We’re continuing to program virtual events and opportunities here at MSU C4I through Spring 2022. If you’re interested in giving a virtual webinar or presentation, please email Dr. Stephanie E. Vasko (C4I Managing Director) at vaskoste@msu.edu.

We Need YOUR Help!: MSU C4I Website Survey

We here at MSU C4I are working on updating our website. If you have a few minutes to spare, please take our survey which can be found here.

2021 University Interdisciplinary Colloquium w/ Dr. Tacuma Peters

"The Afterlives of Ottobah Cugoano"

Dr. Tacuma Peters
James Madison College, Dept. of Philosophy

10-29-2021
12PM-1PM EDT via Zoom
Zoom Link: https://msu.zoom.us/j/96411904159
Passcode: msuc4i

This talk will examine the thought of radical abolitionist Ottobah Cugoano (c. 1757 - 1791?) and its reverberations through the past two centuries. It will focus on the relevance of Cugoano’s thought for the twenty-first century including tracing the historical development of the communities of which he was a part.

SAVE THE DATES: 2021 University Interdisciplinary Colloquium

Every other Friday starting 9-17-2021
12PM-1PM via Zoom
Zoom Link: https://msu.zoom.us/j/96411904159
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The University Interdisciplinary Colloquium celebrates excellence in interdisciplinary research that involves humanities or arts partners. Presentations are live delivered by accomplished interdisciplinary scholars and engage a broad audience. The colloquium features interdisciplinary talks on a wide range of perspectives within the arts, as well as from outside the university.

11/05/2021 - Laura Yares (Religious Studies) & Betsy Sneller (Languages, and Cultures)
11/19/2022 - Stephen Di Benedetto (Theatre)

Dr. Megan Halpern on BBC4's Women's Hour

Dr. Megan Halpern (C4I Scholar-in-Residence) recently discussed her work on experience, trust, and science communication on BBC4's Women's Hour. You can listen to it here:

Dr. Ike Iyoke to Present on Panel at Africa Centers for Disease Control (ACDC) Webinar

Dr. Ike Iyioke (C4I Postdoc) will be participating as a panelist in a two-day Africa Centers for Disease Control (ACDC) Webinar workshop centered on research ethics during epidemics with a focus on African values and One Health on October 27-28, 2021. Iyioke’s panel will be discussing “Ethics, research design, and collaboration.” More information about the workshop can be found here:

New Article from Dr. Thomas Reydon

Dr. Thomas Reydon (C4I Visiting Fellow, 2018 & 2019) recently published an article titled "The proper role of history in evolutionary explanations" in Nous. This article can be found at:

Engaged Philosophy Internship Program (EPIP) Presentations

The Engaged Philosophy Internship Program (EPIP) is hosting a panel via Zoom on 10/29 from 2-4 PM. This panel will feature updated info about EPIP, as well as presentations from Kathleen Lowenstein and Jeramy Neefus.