Dr. Gimbel, author of *Einstein’s Jewish Science: Physics at the Intersection of Politics and Religion*, will examine the Nazi ideological war against what they considered the heresy of “Jewish Science.” The theories of Jewish thinkers like Albert Einstein were condemned by the Nazis because of their reputed “Jewish character.” Dr. Gimbel is an Associate Professor and Chairperson of the Philosophy Department. He currently holds the Johnson Chair for Distinguished Teaching in the Humanities at Gettysburg where his research focuses on the foundations of science (particularly Einstein’s theory of relativity) and the relationship between science, politics, and religion. He has also written on the philosophical implications of the Grateful Dead and on the philosophy of humor in light of his experiences as an amateur stand-up comedian.

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