



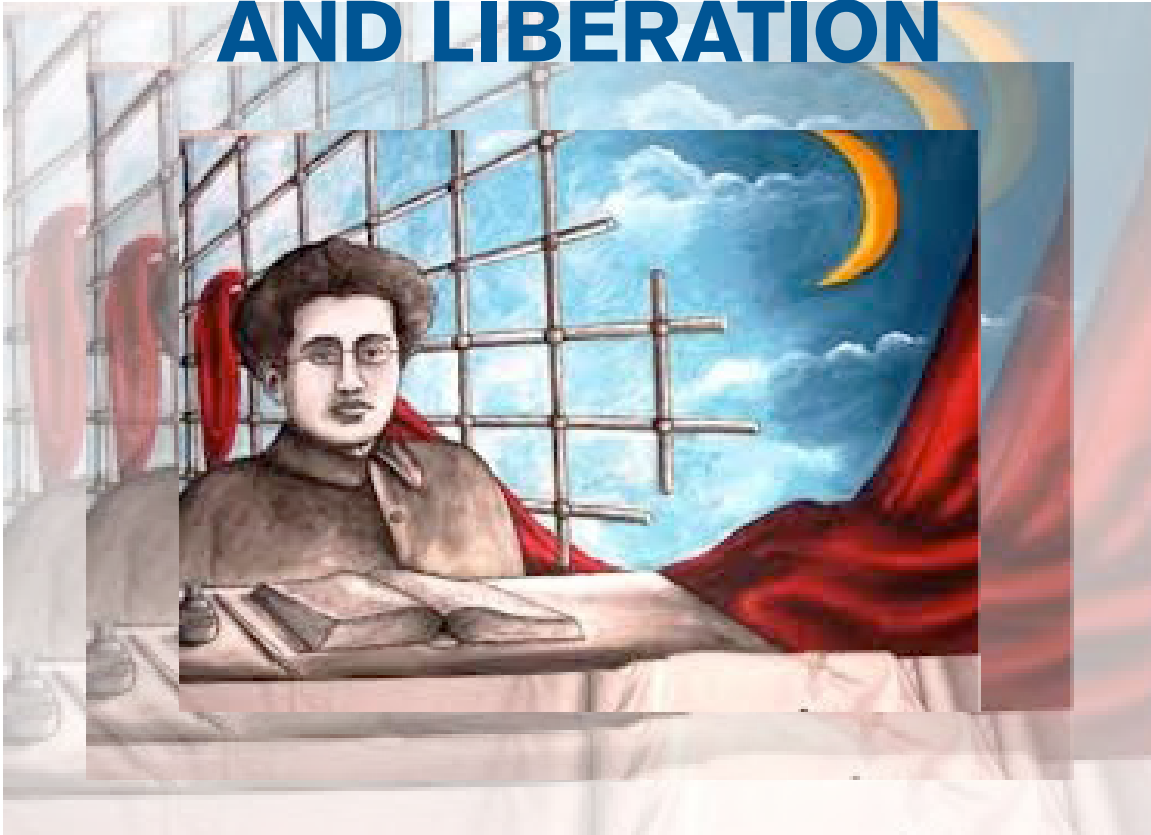
27th Annual Academic Senate DISTINGUISHED FACULTY AWARD LECTURE

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SOCIAL CLASS, EDUCATION, AND LIBERATION



Wealth and income inequality affect all aspects of a person's life including one's health and educational experience. Education is often touted as the solution to inequality. Although earning a college degree might help some specific individuals move up the social ladder, the systemic nature of inequality will ensure that many people will still be poor. An education that truly provides the students with the tools to empower them to critically think is the first step to liberation. Through a careful analysis of the roots of the problem of inequality, members of society can come to an understanding of the true conditions that they live under and apply this knowledge to work to bring forth a more just and equal society.

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Tuesday, October 29, 2013 • Kreider Hall (SR138) • 12:20 - 1:30pm

*Senate reception at 1:30 pm in the J. Walter Smith Student Center
All faculty and staff are welcome*