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WGVU presents Independent Cinema at the UICA Series Continues on November 11 with *I.O.U.S.A.*

(Grand Rapids, MI, November 6, 2008) On Tuesday, November 11 at 7 p.m., WGVU continues the Independent Cinema series at the Urban Institute for Contemporary Arts with the film *I.O.U.S.A.*. A discussion will follow with local panelists, including Gregg Dimkoff, Professor of Finance at Grand Valley State University's Seidman College of Business.

Wake up, America! We're on the brink of a financial meltdown. *I.O.U.S.A.* boldly examines the rapidly growing national debt and its consequences for the United States and its citizens. As the Baby Boomer generation prepares to retire, will there even be any Social Security benefits left to collect? Burdened with an ever-expanding government and military, increased international competition, overextended entitlement programs, and debts to foreign countries that are becoming impossible to honor, America must mend its spendthrift ways or face an economic disaster of epic proportions.

This screening event is part of the ITVS Community Cinema program. Free screenings of *Independent Lens* films are held the first Tuesday of every month. For more on the Independent Cinema series, including upcoming dates and films, visit wgvu.org/cinema or myspace.com/independentcinemagr.

WGVU's continued mission is to provide educational, informative, and entertaining programs and events to the West Michigan community as a service of Grand Valley State University.

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