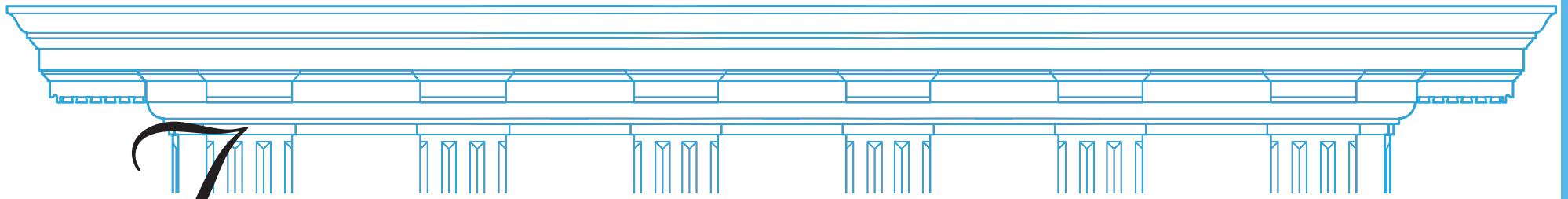


# Dean's Symposium

Presented by the Division of Humanities and Social Sciences and the Department of the Library



The symposia will feature outstanding accomplishments of our faculty, new curricula development, and events of national and international import. We look forward to fostering conversations that stimulate the intellect, introduce new perspectives, and engage our emotions.

## SPRING SEMESTER 2013

### MARCH

**Tu | 12** 2:30pm–4:00pm,  
Center for the Arts (1P), Recital Hall

**Mix/Remix: Protecting Intellectual Property & Giving Things Away Is Hard Work**

**Alan Zimmerman**, Professor, Department of Business and  
**Michael Mandiberg**, Associate Professor, Department of Media Culture.

A two-part presentation about counterfeiting, intellectual property, and Creative Commons Licenses. These experts will share their perspectives on piracy and copying in the United States and across the globe. What is originality? Legitimate synthesis? Outright theft? Participate in a lively, though-provoking discussion.

### APRIL

**Tu | 23** 2:30pm–4:20pm,  
Center for the Arts (1P), Recital Hall

**The Science, Letters, and Society (SLS) Major: From 1971 to the Present**

**Jane Coffee**, Professor, Department of Mathematics and Director of the Teacher Education Honors Academy;  
**Erika Desiano'05**, SLS Major and 4th grade teacher, PS 50;  
**Deborah DeSimone**, Associate Professor, Department of Education;  
**Francisco Soto**, Professor, Dept. of World Languages and Literatures and Director of the SLS Program;  
**David Traboulay**, Professor, Department of History and Director of the MA in Liberal Studies Program

When established in 1971, the Science, Letters, and Society program at CSI was one of the first liberal arts majors of this kind in the country. As we celebrate 40 years of the SLS program, the Dean's Symposium will highlight the accomplishments and history of this major.

### MAY

**Tu | 7** 2:30pm–4:20pm,  
Center for the Arts (1P), Recital Hall

**Happy 1st Birthday, CLACLS!**

**Jillian Baez**, Assistant Professor, Department of Media Culture;  
**Arthur Binford**, Professor, Dept. of Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work; **Sarah Pollack**, Assistant Professor, World Languages and Literatures; and **Oswaldo Zavala**, Professor, Department of World Languages and Literatures

This year, CSI celebrates the first year of the Certificate in Latin America, Caribbean, Latina/o Studies. The panel discussion of faculty research will be moderated by Professor Pollack. The symposium will increase our understanding of political, cultural, and social changes in the Caribbean and Latin American countries.

**A reception will follow each symposium. All events are CLUE certified.**

*“By appreciation, we make excellence in others our own property.”*  
—Voltaire