

Warlords of Ivory

Film and Lecture by John Heminway

Wednesday, April 20, 2016
7:30 to 9 p.m.
Anheuser-Busch Theater
The Living World
Free admission
No reservations needed



John Heminway is an award-winning writer and filmmaker, with a focus on nature, science, history and Africa. Heminway's 2013 broadcast, "Battle for the Elephants," was voted Best Conservation Film at the Jackson Hole Wildlife Film Festival in 2013. Its sequel, "Warlords of Ivory," which premiered on August 30, 2015, was linked to a *National Geographic* magazine cover story and has had geopolitical impact in the U.S. and overseas.

Using new technology, the film documents the torturous route illicit ivory takes across Africa. Elephants are put in jeopardy across this range and many human lives are destroyed along the way. John Heminway will discuss his ideas of the elephant's future and show how hope lies in a new approach to facing wildlife crime.

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