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2011 LECTURE SERIES 2012

September 7

Peter Boettke, Ph.D.

BB&T Professor for the Study of Capitalism, George Mason University

In the Wake of the Financial Crisis

September 21

Darren Staloff, Ph.D.

Professor of History, City College of New York

Constitution Day Lecture

***Federalism: The Fulfillment of the
Politics of Enlightenment***

October 12

**Civitas Forum on Principles and Policies for
Public Life**

Exceptionalism and the American Creed

Richard Samuelson, Ph.D., 8:30 a.m.

Assistant Professor of History, California State University, San Bernardino

Michael Ledeen, Ph.D., 9:30 a.m.

Freedom Scholar, The Foundation for Defense of Democracies

Matthew Spalding, Ph.D., 10:30 a.m.

Vice President for American Studies, The Heritage Foundation

Kiron Skinner, Ph.D., 11:30 a.m.

*Associate Professor and Director, Center for International Relations and
Politics, Carnegie Mellon University*

October 19

Christopher Tollefsen, Ph.D.

Professor of Philosophy, University of South Carolina

***Pure Paternalism and Private Self-Regarding Acts:
The Limits of Perfectionism***

November 16

J.D. Foster

*Norman B. Ture Senior Fellow in the Economics of Fiscal Policy, The
Heritage Foundation*

*All Lectures will be held in the
Fred Rogers Conference Center
at 7:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted*

January 18

Daryl Charles, Ph.D.

*Director and Senior Fellow, The Bryan Institute for
Critical Thought & Practice, Bryan College*

***Between Pacifism and Real Politik: The Abiding
Relevance of the Just War Tradition***

January 25

Daniel Piccuta, J.D.

*Foreign Policy Advisor to the Commander and Launch Director of the
Pacific Outreach Directorate, U.S. Pacific Command*

The U.S.A. and China: Powers, Rivals, Partners

February 8

February 22

Micah Watson, Ph.D.

*Assistant Professor of Political Science and Director, The Center for Politics
and Religion, Union University*

***Locke's Legacy or Rousseau's Temptation?:
American Government As Creature or Creator***

March 14

Charles Holt, Ph.D.

A. Willis Robertson Professor of Political Economy, University of Virginia
Auction Design for Public Policy

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