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## **FRIENDS OF THE AFRICAN-AMERICAN RESEARCH LIBRARY AND CULTURAL CENTER (AARLCC) 2008 SEASON OF EXCELLENCE**

**February 1, 2008, Fort Lauderdale, FL** - The Friends of the African American Research Library and Cultural Center (AARLCC) chose the Marome Agency as the Agency of Record (AOR) for the 2008 Season of Excellence Series.

The series begins on February 21, 2008 with a musical performance by former Third-World Percussionist, **Willie Stewart**, followed by a March 13 performance by the **Dillard Center for Performing Arts Jazz Ensemble** pays tribute to the late great Jazz Saxophonist, Cannonball Adderley.

In addition to those two kick-off performances, **Desiree Fleming**, South Florida's only plus size African-American Designer will be showcasing her fall 2008 fashions with the Voluptuous You Sophisticated Styling Fashion Showcase on March 29, 2008. For two consecutive weekends, playwright **Keith C. Wade** will present a musical on the Historic Hampton House of Miami, where many civil rights heroes and musicians visited during the days of segregation.

In June, the series concludes with a poetry evening – “An Ode to My Favorite Writer” presented by the **Writeside Poets**. For more information about the Friends of the African-American Research Library and Cultural Center (AARLCC) 2008 Season of Excellence, visit [www.friendsofaarlcc.com](http://www.friendsofaarlcc.com) or call (954) 625.2810.

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