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Course

SUMMER 2007

PACIFIC NORTHWEST HISTORY AND LITERATURE

A PAIR OF COURSES FOR UW STUDENTS AND THE GENERAL PUBLIC

ENGL 457: "Pacific Northwest Literature"

Instructor: **Dan Lambertson**, English, Walla Walla College

HSTAA 433: "Writing the Region: A Documentary History of Pacific Northwest Identity"

Instructor: **John Findlay**, History, University of Washington

Meetings: T, W, Th: 9:40—11:20 am, Sieg 225

During Summer Quarter 2007 you can take courses in the literature and history of the Pacific Northwest that feature visits by prominent writers associated with the region. These English and history courses meet together and share most readings, but have different assignments. ENGL 457 focuses on literary texts by historical and contemporary writers associated with the Pacific Northwest. HSTAA 433 examines the emergence of regional identity through diverse texts, beginning with Native stories and tracing different phases of development. Additionally, HSTAA 433 fulfills the Pacific Northwest history requirement for secondary-school teachers.

VISITING WRITERS SUMMER 2007

All public readings listed below will be held in the **Henry Art Gallery Auditorium**.

Heather McHugh

(Poet, essayist, and translator, University of Washington)

Thursday, June 28, 2:00 pm

Debra Magpie Earling

(Novelist and Professor of Native American Studies,
University of Montana)

Wednesday, July 11, 2:00 pm

Kim Barnes

(Memoirist and Novelist, University of Idaho)

Wednesday, July 18, 2:00 pm

Robert Wrigley

(Poet and Essayist, University of Idaho)

Tuesday, July 24, 2:00 pm

Richard White

(Historian of the American West, Stanford University)

Thursday, August 2, 2:00 pm

Marilynne Robinson

(Author of *Housekeeping* and the Pulitzer Prize-winning
Gilead)

Wednesday, August 15, 7:00 pm

Classes begin June 26 and end August 16, 2007. For more information please visit or call the Department of History Undergraduate Advising Office, 318 Smith Hall, 206-543-5691, www.cspn.washington.edu or contact John Findlay at jfindlay@u.washington.edu. You can enroll online at www.summer.washington.edu.

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