"Home(town) Security"

Majora Carter is an internationally renowned urban revitalization strategist, Peabody Award-winning broadcaster and is responsible for the creation and successful implementation of numerous green-infrastructure projects, policies and job training and placement systems. Her long list of awards include accolades from groups as diverse as Rupert Murdoch’s News Corporation, John Podesta’s Center for American Progress, Goldman Sachs, as well as a MacArthur “genius” Fellowship. Carter embodies the American Dream. She has continually set new standards of excellence with projects in her South Bronx community, while expanding her reach nationally and internationally. Her philanthropic pursuits and business interests have all pointed toward greater self-esteem and economic potential for low-income people everywhere.

Admission is free and open to the public, but a ticket is required. Please contact the Ticket Office at 717-691-6036.

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### Wednesday, Feb. 26

**Opening Reception**  
3:45-4:30 p.m. | Howe Atrium, Boyer Hall  

"Nature Writing: Visions of Wholeness, Realizing Ourselves, Aiming our Telescopes at the Heavens"  
Choral reading by Dr. Helen Walker’s Nature Writing students

**Symposium Keynote Address:**  
"Home(town) Security"  
Majora Carter  
7-9 p.m. | Calvin and Janet High Center for Worship and Performing Arts

**Friday, Feb. 28**

**Sustainability and Resiliency of Underrepresented Students in Higher Education Panel**  
Janet DeRosa (adjunct faculty, education)

**"I, Too, Sing America": Lessons of Cultural Resilience from Messiah College Alumni, Rachel and Vincent Flowers (1901-2001)**

**Friday, Feb. 28**

**Sustaining Memory: Re-Imagining the Past**  
Panel Discussion: Dr. Crystal Downing’s Lit Seminar students  
9:10-10:10 a.m. | Boyer 131

**Sustainable Resilience: Culture Meets Communication to Address the Challenge of HIV/AIDS Orphans in Southern Africa**  
Panel discussion: Dr. Nance McCown and students from COMM 426 (Senior Public Relations Campaign Project), 10:20-11:20 a.m. | Boyer 131

**Sustainability Showcase**  
Craig Dalen and students  
11:30-1:40 p.m. | Howe Atrium  

**"Mexican Americans in Higher Education"**  
Faculty and student panel discussion: Dr. Brian Smith and students  
3-4 p.m. | Boyer 131

**"Imago Dei"**  
Faculty presentation, film and discussion: filmmaker Nathan Skulstad, (film and digital media)  
4-4:45 p.m. | Parmer Cinema

**"Reclaiming the Future, Re-Imagining the Present: Public Humanities at Work in the City"**  
Alumni Panel: Drew Hart, Liz Laribee, Hierald Kane-Osorto, Kristen Kane-Osorto, Dan Webster  
6:30-7:45 p.m. | Boyer 131

**"Fall & Recover: An Exploration of Resilience Through the Medium of Dance"**  
Gregg Hurley and GiViM Ensemble  
8-9 p.m. | Poorman Black Box Theater, Climenhaga Building

**Closing Reception**  
9 p.m. | Upper lobby of Climenhaga Building