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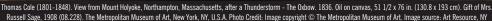
**Interdisciplinary Explorations** 

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# 2017 Idea of Nature Public Lecture Series Schedule (Flyer)

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# Interdisciplinary **Explorations**

## The Idea of Nature

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### The Series

The goal of the series is to promote interdisciplinary inquiry about the environment and to foster dialogue across the campus and community, based on the premise that big questions need interdisciplinary answers.

How are conceptions of nature expressed in the sciences, literature, art, philosophy, music and other disciplines? How did ideas of nature change from 1660 to the present, a period of radical change and revolution?

These lectures are free and open to the public and will be followed by a reception with a no-host bar and appetizers.

All events will be held in the Boise State Student Union Building. For free reception tickets please email ideaofnature@boisestate.edu. Visit scholarworks.boisestate.edu/ideaofnature for information about **free parking**, or to view or download lectures.

## The Schedule

#### Thursday, February 16, 2017 • 6 PM



**Deliberate Living: The Challenge** of Walden in the 21st Century

#### Laura Walls

Willliam P. and Hazel B. White Professor of English, History and Philosophy of Science, University of Notre Dame

#### Thursday, March 16, 2017 • 6 PM



A Tapestry of Nature: Emerging Themes of Disturbance and **Recovery from Multiple Disciplines** 

Nalini Nadkarni Professor of Biology, University of Utah

#### Thursday, April 20, 2017 • 6 PM



The Ghostly Language of the Ancient Earth: The Idea of Nature in Deep Time

#### Scott Ashley

Lecturer in Medieval History, Newcastle University, U.K.

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