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First Contacts I: Native Americans Meet Europeans
Thu, October 1

First Contacts II: Europeans Meet Native Americans
Thu, October 8

Puritans in the New World
Thu, October 15

Debating the Declaration of Independence
Tue, October 27

Teaching The Awakening
Thu, November 5

Emerson in His Time and Ours
Thu, November 12

The Underground Railroad: Myth and Reality
Thu, November 19

American Cultural Encounters with East Asia During the Cold War
Thu, March 3

All seminars are held from 4-5:30pm (Pacific)