

here at STONY BROOK - Monday, Jan. 31, 1983

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University of New York at Stony Brook through the University Distinguished Lecture Series. These seven lectures, free and open to the public, are being sponsored by the Office of the Provost. Dr. Carl Rheins, assistant to Provost Homer Neal, has been helping prepare for this important series. Dr. Rheins, briefly tell us who some of the lecturers will be.

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