



# Two-Part Presentation

## November 8th & 17th

### @12:00 pm

# in the Student Center

### ***Part I: Explōrāre: The Emergence of Indigenusness***

#### **Monday, November 8th**

An increase in documented contact during the Early Modern Period generated a host of discourses associated with exploration, conquest, empire, and the early iterations of Capitalism. These discourses established the foundation for how we understand, acknowledge, appreciate, and imagine the concept of 'Indigenusness.' In part one of this two-part lecture series, Dr. Jiménez-Murguía offers a critical analysis of how the concept of Indigenusness emerges and its implications as a category of identity today.

### ***Part II: Invēstīgātio: From Subject to Object***

#### **Thursday, November 17th**

After institutionalizing the concept of Indigenusness, its treatment shifts from exploration to an investigation; specifically rendering Indigenusness as an item of investigation and later exploitation. In part two of this two-part lecture series, Dr. Jiménez-Murguía offers an analysis of how people that were once *subject* are transformed into *object*.

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