

**REVISION: Humanities Institute Weekly Digest: 11/18 - 11/25**

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**\*Sorry for the second digest post today, but apparently the photos did not show up in the original. Apologies! This one has the attached photos.\***

Greetings Affiliates,

Below, please find this week's bulletin of humanities events at OSU. More information about Institute and Center events can be found at <https://huminst.osu.edu/events>, and the full calendar of humanities events is posted at <https://huminst.osu.edu/humanities-events-osu>. If you're aware of any scheduled events that aren't yet on that calendar, please let us know!

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# Humanities Weekly Digest

## Humanities Institute's Spotlights of the Week:



**Center for Ethnic Studies: INTERNMENT- Now and Then  
November 18, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.**

## Abstract

In September of 2018, the number of migrant children in detention reached a new peak of almost 12,800. While this number has decreased, the Trump administration recently issued an administrative rule allowing for the indefinite detention of children with their families. This roundtable seeks to understand these events historically, through a discussion of previous instances of mass detention targeting racialized groups. Speakers will consider the experiences of interment of American Indians and Japanese-Americans alongside contemporary children and family detention and will invite the audience to reflect on how race, gender, and indigeneity illuminate the logic of confinement at play. This event is free and open to the public. The event will take place TODAY (November 18) from 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. at Hagerty Hall room 180. *This event is co-sponsored by the Institute for Democratic Engagement and Accountability and the Center for Ethnic and Human Values.*

## Bio

Speakers: Natalie Cisneros, PhD (Seattle University), Lynn Itagaki, PhD (University of Missouri), Addie C. Rolnick, JD (University of Nevada)

The Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies Presents

## CMRS FILM SERIES

AUTUMN 2019:

## Revolutionary England

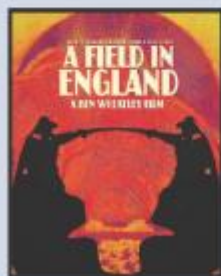
September 5:

**CROMWELL (1970)**

October 3:

**TO KILL A KING (2003)**

October 31:

**WITCHFINDER GENERAL (1968)**

November 21:

**A FIELD IN ENGLAND (2013)**

7pm in Hagerty Hall 198A ~ Free & Open to the Public  
 Post-Film Discussion w/Dr. Chris Highley ~ Pizza & Soda!  
 For more info visit: [go.osu.edu/filmseriesAu19](https://go.osu.edu/filmseriesAu19)



**Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies: “Revolutionary England” Film Series- A Field in England (2013) November 21, 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.**

The Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies invites you to attend a free film screening of *A Field in England*. This film is part of ongoing “Revolutionary England” film series. This event will include a post-film discussion with Dr. Chris Highley. Pizza and soda will be provided as well.

In terms of location, the film screening will be held in **Hagerty Hall room 198 from 7:00 p.m. until 9:30 p.m.** For more information, please visit [go.osu.edu/filmseriesAU19](https://go.osu.edu/filmseriesAU19)



**Center for the Study of Religion: Religions of the World Past and Present  
2019-2020 Community Lecture Series featuring  
Gregory E. Hitzhusen  
November 21, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**

**“Religion and the Environment: How Faith Communities are Caring for Our  
Common Home in Columbus and Beyond”**

### **Abstract**

Faith communities in Ohio and beyond have been working in support of environmental sustainability, and some of the best examples of this nationwide have happened right here in central Ohio. From engagement in food security and food justice issues to addressing climate change and caring for the ecological integrity of religiously owned land, helpful models of creation care have been fostered in faith communities. One recent example is the Facilities Office of the Columbus Diocese, which recently won AEP Ohio's 2019 Energy Efficiency Champion Award for wide-scale projects in diocesan schools and churches that are now saving over \$700,000 dollars per year in energy costs, with significant carbon emissions reductions. Other examples include the award-winning food security and racial equity work centered around Seminary Hill Farm at the Methodist Theological School in Ohio, and the vision for environmental justice of Ohio Interfaith Power and Light. Data about the widespread sustainability efforts of faith communities have been hard for scholars to capture, but Dr. Hitzhusen and many collaborators are developing an online database and clearinghouse that highlights the work of local faith communities and makes resources and tools for sustainability in local communities more accessible. Pope Francis's 2015 environmental encyclical, *Laudato Si'*, called for a global ecological conversion of mind and heart, bolstered by action, and this lecture will highlight how local faith communities are creatively fulfilling that call, with links to resources that can help communities and individuals engage more deeply.

**Dr. Greg Hitzhusen** is Assistant Professor of Professional Practice of Religion, Ecology and Sustainability in the School of Environment and Natural Resources at Ohio State. His forthcoming online book: *Religion and Environmental Values in America* explores the many facets of faith community engagement in sustainability. He was the founding executive director and later board chair of Ohio Interfaith Power and Light, and previously worked as Land Stewardship Specialist for the Eco-Justice Programs of the National Council of Churches and as an Associate for the National Religious Partnership for the Environment. In addition to his statewide sustainability work with faith

communities, he is currently consulting with the Creation Care Team of the Catholic Diocese of Columbus to support sustainability efforts in the diocese's 105 churches and 53 schools. Dr. Hitzhusen is former Vice-Chair of the Environmental Justice Section of the Ecological Society of America and currently serves as a member of the Steering Team for the Center for Ethics and Human Values at Ohio State.

In terms of location, this lecture will take place on **November 21** from **7:00 p.m.** until **8:30 p.m.** at the **St. Thomas More Newman Center**. *This lecture is co-sponsored by the Center for the Study of Religion and the School of Environment and Natural Resources at The Ohio State University and the Office of Social Concerns of the Catholic Diocese of Columbus.*



### **Center for Folklore Studies: Monthly Lunch November 22, 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

Whether you want to find out more about folklore at OSU or just want to relax with a group of fun-loving folklorists, please join us for food and conversation periodically through the year in the Center for Folklore Studies. All interested students, staff, faculty, and friends are welcome! This monthly lunch event will take place on **November 22** from **12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.** at the **Folklore Archives** located at **218 Ohio Stadium**.

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## **Weekly Event Listing:**

**November 18, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.**

[Old French Reading Group](#)

455 Hagerty Hall

Sponsored by the Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies

**November 18, 4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.**

Symposium: [Internment Now and Then](#)

Hagerty Hall, room 180

Sponsored by the Center for Ethnic Studies

**November 19, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.**[Concert and Conversation with Andrés Ramírez](#)

Ramsayer Hall, room 100

Sponsored by Abya Yala Student Organization; Department of Spanish & Portuguese; Center for Latin American Studies; University Libraries in connection with the K'acha Willaykuna Humanities Collaboration and Knowledge Equity Working Group; Department of Linguistics; Department of French & Italian; Center for Languages, Literatures & Cultures; EMIC Graduate Student Interest Group for Expressive Culture.

**November 21, 2:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.**Reading Group: ["This Decoloniality"](#)

Fine Arts Library, room 038L

Organized by K'acha Willaykuna: Andean and Amazonian Indigenous Arts and Humanities Collaboration, funded by the Global Arts and Humanities Discovery Theme

**November 21, 4:30 p.m.**[Lewis Hyde, Visiting Scholar Talk](#)

Wexner Center Film and Video Theater

Sponsored by the OSU Department of Art's Living Culture Initiative

**November 21, 7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.**[CMRS Film Series: Revolutionary England](#)

Hagerty Hall, room 198A

Sponsored by the Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies

**November 21, 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.**CSR Community Lecture: [Greg Hitzhusen \(SENR\)](#)

St. Thomas More Newman Center

Sponsored by the Center for the Study of Religion

**November 22, 2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.**[Medieval Latin Reading Group](#)

455 Hagerty Hall

Sponsored by the Center for Medieval and Renaissance Studies

**November 22, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.**[SPPO Colloquium Series: Artist's Talk](#)

Hagerty Hall, 255

Sponsored by the Center for Latin American Studies, Department of Spanish and Portuguese, Spanish and Portuguese Colloquium Series, Advanced Computing Center for the Arts and Design, Livable Futures, and the Global Arts and Humanities Discovery Theme.

**November 25, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.**[Old French Reading Group](#)

455 Hagerty Hall

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