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The image is a vertical poster. At the top, the words "THE BINARY BOXES" are written in large, bold, white letters. Below this, a large, semi-transparent rainbow heart overlaps the text. The heart is composed of several layers of concentric arcs in various colors of the rainbow. In the center of the heart, the letters "LGBT" are written in a large, bold, sans-serif font, with each letter having a different color gradient from left to right: blue, purple, pink, red, orange, and yellow. Below "LGBT", the year "2012" is written in a similar bold, sans-serif font, also with a color gradient from blue to yellow. The background of the poster is black.

WHAT IS A BINARY BOX?

In short,

**IT'S A LABEL.
EXPECTATION.
A ROLE.**

In fitting into a binary box, we shed the nuances that make us human; the personality traits and behaviors that fit us, but not our labels. This month, we challenge you to confront those labels through education. What does it mean to be Gay? Bi? Transgendered? Straight? Masculine or Feminine? We may be group identified by our sexuality, but it does not define us. We are activists, lovers, teachers, Republicans, Democrats, engineers, leaders, musicians, students — we are people. This is a month designed to celebrate the LGBT community, but more importantly it's a month designed to push envelopes, break stereotypes, de-stigmatize, and start dialogue.

**LECTURE SERIES I – QUEER THEORY DEBATE FEATURING
PROFESSOR BEN STEFONIK & PROFESSOR SCOTT LANKFORD**
Monday, June 4, 10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Hearthsde Lounge, Room 2313

**PANEL SERIES I – PARENTS, FAMILIES &
FRIENDS OF LESBIANS & GAYS**
Tuesday, June 5, 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Hearthside Lounge, Room 2313

**OPENING CEREMONY FEATURING
THE CLOTHESLINE PROJECT**
**Wednesday, June 6,
College Hour Noon – 1 p.m.
Campus Center Plaza**

**PANEL SERIES II –
TRANSGENDERED COMMUNITY**
Wednesday, June 6, 1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Hearthsider Lounge, Room 2313

LIM SERIES I/WORKSHOP – LEGALIZE GAY

PANEL SERIES III – RELIGIOUS LEADERS
Monday, June 11, 1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Hearthsider Lounge, Room 2313

FILM SERIES II – BI THE WAY
day, June 12, Noon – 1:30 p.m.
ese Heritage Room, Room 3523

**END-OF-THE-YEAR PARTY
FEATURING HEALTH SERVICES,
THE DEFRAK CENTER & OUTLET**

LECTURE SERIES II – QUEER RESEARCH FEATURING STANFORD UNIVERSITY RESEARCH STUDENTS

Thursday, June 14, Noon – 1:30 p.m.
Hearthsde Lounge, Room 2313

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REFRESHMENTS TO ALL EVENTS**