



Kinder Institute on Constitutional Democracy

University of Missouri

Society of Fellows 2016 Summer Seminar Schedule

Wednesday, August 10th:

Check-in: 3:00-4:00 The Tiger Hotel Lobby

Check in to your room at the Front Desk on the main floor of the Lobby. Pick up Registration Packet and meal per diems from Dr. Conklin at the Society of Fellows Table on the 2nd Floor of the Lobby by 4:00 p.m.

Seminar 1: 4:15-4:45 The Black and Gold Room
Overview: *Journal on Constitutional Democracy*

Group Picture: 4:50 The Tiger Hotel Lobby Staircase (Business Attire)

Reception: 5:00-5:45 The Vault at The Tiger Hotel

Dinner: 6:00-8:00 The Kinder Institute (410 Jesse Hall)
Keynote Lecture, “Brexit: Constitutional Democracy in Action?”
by Dr. Jay Sexton, History

Thursday, August 11th:

Breakfast: 7:00 - 9:00 The Tiger Hotel (The Black & Gold Room will be open)

Seminar 2: 9:00 - 10:10 Dr. Carli Conklin, Law
The Pursuit of Happiness as an Unalienable Right

Break: 10:10 – 10:30

Seminar 3: 10:30 – 11:40 Dr. Dennis Trout, Classical Studies
What Made Rome So Great?
The Historian Polybius on the Roman Constitution

Lunch: 11:40 – 1:20 The District

Seminar 4: 1:30 – 2:40 Dr. Adam Seagrave, Political Science
The Meaning of “all men are created equal”

Break: 2:40 – 3:00

Seminar 5: 3:00 – 4:10 Dr. Thomas Kane, Kinder Institute
“The United States themselves are essentially the greatest poem”: Whitman and the Poetics of Democracy

Dinner: 5:30 - Glenn’s Café at The Tiger Hotel

Friday, August 12th:

Breakfast 7:00 – 9:00 The Tiger Hotel (The Black & Gold Room will be open)

Seminar 6: 9:00 – 10:10 Dr. Justin Dyer, Political Science
Political Philosophy and the Declaration of Independence

Break: 10:10 – 10:30

Seminar 7: 10:30 – 11:40 Dr. Marvin Overby, Political Science
An Introduction to Alexis de Tocqueville

Lunch: 11:40 – 1:20 The District

Seminar 8: 1:30 – 2:40 Dr. Jay Dow, Political Science
Federalist and Anti-Federalist Republican Visions:
Virtue, the Good, and Tyranny

Break: 2:40 – 3:00

Seminar 9: 3:00 – 4:10 Dr. John Wigger, History
Democratization of American Religion between
the American Revolution and the Civil War

Dinner: 5:15 – 7:45 Broadway Brewery, 816 E. Broadway (Meet in Tiger Lobby)

Seminar 10: 8:00 - Dr. Jeff Pasley, History
Film Critique and Discussion: *1776*
Location: Kinder Institute (410 Jesse Hall)

Saturday, August 13th:

Breakfast: 7:00 – 9:00 The Tiger Hotel (The Black & Gold Room will be open)

Seminar 11: 9:00 – 10:30 Dr. Jeff Milyo, Economics
Dirty Secrets: The Role of Money in American Politics

Break: 10:30 – 10:40

Seminar 12: 10:40 – 11:30 Dr. Carli Conklin and Dr. Thomas Kane
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