

## **WCEV ISSUES FOR 1<sup>st</sup> QUARTER 2013:**

### **1./2. ISSUE: CONCERNS OF CICERO (WCEV's town of license)**

Mosaic Program– aired on 1/4/13 from 8-8:25pm; on 1/6/13 from 2:05-2:30pm&from 5:35-6pm; and on 1/7/13 from 8-8:25pm

English language interview by public affairs with Eddie Sugarman, managing director of 16<sup>th</sup> Street Theater in Berwyn about starting the only professional theater in the near western suburbs.

Mosaic Program– aired on 1/18/13 from 8-8:25pm; on 1/20/13 from 2:05-2:30&from 5:35-6pm; and on 1/21/13 from 8-8:25pm

English language interview by public affairs director with Nasri Abimansour of the City of Homes' Berwyn Bungalow Preservation Initiative, about why and how to take care of and improve bungalows in West Suburban Berwyn and around the Chicago area.

### **3./4./5. ISSUE: UNDERSTANDING IMMIGRANTS**

Radio Islam Program – segment aired on 1/22/13 from 6-7pm in English

The topic of this hour-long conversation was “Explaining Islam to the Public” which is critical, especially during these times of Islamic terrorism around the world, with guest Edward Curtis, Professor of Religious Studies at Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, with host Junaid Ahmed.

Radio Islam Program – aired on 3/11/13 from 6-7pm in English

The topic of this hour-long conversation was “The Developing American Muslim Identity: American Imams, Mosques, and Muslim Women” with Guest Genieve Abdo, journalist and author of "Mecca and Main Street: Muslim Life in America After 9/11" , with host: Janaan Hashim.

Who We Are Report – aired 4 times for about 2:40 minutes on 3/30/13 at 3:05pm and on 3/31/13 at 10:30am, 2:30pm&8:05pm

English language public affairs feature report about various Easter traditions and customs which are still practiced in the US. Some are very colorful, such as the Mexican practice of staging the Passion and Crucifixion of Christ on the streets of Chicago.

## 6. ISSUE: CULTURE IN CHICAGO

Mosaic Program – aired on 3/1/13 from 8-8:25pm; on 3/3/13 from 3:05-3:30pm&from 5:35-6pm; and on 3/4/13 from 8-8:25pm

English language interview by public affairs director with Anna Altschwager, project manager of the new exhibition of cave painting from Lascaux, France now at the Field Museum in Chicago. This is the first time the cave paintings have left France.

## 7. ISSUE: INTER-RELIGIOUS UNDERSTANDING

Radio Islam Program – aired on 3/22/13 from 6-7pm in English

The topic of this hour-long conversation was “What to make of the new Pope Francis?” with guest: Eric LeCompte, Executive Director of the Jubilee USA Network.

## 8. ISSUE: ETHNIC EVENTS IN CHICAGO

Mosaic Program – aired on 2/1/13 from 8-8:25pm; on 2/3/13 from 2:05-2:30pm&from 5:35-6pm; and on 3/4/13 from 8-8:25pm

English language interview by public affairs director with Lucie Bucki, president of the Legion of Young Polish Women, about their upcoming debutante ball which provides funds for dozens of Polish American and general American charities.

## 9. ISSUE: UNDERSTANDING ETHNICS

Radio Islam Program – aired on 3/5/13 from 6-7pm in English

The topic of this hour-long conversation was “The History of Muslims in America” with guest Jonathan Curiel, journalist in San Francisco and the author of Al' America: Travels Through America's Arab and Islamic Roots” with host: Abdul Malik Mujahid.

## 10. ISSUE: LANGUAGES IN AMERICA

Who We Are Report – aired 8 times for about 2:40 minutes on 2/24/13 at 5:30pm; on 2/25/13 at 1:30pm&4:57pm; on 2/26/13 at 1:20pm, 5:57pm&9:57pm; and on 2/27/13 at 4:57pm&6:30pm

English language interview by public affairs feature report about the fact that English is not the official language of the United States; there is nothing in the US Constitution about any language.

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