

The Provost's Forums on the Public University and the Social Good

Friday, February 22, 2013

Making the "People's University": Exploring the Civic Mission of Public Land Grant Universities and Cooperative Extension

What is the civic mission of the **land grant university**? What changes in university practices are needed to better fulfill the land grant civic mission in the coming years? This half-day symposium examines these enduring questions in the context of the current crisis facing all public universities.



Presenters, from left: **Lawrence Busch**, Professor of Sociology, Michigan State University; **Rose Hayden-Smith**, 4-H Youth, Family and Community Development Advisor, University of California Cooperative Extension; **James Lapsley**, Adjunct Associate Professor of Viticulture and Enology, University of California, Davis; **Scott J. Peters**, Professor of Cultural Foundations of Education and Co-Director of Imagining America, Syracuse University.

Symposium:

1:10 to 5:30 p.m.

Multi-Purpose Room

Student Community Center

Reception to Follow:

5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

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