Saturday, September 25

Closing Reception and Dinner will be in Lewis-Sebring, Valentine Hall

6:00 pm. - **RECEPTION**
7:00 pm. - **DINNER**

All sessions are open to the public. Spaces at dinner and lunches are limited, those interested in attending should be in touch with Hadley Arkes. We will try to accommodate as many as we can.

Information on the American Founding Colloquium events can be found at: https://www.amherst.edu/academiclife/colloquia/americanfounding/comingevents
# Colloquium on the American Founding

## Friday, September 24

- **6:00 pm. - Reception**  
  (Lewis-Sebring, Valentine Hall)

- **7:00 pm. - Dinner**  
  (Lewis-Sebring, Valentine Hall)

- **7:45 pm. - Remarks**  
  - Hadley Arkes and  
  - Doug Neff '70

## Saturday, September 25

**All sessions on Saturday will take place in the Friedmann Room, Keefe Campus Center**

- **9:15 am. - Introductions**

- **9:30 am. - Robert Faulkner**  
  Professor of Political Science at Boston College  
  "Does a Democracy Have a Place for the 'Great-Souled' Man"?

- **11:00 am.**

  - Matt Flavin '02  
    Director of Veterans and Wounded Warrior Policy  
    "Two Former Students in Iraq--and Two Separate Paths"

- **2:00 pm. - John Baker**  
  Dale E. Bennett Professor of Law, Louisiana State University  
  "The Constitutional Challenge of Obamacare"

- **3:15 pm - Victor Canto**  
  Founder and Chairman of La Jolla Economics  
  "Obamanomics: a Critical Perspective"

## Saturday, September 25

- **12:15 pm. - Lunch**  
  Noah Silverman '92  
  Director of Congressional Relations, Republican Jewish Coalition  
  "A View of the Political Landscape from Capitol Hill"

- **2:00 pm. - John Baker**

- **3:15 pm - Victor Canto**