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**Founding Democracy - Visualizing Legitimacy:**  
A Contrastive Comparison of the Early American Republic and Weimar Germany

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**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2013**

**4:30PM-6:00PM**

**HAGERTY 451 (CONFERENCE ROOM)**



## **Volker Depkat**

Professor of American Studies/Amerikanistik  
at the University of Regensburg

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Dr. Depkat's talk focuses on the different visual strategies used to depict Washington and Hindenburg and the consequences of those differences on the subsequent success or failure of the republics they helped establish.