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Hillsdale College Freedom Forum in Scottsdale Addresses “Freedom and Western Civilization”

HILLSDALE, Mich. — Hillsdale College hosted a Freedom Forum in Scottsdale, Arizona on Jan. 4-5. The two-day seminar focused on the theme “Freedom and Western Civilization” and included six lectures by three Hillsdale College faculty members. The lectures offered an introductory overview of the kind of education students receive at Hillsdale College.

The seminar took place at the Embassy Suites Scottsdale Resort. Speakers included Kevin Porteus, associate professor of politics, Charles Steele, chairman of economics, business, and accounting, and David Whalen, associate vice president for curriculum.

“The Freedom Forum in Scottsdale provided attendees with the unique opportunity to attend thought-provoking and engaging lectures by Hillsdale College professors,” said Peggy Youngs, senior director of lifelong learning. “We are grateful to our professors for the willingness to deliver these presentations.”

Hillsdale College Freedom Forums provide guests with lectures that explore the meaning of freedom from an interdisciplinary perspective. The seminars are open to the public of all ages and cost \$50 per attendee. Learn more about Hillsdale College Freedom Forums [here](#).

About Hillsdale College

Hillsdale College is an independent, nonsectarian, Christian 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 6.2 million. For more information, visit hillsdale.edu.

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