



# Human Rights Day at UT

Saturday, April 18th, Vaughn Center – 9<sup>th</sup> floor

**All UT students, faculty, and members of the general public are welcome!**

- 10:00am**                      **Welcome – Marcus Arvan (UT, Philosophy) & Bruce Friesen (UT, Sociology)**
- 10:05-10:35am**              **Human Rights or Corporate Rights? A Comparison of Democratic Processes in the United States and Greece.** Steve Pangeotou, U. of Tennessee, Knoxville
- 10:35-11:00am**              **Human rights and Capital Punishment in France**  
Cedric Michel, Assistant Professor of Criminology and Criminal Justice, UT
- 11:00-11:30am**              **Mid-Florida American Civil Liberties Union and the Right to Vote**  
Dr. Joyce Hamilton-Henry, Director
- 11:30-11:50am**              **University of Tampa Pulse Program**  
Gina Firth, Lisa Ryan, and students
- 11:50-Noon**                      **Break**
- Noon-1:00pm**                **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**  
Shulamith Koenig—*Recipient of 2003 United Nations Human Rights Prize*
- 1:00-2:30pm**                **Lunch, Art Awards, and UT Theatre Group Performance**
- 2 and 3-Dimensional Human Rights Themed Student Art Competition – Jack King
  - Scenes from LORCA: His Life and Art – Gary Luter and Students.
- 2:30-3:10pm**                **Constitutional Convention**  
Dr. Bruce Friesen & students from Honors Introduction to Sociology
- 3:10-4:00pm**                **UNA-USA Panel**
- Denis Rey (UT Associate Professor, Government and World Affairs)
  - Mark Amen, Kelly Miliziano, Michele Zeller Geigle
- 4:00-6:00**                      **Coalition of Imokalee Workers – Screening & Discussion of Food Chains**

*This conference is organized by Bruce Friesen ([bfriesen@ut.edu](mailto:bfriesen@ut.edu)) and Marcus Arvan ([marvan@ut.edu](mailto:marvan@ut.edu)), and is sponsored by the CSSME College Office, Honors Program, and UT's Philosophy & Religion, Criminology, and Gov. & World Affairs/History/Sociology departments. UNA-Tampa Bay has also provided support.*