



LIBERAL ARTS AT WORK

Discussions with Faculty from MSU Denver about
Liberal Arts' Central Role in and for All Workplaces
Fall 2025



**Eight one-hour sessions, Tuesdays, 6:00 – 7:00 PM,
St. Cajetan's, Auraria Campus, Denver**

- September 16: WHY THE LIBERAL ARTS MATTER**
Dr. John Masserini, Professor and Dean,
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences;
Thomas Gougeon, President, Gates Family Foundation
- September 23: HISTORY: The Nature of Water, Humanness, and Work**
Dr. Matt Makley
Professor and Provost
- September 30: POLITICAL SCIENCE: Tactics of Authoritarian Populism**
Dr. Sheila Rucki
Professor, Department of Political Science
- October 7: COMMUNICATION: Dialogue at Work**
Dr. Christina Foust
Professor and Associate Chair, Communication Studies
- October 14: PHILOSOPHY: Reason at Work - Intelligence in the Age of AI**
Dr. Caleb Cohoe
Professor and Chair, Department of Philosophy
- October 21: ENGLISH: Literature and the Art of Detection**
Dr. Craig Svonkin & Dr. Cynthia Kuhn
Professors, English Department
- October 28: ANTHROPOLOGY: In Whose Honor? Approaching Difficult Histories in Polarized Times**
Dr. Joseph Feldman
Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology and Anthropology
- November 4: ARTS: Make-Believe That Makes a Difference: How Creativity and Imagination Change the World**
Dr. Carrie Colton, Associate Professor of Movement and Directing

Registration is free. Registered participants who attend at least six sessions will earn a micro-credential. A code for free parking will be provided for each registered session. For special accommodations, please contact: LAAW@msudenver.edu. Please register here: https://msudenver.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_d6IPId8odoUmGZ8

