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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28TH

11:00AM-1:15PM CDT

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SCHEDULE

11-11:05AM: INTRODUCTORY REMARKS (PROF. KATHRYN CIANCIA)

11:05-11:35AM: THE UPPER MIDWEST AND U.S. HISTORIES

- **Julia Derzay** (Prof. McCoy) | “An Arsenal of Progressivism: How Familial Bonds Made and Broke the La Follette Political Dynasty, 1924-1953”
- **Raynee Hamilton** (Prof. Glotzer) | “Shaped by Segregation: the Creation of the Minneapolis Sound, 1975-1979”
- **Max Herteen** (Prof. Stern) | “North Division: Education Reform at Milwaukee's Most Prominent High School (1960-2021)”
- **Adam Storch** (Prof. Plummer) | “Tear Gas and Broken Glass: Policing, Protesting, and the New Left in 1960s Madison”

11:35AM-12:05PM: SYSTEMS OF RULE

- **Mathew Attipetty** (Prof. Cullinane) | “Senile Culpability: The Economics and Politics behind the Failure and Fall of the Suharto Regime”
- **Evan Lee** (Prof. Bloch) | “For Fatherland, Führer, and Fortune: Forced Labor and the Internal Politics of National Socialism”
- **Wenzhe Teng** (Prof. Kinzley) | “Agent of Economic Reform: Bureaucrats in Guangdong, 1978-1989”
- **Zidu Xu** (Prof. Stolz) | “Popular Imperialism: British Creditors after Ottoman Default in 1875”

12:05-12:15PM: BREAK

12:15-12:40PM: REIMAGINING NATIONAL NARRATIVES

- **Kendall Allen** (Profs. Ipsen and Brantly) | “Fascism through the Eyes of Swedish Neutrality and Norwegian Occupation: Stig Dagerman’s The Snake (1945) and Sigurd Hoel’s Meeting at the Milestone (1947)”
- **Thomas Miller** (Prof. Gómez) | “Liberal Revolution or Elitist Revision? Positivist Reform and Historical Liberalization in Reforma Guatemala, 1830-1885”
- **Ben Novack** (Prof. McDonald) | “Perspective and Purpose: The Changing Views of British Football Stadiums from 1923-2018”

12:40-1:10PM: THE U.S. IN THE WORLD

- **Isabelle Cook** (Prof. Ratner-Rosenhagen) | “‘In the long run we are all dead’: Keynes, FDR, and the Struggle for Planned Prosperity”
- **Henry Dern** (Profs. Iber and Schweber) | “Shifting the Balance of Power? The American Presidency, Congress and the War Powers Resolution of 1973”
- **Alyssa Hamrick** (Prof. Ciancia) | “From Katyn to ‘Katynism’: The United States Congressional Investigation of the Katyn Massacre, 1951-1952”
- **Paul Sagraves** (Prof. Hirsch) | “War without Ideology? The First Battles of the Cold War, 1918-1919”

1:10-1:15PM: CONCLUDING REMARKS (PROF. KATHRYN CIANCIA)