

Stockton Hosts Distinguished Historian Lecture 'Afghan Modern: The History of a Global Nation'

Stanford Historian Robert D. Crews Lectures on Afghanistan March 8

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Galloway, NJ – Stockton University's History program will host Stanford Historian Robert D. Crews for its annual Distinguished Historian Lecture on **Tuesday, March 8 at 4:30 p.m** in West Quad room 103, located on the main Galloway Campus. The lecture, "Afghan Modern: The History of a Global Nation," will discuss how Afghans have engaged and connected with the world in our modern globalized age, as covered in Crews' book of the same title. The event is free and open to the public.

Crews, an associate professor of History at Stanford University, is an historian whose research and teaching interests focus on Afghanistan, Central and South Asia, Russia, Islam and global history.

He also serves as director of the Abbasi Program in Islamic Studies and director of the Mediterranean Studies Forum. His latest research project explores Shia politics in Afghanistan.

Crews has a B.A. from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, a M.A. from Columbia University and a Ph.D. in History from Princeton University.

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