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Greetings CMC,

The Open Academy is excited to host two Ath Tea Discussions this week. We invite you all to join us for a casual conversation with experts in their respective fields over coffee, tea, and pastries. Please see the flyers below for more details. The discussion will take place in the Ath Courtyard (map attached below).

1. Tuesday, Feb. 27 (3:30 - 4:30 PM) - ***Does the 14th Amendment Bar Trump from Being President?*** With CMC Prof. Thomas & POM Prof. Hollis-Brusky.
2. Thursday, Feb. 29 (3:15 - 4:30 PM) - ***The Suburban Crisis: White America and the War on Drugs*** With Matthew Lassiter

<div></div> <div><p><b>The Open Academy &amp; Salvatori Center presents</b></p><p>Faculty Ath Tea: <b>Does the 14th Amendment Bar Trump from Being President?</b></p><p>With CMC Prof. Thomas and POM Prof. Hollis-Brusky</p></div> <div><p><b>Join us for a discussion!</b></p><p>Join CMC Professor Thomas and Pomona Professor Hollis-Brusky for a Faculty Ath Tea to discuss whether the Constitution's insurrection clause written in the aftermath of the Civil War disqualifies Trump from being on the ballot? What are the constitutional issues around a provision of the Constitution most Americans don't know? What is the Supreme Court likely to do? What should it do? What are the broader implications for American constitutionalism?</p></div> <div><p> Ath Courtyard</p><p> Tuesday, Feb. 27 3:30 - 4:30 PM</p></div>	<div></div> <div><p><b>The Open Academy</b></p><p>Faculty Ath Tea: <b>The Suburban Crisis: White America and the War on Drugs</b></p><p>With Matthew Lassiter</p></div> <div><p><b>Join us for a discussion!</b></p><p>Join Dr. Matthew Lassiter for an Ath Tea Discussion on how politicians, the media, and grassroots suburban activists crusaded to protect white families from perceived threats while criminalizing and incarcerating urban minorities, leaving a troubling legacy of racial injustice that continues to inform the war on drugs today.</p><p>Dr. Lassiter, who is a professor at the University of Michigan, is an expert on political history, urban/suburban studies, racial and social inequality, and the history of policing and the carceral state.</p></div> <div><p> Ath Courtyard</p><p> Thursday, Feb. 29 3:15 - 4:30 PM</p></div>
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Best,

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