



Lifespring

Winter Presentation

Spacious Skies, Amber Waves of Grain, and Blue Mountains Majesty: *The Lure of the Western Hudson Valley for Thomas Cole, Frederic Church, and Winslow Homer*

Presenter: Valerie Balint, Program Manager, Historic Artists' & Studios Program, The National Trust for Historic Preservation

This illustrated talk will place Winslow Homer's time in the Hudson River Valley in the context of other 19th-century painters such as Frederic Church, Thomas Cole, and others, who were equally inspired by the riches of the area. Ms. Balint will lead participants in an exploration of the similarities and differences in approach, subject matter, and inspiration for each artist's evocative works of the region, many of which continue to inform our ideas of national identity and culture.

Date: Wednesday, December 11, 2019

Time: 11:00 am -12:30 pm

Place: Community Room
Saugerties Public Library
91 Washington Avenue

To reserve a seat, please email Susan Davis at Davissu@Vassar.edu or Lifespring.saug@gmail.com or call 845-246-2800 ext.452. If you are bringing a guest, please include your guest's name in the reservation.



The deadline for reservations is **Friday, December 6th.**

Reservations are on a first come, first served basis.