R.E.V. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.
AND THE ARCHITECTURE OF SOCIAL JUSTICE

Keynote by Dr. James Chaffers

The Rackham Graduate School presents a lecture and
discussion with Dr. James Chaffers, renowned architect and
Professor Emeritus. Dr. Chaffers was asked, in April, 1997, to
serve as Senior Design Juror for the design of a
“living memorial” in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. With
construction completed and accompanied by an Official
Presidential Unveiling Ceremony in 2011, this current
cornerstone of Love, Justice, Peace, and Possibility now stands
on the U.S. National Mall in Washington, DC.

Dr. Chaffers’ keynote will offer unique insights into Dr. King’s
life and legacy, the design, philosophy, and collective process
behind the King National Memorial, and principles for an
“Architecture of Social Justice” to build an inclusive, sustainable
and harmonious future.

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Assembly Hall, 4th Floor
Monday, January 26, 2015

Talk and Panel Discussion 4:00-6:00pm
Reception to Follow