To register please go to: https://forms.wm.edu/13974

**Friday, March 14th**

6:00pm - 7:30pm  
**Bruton Heights School, Lane Auditorium**  
301 1st Street Williamsburg, VA

*Community Read -- Book Discussion*  
*Ebony & Ivy: Race, Slavery, and the Troubled History of America’s Universities*  
by Craig Steven Wilder  
Led by the author

8:30pm - 10:00pm  
**Sadler Center, Tidewater AB**  
200 Stadium Dr. Williamsburg, VA

**Poetry Slam**

**Saturday, March 15th**

8:00am – 3:00pm  
**College of William & Mary Mason School of Business**  
101 Ukrop Way Williamsburg, VA

8:00am – 8:30am  
Check-in and Continental Breakfast

8:45am – 9:00am  
Opening Remarks

9:00am – 10:15am  
Introduction

Keynote - Craig Steven Wilder  
Professor and Head, History  
Massachusetts Institute of Technology  
Q & A
10:30am – 11:45am  Panel Session One

**Narratives: Making Meaning, Decoding Meaning**
“Historical What? New Ideas On Classifying Slave Narratives”
Benjamin S. Flax, Student, University of Alabama

“Tommie’s Camera: The Family Photographs of Louise Miller”
Carol Hill & Burnell Irby, Washington D.C.

**Leaders in the African American Community**
“Transformational Leadership & Resilience: An Exploratory Study of African American Women Leaders in Nonprofits”
Donovan Branche, James Madison University, Doctoral Candidate

“Janie Porter Barrett: Transformational Leader and Institutional Founder”
Karen Ford, Ph.D., Professor, James Madison University

**African Americans at School**
Marissa Beale, '14 Student, College of William and Mary

“Teaching About Africa at Virginia Schools: The Development of African Studies at the College of William and Mary and Hampton Institute/University”
Alexandra (Lexi) Hartley, '14 Student, College of William and Mary

“The Cultivation of the Black Experience”
Tanisha Ingram, '14 Student, College of William and Mary

12:00pm – 12:45pm  Lunch

1:00pm – 2:15pm  Panel Session Two

**Living Histories**
“‘If These Walls Could Talk’: Oral Histories of the Holley School”
Mary Lamb Shelden, Assistant Professor, Virginia Commonwealth University

“Make the Ground Talk”
Brian Palmer & Erin Hollaway, Community Members and Documentary Film Producers

**Anthropology/Archaeology**
“The Bray School: Findings and Questions”
Stephanie Krauss, '15 Student, College of William and Mary

“African American Burials and the Historic Landscape of Williamsburg”
Ywone Edwards-Ingram, Ph.D. Independent Scholar

2:30pm  Wrap Up

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