



MSU C4I Weekly Newsletter April 5, 2021

C4I News & Events

We're continuing to program virtual events and opportunities here at MSU C4I through Spring & Summer 2021. If you are interested in giving a virtual webinar or presentation, please email Dr. Stephanie E. Vasko (C4I Managing Director) at vaskoste@msu.edu.

2021 University Interdisciplinary Colloquium

"Is Persistent Disagreement a Reason to Distrust?"

David Godden (Dept. of Philosophy)

4/16/2021, 12PM-1PM

Zoom Link: <https://msu.zoom.us/j/98504663406>

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Public discourse, especially about policy, has increasingly become characterized by disagreement, polarization, incivility, and, ultimately, distrust among disagreeers. Normally, disagreement is addressed through the public exchange of reasons in civil argumentation. Yet, distrust is itself a barrier to reasonable argumentation and the rational resolution of disagreement. In this talk, I ask: Is the mere persistence of disagreement a good reason to distrust our disagreeers? The answer, I argue, is "No." In making this case, I offer disagreeers reasons to be more charitable and patient with each other, and to thereby re-establish a modicum of normalcy and civility in public discourse.



2021 University Interdisciplinary Colloquium

**Every other Friday starting 1-29-2021
12PM-1PM via Zoom**

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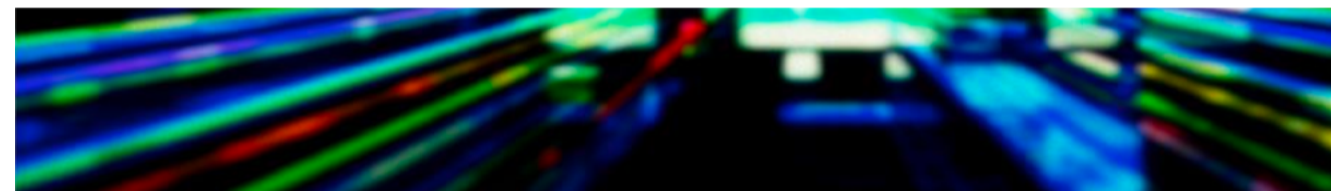
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The University Interdisciplinary Colloquium celebrates excellence in interdisciplinary research that involves humanists or artists as partners. Presentations will be delivered by accomplished interdisciplinary scholars who are engaged in work that integrates a wide variety of perspectives, including the full range of perspectives within the university as well as those from outside the university.

Below you'll find our draft Spring 2021 schedule, stay tuned for more info!



University Interdisciplinary Colloquium Spring 2021



04/16/21 — David Godden (Philosophy)

Save The Date: Artist Mixer on 4/22 from 5-6PM

The College of Arts and Letters Dean's Arts Advisory Council is hosting our first Arts Mixer, "Mixed Media." This is a chance for fellow artists (and their collaborators) to get together and converse about the arts scene on and off-campus and look for possible synergies or collaborations on future projects. This event will be virtual, join us on 4/22 from 5-6PM on <https://spatial.chat/s/artmixer>

If you'd like your art/creative works featured at the mixer, please email vaskoste@msu.edu for information!



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