

Current Issues Lecture & Discussion – Spring 2023

THURSDAYS 10:45 – 12 noon

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Date	Topic and Speaker
Feb. 9	<i>Making Schools Work!</i> Roberta Golinkoff, Unidel H. Rodney Sharp professor; Francis Alison professor psychology, linguistics & cognitive science, University of Delaware
Feb. 16	100 ways to use a treadmill: how robotics can promote post-stroke gait rehabilitation Jill Higginson, professor mechanical engineering, director institute for engineering driven health, University of Delaware
Feb. 23	Changes in Delaware & vicinity's bird life over the last several years Ian Stewart, Delaware Nature Center ornithologist
Mar. 2	Critical race theory and the censorship of history Bruce Morrissey, OLLI instructor; retired from the University of Delaware research office & as DuPont corporate counsel
Mar. 9	Our sense of time and how it was affected by Covid Philip Gable, associate professor psychology & brain science, University of Delaware
Mar. 16	Populism in Latin America Julio Carrion, associate professor political science and international relations, University of Delaware
Mar. 23	Maroon communities and rebellion in Virginia's Dismal Swamp Kathryn Benjamin Golden, assistant professor Africana studies, University of Delaware
Apr. 6	Genetics, synthetic biology, and the bioeconomy: looking to the century of biology Nancy Connell, senior scientist, board on life sciences, US National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine
Apr. 13	Social media Lindsay Hoffman, associate professor communication University of Delaware, and students
Apr. 20	Immune system overview: innate immunity Amy Vollmer, Isaac H. Clothier professor emerita of biology, Swarthmore College
Apr. 27	To be determined
May 4	To be determined Kyle Emich, associate professor management, Lerner college of business and economics, University of Delaware
May 11	Affordable housing and homelessness Ann M. Aviles, associate professor, department of human development & family sciences, University of Delaware