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PUBLIC HISTORIAN TO LECTURE ON PUEBLO REVOLT OF 1680

Silver City, NM – The Western New Mexico University Millennium III Honors program is hosting a public lecture on the Pueblo Revolt of 1680 on Tuesday, April 5 at 7:00 p.m. in the Global Resource Center Auditorium. A question and answer period will follow the lecture.

Dr. Stefanie Beninato, a public historian for over 30 years, will explore the topic of the Pueblo Revolt, an incident she describes as a seminal event of New Mexico history. The revolt is said to have created the puebloan cultures that exist today.

Beninato, a 36-year resident of New Mexico, received her doctorate in US West and US Modern History from the University of New Mexico in 1995. She has worked on projects ranging from the 17th to the 21st century on topics such as water and land use, architectural and historic preservation issues, genealogy and other public policy questions.

Besides doing research, Beninato gives lectures and cultural tours. She has been an adjunct lecturer at UNM and the College of Santa Fe.

The WNMU Millennium III Honors Program and the New Mexico Humanities Council sponsor the lecture. For more information, please contact 575-538-6085.



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