

SKIDMORE ENCORE

2023

A survey of liberal studies presentations by Skidmore College faculty for adult learners

Lecture Schedule

September 26

10:15am – 11:10am

WORDS AT PLAY

Einstein and Modern Poetry

Maggie Greaves, Associate Professor of English

October 3

10:15am – 11:10am

THE GROUND WE STAND ON

Soil Counts: A National Scale Effort to Map Soil Carbon for Regenerative Agriculture and Climate

Kristofer Covey, Assistant Professor of Environmental Studies and Sciences

11:25am – 12:20pm

How Cities, Cars, and the Border Wall Shape Ecologies of Protected Natural Areas

Josh Ness, Associate Professor of Biology

October 10

10:15am – 11:10am

(RE)CONSTRUCTING COMMUNITY

Making North Broadway Shorter: The Skidmore-Saratoga Consulting Partnership

Colleen Burke, Executive in Residence of Management and Business

11:25am – 12:20pm

Plagioclase, Pots, and People: How Archaeologists Use Science to Study Life in Ancient Greece

Janelle Sadarananda, Visiting Assistant Professor of Classics

October 17

ART AND TECHNOLOGY

10:15am – 11:10am

Talking with the Dead: Art, AI, and Memory
Sarah Sweeney, Associate Professor of Art

11:25am – 12:20pm

Do Robots Dream of Electric Audiences?: Robot Theater from Fiction to Reality
Dennis Schebetta, Assistant Professor of Theater

October 24

FOOD FOCUS

10:15am – 11:10am

The Importance of Protein Intake on Muscle Quality During Aging
Chris Kotarsky, Visiting Assistant Professor of Health and Human Physiological Sciences

11:25am – 12:20pm

Food for the Future: Stories from the Alternative Agro-Food Movement
John Brueggemann, Professor of Sociology

October 31

CULTURAL IMAGINATION & POPULISM

10:15am – 11:10am

A Crazy Funny History
Beck Krefting, Professor of American Studies

11:25am – 12:20pm

Is Populism a Political Philosophy?
William Lewis, Professor of Philosophy

November 7

THINGS ARE NOT AS THEY APPEAR

10:15am – 11:10am

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Dennis Schebetta, Assistant Professor of Theater