

CURRENTS: Humanities Work Now

Spring 2024 CURRENTS Sessions

Noon to 1 p.m.
(Light lunch at 11:30 a.m.
Masks are recommended)

Dresher Center Conference
Room (PAHB 216)

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HUMANITIES

Monday, April 15

Narratives of American Political Thought

*Lisa Vetter, Political Science;
Dresher Center Residential
Faculty Research Fellow (Spring
2024)*

Wednesday, April 17

Thinking Through Garbage: Living with Climate Degradation

*Emily Yoon, English;
Dresher Center Residential
Faculty Research Fellow (Spring
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Wednesday, April 24

'Meiji Treasure Men': How Best to Tell Their Story

Julie Oakes, Honors College

AND

The Heat of a Dancer: Stories of American Dance through the Life of One Dancer

Jill Vasbinder, Dance

Monday, April 29

Daughter of the Stars: One Historian's Familial Journey through the Archives

*Courtney C. Hobson, Dresher
Center for the Humanities*

AND

'The Most Beautiful Sound': The Queer Nexus of Listening and Voice in Early Modern Italian Convent Life

*Lindsay Johnson, Senior
Lecturer, Music*