Tuesday, April 3  Lenelle Moise, “Womb-Words, Thirsting”
Mixing a brew full of womanist Vodou jazz, queer theory, hip-hop, and movement, Womb-Words, Thirsting is an evening of patchwork poetic storytelling delivered—slam style—from the gut. Join Haitian-American solo-artist Lenelle Moise as she re-conceives memory and boldly speaks out about childhood, masculinities, sexualities, AISA, cultural hybridity, and reclaiming f-words. Sponsored by the Gender & Sexuality Center, Office of Intercultural Life, Women’s & Gender Studies
The Cave    8:00 p.m.

Friday, April 13  Accepted Students Weekend-Welcoming Dinner-#1
Do you remember your first visit to Carleton? Do you remember deliberating your college choices? Perhaps it was a conversation with a Carleton student that was crucial in your ultimate decision to attend Carleton. Now is your chance to help other prospective students make an informed decision by joining us for dinner and conversation.
Goodhue Super Lounge       5:00 p.m.

Friday, April 13 & Saturday, April 14  Lecture & Performance by Turkish Musician; Latif Bolat
Latif Bolat, one of the most renowned Turkish musicians in North America, is a native of the Turkish Mediterranean town of Mersin. After receiving his degree in folklore and music at Gazi University in Ankara, Turkey, he taught traditional music throughout the country. Specializing in the ancient Turkish mystic-devotional music genre, Bolat has been received with appreciation and enthusiasm throughout the world as he provides a unique philosophy and approach to the performance of traditional music. Sponsored by the Carleton Islamic Association, Committee on the Arts, Asian Studies, Dean of Students & Office of Intercultural Life
Friday, April 13, -Lecture “Islam and Its Mystical Path: Sufism” Library Athenaeum, 5 p.m.
Saturday, April 14 -Performance Great Hall, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, April 18  Chili Night-Dinner & Discussion
Goodhue Super Lounge  5:00 p.m.

Friday, April 20  Accepted Students Weekend-Welcoming Dinner -#2
Goodhue Super Lounge       5:00 p.m.

Thursday, May 3  Film Screening: “Better Luck Tomorrow” starring Parry Shen
In the past 3 years, Parry has spoken at over 100 universities in his spare time—demystifying the acting business and sharing his experiences as an Asian American in the media to college students across the country. Come view a 25-minute behind the scenes video that documents the struggle to get the film “Better Luck Tomorrow” made with an all Asian cast. Shen will be available to answer questions and a showing of the film will follow.
Leighton 304  7:00 p.m. -Documentary  7:30 p.m. -Q&A  8:00 p.m. -Film Screening

Friday, May 4  Asian-Pacific American Heritage Month Convocation with Parry Shen
Chinese American actor Parry Shen graduated from the State University of New York at Buffalo with a degree in marketing and minors in media studies and public relations/advertising. Shen is perhaps best known as the lead in the 2002 movie “Better Luck Tomorrow.” He has had a variety of film and television roles including a recent appearance on the ABC show, “Brothers and Sisters”. Shen has also been featured on “Entertainment Tonight” and “Extra” as well as in Premiere, Rolling Stone, VIBE, People Magazine, The L.A. Times and The Wall Street Journal.
Skinner Memorial Chapel       10:50 a.m.

Wednesday, May 9  Chili Night-Dinner & Discussion
Goodhue Super Lounge  5:00 p.m.

Saturday, May 12  International Festival
The International Festival has become a Carleton tradition which grows more each year. This year’s festival will feature a spectacular range of international cuisine, music, performances, activities, and information tables. Donations will also be accepted for The Center for Children’s Happiness (CCH) in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. Sayles Hill Great Space/Upper Sayles Hill  2:00-4:00 p.m.