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Professor Emeritus to Speak on the Code Duello in East Alabama as Part of Discover Auburn Series

AUBURN – Dr. Bert Hitchcock will present a lecture entitled “Dead or Alive: The Code Duello in East Alabama” Wednesday Jan. 21 at 3:00 pm in the Special Collections and Archives Department of the Ralph Brown Draughon Library as part of the Discover Auburn series.

Hitchcock is professor emeritus in English. He specializes in 19th-century American literature and Southern literature, with additional interest in short story and nature writing.

Discover Auburn is a year-long series that features programs on research, history, and other topics of interest by Auburn faculty, staff, and graduates. The series will continue on Feb. 18 with a lecture by Dr. Susana Morris entitled "Bearing Witness: The Role of the Griot in Africana Literature".

A reception will follow Hitchcock’s program. The Discover Auburn series is co-sponsored by the Caroline Marshall Draughon Center for the Arts and Humanities in the College of Liberal Arts at Auburn University and the Auburn University Libraries. For more information on the program and the series, contact the Caroline Marshall Draughon Center at 334-844-4946.

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