Urban and Suburban Studies Sponsored and Co-Sponsored Events for 2010-2011

Fall Term

1. **Event:** "The Chairman" with Mark Quinn

**Date and Time:** Wednesday, September 29, 2010, 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM

**Location:** Old Main: Smith Hall

Local author Mark Quinn will discuss his novel "The Chairman: A Novel of Big City Politics."

2. **Event:** Screening of the Documentary Film "Workers’ Republic," followed by a Q & A session with the filmmaker.

**Date:** Wednesday October 13, 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM

**Location:** Old Main: Smith Hall

Andrew Friend will introduce his documentary, "Workers' Republic," about the employee occupation of Chicago's Republic Windows and Doors plant. Followed by a Q & A session with the filmmaker. For more information about “Worker's Republic”, read the write up in *Time Out Chicago*:

http://chicago.timeout.com/articles/museums-culture/86167/workers-republic-premiere

Watch the trailer: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=81pIWNUuDEA

Winter Term

1. **Event:** Screening of the Documentary Film “Typeface.” Followed by Q & A with a member of the production team.

**Date and Time:** Tuesday February 8, 2011 , 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

**Location:** Meiley-Swallow Hall: Thrust Theatre

A showing of the new documentary from Chicago’s own Kartemquin Films: "Typeface," an award winning look at a small Wisconsin museum and printshop where international artists meet retired craftsmen and together navigate the convergence of modern design and traditional technique. Followed by a Q & A session with a member of the production team. Watch the trailer:

http://www.youtube.com/user/Kartemquin#p/a/u/2/LX6z9shjeGQ
Spring Term

1. **Event:** “One Less Car: Bicycling and the Politics of Automobility” with Zach Furness

**Date and Time:** Thursday, April 14, 2011, 7:00-9:00 PM

**Location:** To be determined

Zach Furness-- Assistant Professor of Cultural Studies at Columbia College and author of “One Less Car: Bicycling and the Politics of Automobility” (Temple University Press, 2010) -- discusses the history, politics and cultural meaning of bicycling.