

# The 13<sup>th</sup> Annual Celebration of Scholarship Luncheon

*Prophets of the Posthuman:  
American Fiction, Biotechnology, and the Ethics of Personhood*

Friday, April 17, 2015, from 12:00-1:30 p.m.

Henry West Banquet Room

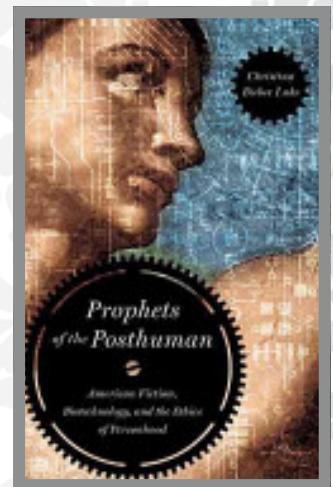


Our guest speaker for the 2015 Celebration of Scholarship Luncheon is Dr. Christina Bieber Lake, the Clyde S. Kilby Professor of English at Wheaton College

Dr. Bieber Lake is the recipient of the 2014 Aldersgate Prize, awarded by the John Wesley Honors College for her book, *Prophets of the Posthuman: American Fiction, Biotechnology, and the Ethics of Personhood*.

**IWU Faculty are invited to attend the luncheon, which will also celebrate faculty and student research accomplishments, including the Lilly research awards and the Outstanding Faculty Scholarship Award. Please RSVP by Monday, April 6, 2015, to [honors.office@indwes.edu](mailto:honors.office@indwes.edu).**

“By drawing deeply on the particular strengths of her discipline, Bieber Lake demonstrates compellingly that we can navigate the treacherous ethical terrain of biogenetic technology with greater confidence and acumen by becoming careful readers of certain influential authors of American fiction whose stories have already mapped out the topography of this terrain in vivid and thought-provoking detail.” - *Aldersgate Prize Selection Committee*



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