

# “Integrating Liberal Arts and STEM to Tackle Wicked Problems”

Public Talk by

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4:45 - 6:00 p.m.  
Grand Reading Room  
(Ikeda 400)**

This talk makes a case for broadening the boundaries of how we define area and language studies to include science and engineering (STEM). Integrating cultural understanding into STEM discipline curricula develops the culturally and linguistically competent global citizens who can tackle today’s complex global “wicked” problems, like poverty, climate change, and food insecurity.



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