Today in HISTORY!

1772 - David Ricardo, English economist is born

1946 - The League of Nations is dissolved.

1954 - Gamal Abdul Nasser seizes power in Egypt.

1955 – Death of Albert Einstein

1980 - The Republic of Zimbabwe (formerly Rhodesia) comes into being, with Canaan Banana as the country’s first President.

News and Events:


Tuesday, April 22 - Mandatory Junior Comps Meeting. Pizza will be provided. Come chat with Profs. Ottaway, Igra, and Clark about the comps process, which begins now. Well, you don’t have a choice, so be there. Leighton 304, Common Time, 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Tuesday, April 22 – Ethics of Development- Food as a Human Right, presented by Dr. Florence Chenoweth, United Nations Food and Agriculture (FAO) representative to the UN and executive director of the FAO Liaison Office in New York, currently also the University of Wisconsin-Madison Distinguished International Visitor. She was the first woman appointed to serve as minister of agriculture in her native Liberia. She is currently the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization’s representative to the U.N. General Assembly, Security Council and other bodies. She received a master of science degree in 1970 and a Ph.D. in land resources in 1986, both from UW-Madison. 12-1 PM Library Athenaeum. Bag lunch available for first 25 guests.

Florence Chenoweth will also be visiting Professor Monson’s History 285 Ethics of Service class on Tuesday, April 22 at 1:15 p.m. in Leighton 303. Interested students are invited to attend.

Thursday, April 24 – Berlin 1968, Berlin 1972, Special public talk by David Barclay, Executive Director, German Studies Association, and Professor of Modern European History, Kalamazoo College, in honor of Professor Diet Prowe’s retirement. Leighton 304, 5 pm.

Internship and Job Opportunities:

Project 60 Internships: 8-12 week summer internships: [https://apps.carleton.edu/campus/career/internships/find/project60/](https://apps.carleton.edu/campus/career/internships/find/project60/)

Illinois Council of Orchestras - Crystal Lake, IL
Responsibilities include working with the president and board of directors on a membership drive, newsletter, and research for grant opportunities. Contact Marie Ann Vos ’60 mahvos@dls.net for more information.

Tree Trust – Communications Special and Marketing Intern
Responsibilities include creating new content and working in media relations. Contact dorothyd@treetrust.org for more information.

For more opportunities, see also: [http://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/after/](http://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/history/after/)

**DATE CORRECTION** - Seniors, interested in teaching junior high and high school history classes? [Bard College Master of Arts in Teaching](https://www.bard.edu/graduate/master-of-arts-in-teaching) program representative Wendy Urban-Mead will visit campus Thursday, May 22nd. More later about her upcoming visit and opportunities to meet with her.