

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

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### **Hillsdale College Hosts Fourth CCA Seminar of 2019-20 Academic Year**

Hillsdale, Mich – On March 1–5, Hillsdale College will host a Center for Constructive Alternatives (CCA) seminar entitled, “The Westerns of John Ford.” This fourth and final CCA of the 2019-2020 academic year will focus on the westerns of Academy Award-winning film director John Ford, and consider what they reveal about our country and ourselves.

Hillsdale College’s CCA is the sponsor of one of the largest college lecture series in America. Since the series began in 1972, more than 1,300 speakers have participated, including Ronald Reagan, Jeane J. Kirkpatrick, Steve Forbes, Kimberley Strassel, and Stephen Ambrose. [Click here](#) to visit the CCA website.

All CCA lectures are free and open to the media. All times listed are Eastern.

**WHEN: Sunday, March 1, 2020**

8:00 p.m. – Scott Eyman: “John Ford and John Wayne”

**Monday, March 2, 2020**

8:00 p.m. – Peter Bogdanovich: “John Ford as Director”

**Tuesday, March 3, 2020**

8:00 p.m. – Paul Cantor: “What Makes a Man to Wander? Understanding *The Searchers*”

**Wednesday, March 4, 2020**

8:00 p.m. – John Marini: “John Ford and America”

**Thursday, March 5, 2020**

4:00 p.m. – Faculty Roundtable

Mark A. Kalthoff, Chairman

Darryl Hart

Todd K. Mack

Ethan Stoneman

**WHERE: Searle Center**

315 N. West Street

Hillsdale, MI 49242

**WHO:**

**Scott Eyman**, Author, *Print the Legend: The Life and Times of John Ford* and *John Wayne: The Life and Legend*

**Peter Bogdanovich**, Director and Film Historian

**Paul Cantor**, University of Virginia

**John Marini**, University of Nevada, Reno

**About Hillsdale College**

Hillsdale College is an independent liberal arts college located in southern Michigan. Founded in 1844, the College has built a national reputation through its classical liberal arts core curriculum and its principled refusal to accept federal or state taxpayer subsidies, even indirectly in the form of student grants or loans. It also conducts an outreach effort promoting civil and religious liberty, including a free monthly speech digest, *Imprimis*, with a circulation of more than 5 million. For more information, visit [hillsdale.edu](http://hillsdale.edu).

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