



# Road Scholars

Florida State University's series of talks by distinguished scholars from other institutions in the Atlantic Coast Conference

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FOR: Faculty Senate colleagues

FROM: Dennis Moore  
on behalf of the Senate's Road Scholars Committee

RE: Looking ahead to **SPRING 2018**

Please mark your calendar for our next three presentations, and please help spread the word among your colleagues about them *and* about the opportunity to recommend possible speakers for the Fall. We'll invite another three knowledgeable, articulate scholars from ACC institutions, and we're continuing to schedule these presentations in conjunction with an athletic event, *like so:*

Friday, February 16      **"JFK's Dante,"**  
by **Prof. Deborah Parker,**  
Department of Spanish, Italian and Portuguese, **University of Virginia**      women's  
**1:30 p.m.** in Strozier Library's Robert Bradley Reading Room,      basketball  
followed by a reception at 2:30, there  
-- FSU's Department of Modern Languages and Linguistics is hosting her visit

Friday, March 2      **"No Permission Required: Black Women Playwrights Beyond the Great White Way,"**  
by **Prof. Kathy A. Perkins,**  
Department of Dramatic Art, **University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill**      **Rescheduled:**  
**3:00 p.m. in the Augusta Conradi Theatre, 123 WMS,**      originally she would  
followed by a reception in the Williams Courtyard      have spoken at FSU  
-- FSU's School of Theatre is hosting her visit      in mid-September,  
in conjunction with  
women's soccer.

Friday, April 20      **"The Origins of Today's Radical Right and the Crisis of Our Democracy,"**  
by **Prof. Nancy MacLean,**  
William H. Chafe Professor of History and Public Policy  
Department of History, **Duke University**      baseball  
and author of [Democracy in Chains](#)  
**1:30 p.m.** in Strozier Library's Robert Bradley Reading Room,  
followed by a reception at 2:30, there  
-- FSU's Program in Women's Studies Department is hosting her visit

More details are at <http://fla.st/FDA-RoadScholars> and scrolling down to the box with the text that begins "A series of presentations for nonspecialist audiences. . . ." and clicking, there, on "the [Faculty Senate's Road Scholars Committee](#)" leads to a *list* of the 17 scholars we've brought to the FSU campus to date.