

ACM's Peace Studies Club Presents...

“FREEDOM ON MY MIND”

February 6th 2008 at 7:00 p.m. in the College Theatre



“Freedom on My Mind”

Everything is segregated. There are virtually no black voters. Bob Moses, a young Harvard student, comes to Mississippi to head the Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee. A Mississippi State Representative fatally shoots the first black farmer who attempts to register to vote.

This is a powerful documentary that chronicles the complex and compelling history of the Mississippi voter registration struggles during the early 1960's. It is a story of brutality and senseless killing, but it is also the story of youthful idealism and shared vision, the story of a generation who believed in and fought for the most basic principle of democracy--the constitutional right to vote.

This movie is a prelude to...
A Special Event Celebrating Black History Month

Allegany College of Maryland, through funding of a Maryland Humanities Council grant commemorating the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., will hold three lively, inspirational, and music-filled presentations about the courageous SNCC (Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee) students and the local people who were active in the Mississippi Civil Rights Movement in the sixties.

February 13th: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., College Theatre

February 14th: 9:30 -10:45 a.m., College Theatre AND 12:30 - 1:45 p.m., College Theatre



“Ordinary people with courage, guts, and persistence can make an extraordinary difference.”
Mississippi Freedom Summer, 1964

DISCUSSION WILL FOLLOW THE VIEWING OF THE FILM