director Debra L. Mason's course, JOUR 4426/7426 [Religion Reporting and Writing](#) is **OPEN** for spring semester. Students develop a working knowledge of diverse religions through field trips, guest lectures and reporting. Seats available. Call 882-2866 or e-mail MasonDL@missouri.edu for information.

OTHER CAMPUS AND COMMUNITY EVENTS

Feb. 1 Lecture: ["Is Religion still Good News?"](#) by **Cardinal John Foley**, former president of the Pontifical Council for Social Communications at the Vatican, on how media coverage affects religion.

Feb. 1 Forum: ["Jesus ... who? A forum on the life and work of Jesus,"](#) featuring Dr. Tom Schreiner, professor of New Testament Interpretation at Southern Seminary; Rev. Bill Haney, minister of Unitarian Universalist Church of Columbia; and Dr. Shakir Al-Ani, Islamic scholar and activist for Islamic Center of Mid-Missouri. 7 p.m., Tiger Hotel, 23 S. 8th St., Columbia. Free. Part of "Theology Week" activities hosted by Karis Community Church.

RESEARCH AND CALLS FOR PAPERS

[Call for Papers:](#) **Deadline March 1, 2008: Center for Values and Social Policy, Philosophy Department, University of Colorado, Boulder, is seeking abstracts from all areas of ethics and political theory for presentation at Rocky Mountain Ethics Congress.**

RELIGION IN THE NEWS

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