Community Read: *Riding the Bus with My Sister: A True Life Journey*
**Tuesday, September 18, 2012 ~ 6:30-7:30 p.m.**
**Musser Room, Schlow Centre Region Library**
Rachel Simon’s yearlong account of riding public buses with her sister Beth, who has an intellectual disability. Please join us for a discussion of this thought-provoking and humorous book.

**Accessibility Summit**
**Tuesday, September 25, 2012 ~ 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.**
**Foster Auditorium, Paterno Library**
Join us for the third annual Accessibility Summit (an online live broadcast)! This event brings together some of the Web’s most notable experts: ([http://environmentsforhumans.com/2012/accessibility-summit/](http://environmentsforhumans.com/2012/accessibility-summit/)). Please register at the following website: ([https://register4its.psu.edu/Public/ShowDetail.asp?scheduleid=110483](https://register4its.psu.edu/Public/ShowDetail.asp?scheduleid=110483)). Sponsored by the University Libraries, the Office for Disability Services, Information Technology Services, and World Campus Accessibility.

Community Read: *The Story of Beautiful Girl*
**Tuesday, September 25, 2012 ~ 2:30-3:30 p.m.**
**Community Room, Schlow Centre Region Library**
A unique love story about an African American deaf man and a young white woman with a developmental disability and their lost child. Please join us for a discussion of this captivating book by Rachel Simon.

**Braille Basics**
**Wednesday, September 26, 2012 ~ 1:30-3:30 p.m.**
**211 West Pattee Library**
Here’s your chance to learn more about Braille, the system that people who are blind use to read. You will even get to write your own message in Braille.

**Hattie Larlham Art Exhibit**
**Monday, October 1, 2012 ~ Thursday, November 29, 2012**
**7 Sparks Building**
**10:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Monday ~ Thursday**
**10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Friday**
Stop in to see art created by people with profound disabilities.

**Wheelchair Basketball**
**Wednesdays, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, 2012 ~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.**
**White Building Gymnasium**
Come see basketball played by athletes who play in wheelchairs. All will have the chance to play – a unique experience that will change your view of basketball skills.

**Film: Riding the Bus with My Sister**
**Tuesday, October 9, 2012 ~ 4:30-6:30 p.m.**
**Foster Auditorium, Paterno Library**
A movie based on the true story of Rachel Simon (Andie MacDowell) who rode public buses with her sister Beth (Rosie O’Donnell), who has an intellectual disability. Come see this unforgettable film. Sponsored by the Health and Human Development Diversity Committee, Adaptive Technology and Services, and the Office for Disability Services.

**Rachel Simon: Perspectives on Intellectual Disabilities**
**Thursday, October 11, 2012 ~ 7:00-8:30 p.m.**
**Auditorium, Lewis Katz Building**
Doors open at 6:30 p.m.
Come hear the award-winning author, Rachel Simon, speak about her life experiences growing up with her sister Beth, a woman with an intellectual disability. Free admission - no tickets necessary. Sponsored by Adaptive Technology and Services, the Office for Disability Services, and the School of International Affairs.

**Discussing Identity (and disability)**
**Monday, October 15, 2012 ~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.**
**Pollock Commons Recreation Room**
Come participate in an interactive discussion and hear presenters with disabilities share information about their identities. Snacks will be provided. Sponsored by Residence Life.

**Recovery Lives! Mental Illness and the Path to Recovery**
**Tuesday, October 16, 2012 ~ 3:30-5:00 p.m.**
**115 A & B Outreach Building, Innovation Park**
Come hear students and community members with mental illness share stories about their path to recovery. Information on how to access services through the Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) office will be provided.

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Meeting Your Staffing Needs through a Win-Win Partnership
Wednesday, October 17, 2012 ~ Noon – 1:00 p.m.
334 James M. Elliott Building
Come here success stories about how the Opportunity Network for Employment (ONE) program has helped hiring managers find qualified employees with disabilities. Pizza and water will be provided. Please register before Monday, October 15, by contacting Marianne Karwacki at mlk6@psu.edu or 865-0676. Sponsored by Penn State’s Office of Human Resources.

Study Abroad: Where Do I Begin?
Thursday, October 18, 2012 ~ 5:00-6:00 p.m.
410 Boucke Building
Interested in studying abroad? This session will highlight the Penn State Education Abroad program offerings, funding options, and services offered by the Education Abroad Office. Information on requesting disability accommodations will be included.

The Job Search and DIVERSE-abilities: Issues for Students and Employers to Consider
Monday, October 22, 2012 ~ 4:00–5:00 p.m.
Room 103, Bank of America Career Services Center
Come and learn how to be prepared for discussing work accommodations professionally.

University Access Committee (UAC) - an Overview
Tuesday, October 23, 2012 ~ Noon to 1:00 p.m.
110 Henderson Building, The Bennett Pierce Living Center
A brief presentation on UAC’s mission and some of the projects UAC has initiated to enhance access to facilities for people with disabilities throughout the Penn State system. Bring your own lunch (water and fruit juices will be available). Please RSVP to Jen Gooch in the Affirmative Action Office at jag66@psu.edu or 814-863-0471 before Wednesday, October 17.

LifeLink PSU: Linking Students to University Life
Wednesday, October 24, 2012 ~ 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
110 Henderson Building, The Bennett Pierce Living Center
This event will allow participants the opportunity to view the Emmy Award winning documentary about the unique program known as LifeLink. The movie showing will be followed by a panel of LifeLink students who will share their experiences in the program.

The U.S. Paralympic Experience
Sunday, October 28, 2012 ~ 1:00-3:00 p.m.
Multi-Sport Indoor Facility (Penn State Indoor Track)
Come watch World Class Paralympic athletes participate in wheelchair basketball, handcycling, powerlifting, seated throwing, and racing with racing chairs. There will even be an opportunity for audience members to play. Admission is FREE!

“Hear” the World: A Snapshot of the Deaf Experience
Monday, October 29, 2012 ~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.
118 Thomas Building
Come learn about the life experiences of people who are deaf or hard-of-hearing. You’ll also have the chance to learn the American Sign Language (ASL) alphabet and greetings.

All About Service Animals - Everything you ever wanted to know about service animals
Tuesday, October 30, 2012 ~ Noon - 1:00 p.m.
110 Henderson Building, The Bennett Pierce Living Center
An opportunity to learn about service animals, their training, and how people with disabilities use them in daily activities. Bring your own lunch (water and fruit juices will be available). Please RSVP to Jen Gooch in the Affirmative Action Office at jag66@psu.edu or 814-863-0471 before Wednesday, October 24.