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The following events are open to the public on the Chapman campus. Many Chapman events are free; check listing for admission costs.

ART

Sept 4-Oct 6 Missing/Las Desaparecidas: A photo-based installation with a collaborative textile component involving more than 80 craftswomen from the small Mexican town of Tapalpas. The work, coordinated by Canadian artist Deborah Koenker, memorializes the hundreds of women murdered in recent years in Ciudad Juarez, Mexico and female victims of violence everywhere. Viewers are encouraged to reflect on the embroidered textiles and on the violence in their own communities. A secondary theme focuses on the anonymous machine work of production sewing which occurs in sweatshops around the world. This exhibition celebrates and honors the work of the hand, but brings into question issues of economy, consumerism and human rights in a global culture. Guggenheim Gallery, Chapman University, Orange. Mon-Fri noon-5 pm, Sat 11am-4pm. Admission: free. (714) 997-6729. (See related lecture below.)

Sept 24-Oct 10 Faces of the World: An Exhibition of Photography From Around the World. Leatherby Libraries 2nd Floor, Chapman University, Orange. Open daily during library hours. Admission: free. Opening reception Sept. 25 at 4 pm. (714) 532-7742.

MUSIC

Fri, Sept 14 at 8 pm An Evening of Jazz Music with The Peter Sprague String Consort, featuring The California Quartet with faculty artist Bridget Dolkas. Salmon Recital Hall, Chapman University, Orange. Admission: \$5 students and senior citizens; \$10 general. (714) 997-6871.

Sat, Sept 15 at 8 pm Orange County Guitar Circle. Salmon Recital Hall, Chapman University, Orange. Admission: \$7. (714) 997-6591.

LECTURES

Thurs, Sept 6 at 7 pm Women of Juarez, panel discussion with Deborah Koenker, a Vancouver-based artist whose installation, in collaboration with Mexican craftswomen and currently on display in Chapmans Guggenheim Gallery, commemorates the nearly 500 women who have been murdered in recent years in the Mexican border town of Ciudad Juarez. Other panelists are Chapman professor Rafael Luevano and Minerva Canto, co-writer of the award-winning eight-part Women of Juarez feature series in the Orange County Register. The panel will be moderated by Chapman associate chancellor Jeanne Gunner, who works with women's issues in El Salvador. Waltmar Theatre, Chapman University, Orange. Admission: free. (714) 628-7369.

Tues, Sept 25 at 7 pm Must We Still Remember? The Armenia Genocide as Prototype,

lecture by Richard Hovannisian, professor of Armenian and Near Eastern history and Armenian Educational Foundation Chair in Modern Armenian History at UCLA. Part of the Schwartz Holocaust Lecture Series. Bush Conference Center, 404 Beckman Hall, Chapman University, Orange. Admission: free. (714) 628-7377.