## **Springforth 2014 High School Workshops**

- 1. Wordeed with Louise Knowles Room: SH 253
  - Is it more important to share your faith using words or deeds? How do evangelism and social justice go together, or do they? Come and discuss how we live out our faith, and how what we say and do as followers of Christ can go hand in hand.
- 2. So, How do I Keep Strong with God all Year Long? with Gavin McCombie Room: SH Chapel Want to hear from God for yourself? Want to know how to sustain your spiritual journey through all the highs and lows of life? Explore the spiritual disciplines that have been used throughout the ages as a way of creating space and time to encounter the living God.
- 3. What Does God Want Me to Do with my Life? with Dale Stairs Room: SH 127

  Do you get tired of hearing "What are you going to do after High School?" This seminar is all about discovering the things that God wants you to do with your life, both now and in the future!
- 4. Dating Without Scars with Dave Steeves Room: SH 203

Relationships are complicated! We discover that early on. If you are ready to hear how dating without scars IS possible, this seminar is for you. Ten of the most common dating questions answered with ten proven truths. Questions such as how do I know if it is love? How can I be comfortable around the opposite sex? How far is too far? Should I date non-Christians? This will be fast pace, high energy and you better be ready.

- 5. You Have a Story! with Laura O'Rouke Room: SH 177
  - YOU HAVE A STORY! Are you ready to share it? Are you ready to be heard? Are you ready to discover your voice? Get ready for some tips, tricks, and inspiration to get your stories online and read! Laura (@LauraORourke) started blogging when she was in high school and has been doing it now for 10 years.
- 6. **Simplicity in the Complex -** Sheldon MacLeod- Assistant Vice President (SESD) & Registrar **Room:** SH 22

This workshop looks at ways to live out our faith in a way that is sincere and honest without making us look crazy to our friends. It also explores how to simplify our faith into a relationship of justice, mercy, and humility with God, as opposed to what the world thinks about faith. What does the Lord require? It's both simple and profound.

- 7. Athletic Image of Discipleship Bryan Cawthra-Athletics Director Room: SH 252
  Paul chooses the word gumnesia meaning "training" or "discipline" to describe the process of godliness or Christian living. Godliness apparently does not just happen without participation in godly activities. It demands training or discipline. Just as athletes exercise to compete, so the follower of Christ must live a disciplined life.
- 8. **Science and Christianity: Walking Humbly in God's Creation -** Dr. Mel Schriver- Professor of Chemistry Dept. Coordinator **Room**: MH 241
  - In this workshop we will use models and examples from the history of science to help us discuss the role of humility in both communicating science and communicating with science. The mutual search for a

fearless, clear-eyed truth must be linked to a humility that will allow us to exclaim with Johannes Kepler "Oh God, I am thinking your thoughts after you."

9. **Making a Difference in the World** Matthew Robertson-Admissions Counsellor **Room:** SH 23 Learn how Christian universities provide strong academics to prepare you for your career and how a faith-based learning environment not only increases your biblical understanding but also helps you to integrate your faith into your daily life and impact the world around you.

## 10. Alicia Jung – Go Global Room: 254 (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)

Ever wonder if God might be preparing you to serve people in other countries? Curious about what that could look like now and when you've graduated? In this workshop you'll discover opportunities to serve in mission with CBM around the globe from two weeks to two years - and have a chance to ask questions about what it's like to work in missions for a career.