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Francis Fukuyama

The Origins of the Political Order

Fukuyama's talks will draw from his multivolume magnum opus, *The Origins of Political Order*, which *Publisher's Weekly* called a "magisterial history of the state." The first lecture will focus on his influential first volume and the second will preview his thinking for the much-anticipated next installment.

Tuesday, April 2, 2013

Lecture I

Reception following the lecture at Pierce Atrium in Wyatt Hall.

Wednesday, April 3, 2013 Lecture II

7 p.m. • Schneebeck Concert Hall Complimentary admission University of Puget Sound • Tacoma, Wash.

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FRANCIS FUKUYAMA The Origins of the Political Order



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Francis Fukuyama is the Olivier Nomellini Senior Fellow at the Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies (FSI) at Stanford University, and a resident in FSI's Center on Democracy, Development, and the Rule of Law. He joined Stanford from Johns Hopkins University's Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), where he was the Bernard L. Schwartz Professor of International Political Economy and director of the school's international development program.

Fukuyama has written widely on issues relating to democratization and international political economy. His book, *The End of History and the Last Man*, published in 1992, has appeared in more than 20 foreign editions. His most recent book, *The Origins of Political Order*, was published in 2011. Additional books include *America at the Crossroads: Democracy, Power, and the Neoconservative Legacy*, and *Falling Behind: Explaining the Development Gap between Latin America and the United States*.

Fukuyama received his bachelor's degree in classics from Cornell University, and his Ph.D. in political science from Harvard. In 1981–82 and in 1989 he was a member of the Policy Planning Staff of the U.S. Department of State, the first time as a regular member specializing in Middle East affairs, and then as deputy director for European political-military affairs. In 1981–82 he was also a member of the U.S. delegation to the Egyptian-Israeli talks on Palestinian autonomy. On three occasions, and for a total of eight years in the '80s and '90s, Fukuyama was a member of the political science department of RAND Corporation. From 1996 to 2000, he served as Omer L. and Nancy Hirst Professor of Public Policy at George Mason University's School of

Public Policy, and from 2001 to 2004 he was a member of the President's Council on Bioethics.

In 2005 Fukuyama helped found *The American Interest*, and now serves as chair of the magazine's editorial board. He is a senior fellow at Johns Hopkins SAIS Foreign Policy Institute, and a nonresident fellow at Carnegie Endowment for International Peace and the Center for Global Development. He holds honorary degrees from Connecticut College, Doane College, Doshisha University (Japan), Kansai University (Japan), Aarhus University (Denmark), and Pardee Rand Graduate School. Fukuyama is a member of the RAND Corporation board of trustees, National Endowment for Democracy board of directors, and the advisory boards for Journal of Democracy, Inter-American Dialogue, and The New America Foundation. He is a member of the American Political Science Association and Council on Foreign Relations. He is married to Laura Holmgren and has three children.

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