

YOUR SPRING 2024 SCHEDULE AND SESSION LEADERS

9:40 to 10:30 A.M.

AMERICAN ACTIVISTS

*Dr. Robert Frick, Presenter
Professor Dennis Dougherty, Coordinator*

A CRITICAL HISTORY OF JOURNALISM

*Dr. Mark Kelley, Presenter
Dr. Robert J. Bresler, Coordinator*

SHORT STORY DISCUSSION GROUP

Dr. Victoria Ehrhardt, Coordinator

THE COSMOS: MAKING SENSE OF THE UNIVERSE

*Dr. Richard D. Clark, Presenter
Linda Roscoe, Coordinator*

APRIL 4 John Marshall: Definer of the Constitution

Introduction: Knowledge Survey, Critical Thinking, What is Truth?

“A Report to an Academy” by Franz Kafka
Dr. Mark Harman, Discussion Leader

How Did We Get Here From There: A Little History of Astronomical Observations, Theoretical Prediction, and Serendipity

APRIL 11 Dr. David Ramsay: Colonial Physician, Historian, and Politician

Colonial press: Political Cartoons, Free Speech/First Amendment

“A Friendship” by William Trevor
Dr. Amy Moreno, Discussion Leader

What’s the Matter: The Problem with Accounting for the Matter in the Universe

APRIL 18 Suffragettes: 15 Women Significant in Achieving the Nineteenth Amendment

Slavery & the Press: Yellow Journalism, Watchdogs

“A Conversation with My Father” by Grace Paley
Dr. John Rohrkemper, Discussion Leader

Ordinary Matter... and Energy: Stars, Galaxies, Clusters, Voids, and the Large-scale Structure of the Universe

APRIL 25 Flood v. Kuhn: The Professional Baseball Player Who Opposed the Reserve Clause

Emergence of Broadcast Media: TV News & The Red Scare, Racism & Civil Rights

“Minority Report” by Philip K. Dick
Ms. Susan Metcalfe, J. D., Discussion Leader

The Very Small and the Really Fast: Spacetime, Infinity, Strings, Quantum Gravity, and Reality

MAY 2 J. Edgar Hoover: Initiator of the Federal Bureau of Investigation

Vietnam: First TV War, Failing the American Public—The Legacy of 9/11

“Cathedral” by Raymond Carver
Dr. Roger Godin, Discussion Leader

Hot Jupiters, Neptunians, Super-Earths and Terrestrials: The Search for Exoplanets and What They Tell Us

MAY 9 Thomas Nast: The Father of Political Cartooning

Media, Bias, Content

“North Of” by Marie-Helena Bertino
Dr. Justin Hopkins, Discussion Leader

How Do We Get There From Here: The Future of Space Exploration, Humanity, and the Universe

11:00 to 11:50 A.M.

RELIGIOUS VOICES IN AMERICA

*Elizabethtown College Faculty, Presenters
Dr. Fletcher McClellan, Coordinator*

URBAN LEGEND: THE LIFE & LEGACY OF C. EMLEN URBAN, LANCASTER’S MOST RENOWNED ARCHITECT OF THE 19TH & 20TH CENTURIES

*Gregory J. Scott, FALA, Presenter
Christine Wiker, Coordinator*

EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND THE WEST: HISTORY AS A PATH TO THE PRESENT

*Dr. Saulius Suziedelis, Presenter
Dr. Marjorie Warmkessel, Coordinator*

PRACTICING ARTISTS ON THE VISUAL ARTS

Dr. Helena Tuleya-Payne, Coordinator

10:35 to 10:55 a.m. Break. Join us for coffee & cookies in the auditorium.

Hinduism in America: A Convergence of Worlds
Dr. Jeffery Long, Presenter

Urban Legend: The Untold Story Behind the Making of the Book!

The Peoples of the “Lands Between:” Eastern Europe as Historical Reality and Myth

Plein Air: Painting the Landscape from Observation
Lou Shellenberg, Presenter

Changing Trends Among Young People: What We Lose and What We Take On
Rev. Amy Shorner Johnson, Presenter

1886 – 1894: J Martin, Southern Market, Wagner Café, Mansions

Eastern Europe Becomes an American Crisis: World War I and Its Aftermath

What I Paint and Why
Jerome Hershey, Presenter

Walter Brueggemann: A Prophetic Imagination That Abandons Religious Left and Right
Dr. Conrad Kanagy, Presenter

1898 – 1904: Watt & Shand, St James, Fulton Theater, Stevens HS

World War II in the Bloodlands: Ukraine and Eastern Europe as Zones of Destruction

Painting Lancaster City
PJ Gilman, Presenter

Welcome to ‘America’s Refugee Capital’: Perspectives of Faith Communities that Welcome Refugees in Lancaster County
Rev. Naomi Kraenbring, Presenter

1905 - 1911: Malone, Grace Lutheran, Bausman, Schutte, Hager

Europe Rebuilt and Divided: The Cold War, NATO, and America as a Global Power

Renaissance Art
Fred Rodger, Presenter

Religious Pluralism in Eighteenth-Century Lancaster County
Dr. Steven Nolt, Presenter

1912 – 1921: K Johnson, Trust Building, St Paul’s, Fulton School, Harold’s

The Wall Comes Down: The Collapse of a Superpower and the Emergence of a New Europe

Interwoven: Painting and Thread
Heidi Leitzke, Presenter

Religious Voices in Politics 2024
Dr. Fletcher McClellan, Presenter

1922 – 1937: Wohlsen, Reynolds, Griest, City Hall, Swanger Residence

The Russian Invasion of Ukraine: A Return to the Past?

Thresholds and Visibility
John Tronsor, Presenter

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- AMERICAN ACTIVISTS
 - HISTORY OF JOURNALISM
 - SHORT STORY DISCUSSION GROUP*
 - THE COSMOS

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- RELIGIOUS VOICES IN AMERICA
 - URBAN LEGEND
 - EASTERN EUROPE
 - THE VISUAL ARTS



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