

Hofstra University School of Communication presents
**Communication, Technology and Democracy:
A Hofstra 75th Anniversary Symposium**

**WHAT HAPPENS TO DEMOCRACY
WHEN EVERYONE TALKS AT ONCE?**

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23, 2011

9:30-11 a.m.: Opening Session – Studio A, Dempster Hall, South Campus

From News Flash to Flash Drive to Socialnet Revolution?

How New Communications Technologies Are Transforming Political Reality Worldwide

11:15 a.m.-12:45 p.m.: Keynote Address – The Helene Fortunoff Theater,
Monroe Lecture Center, South Campus

**“From Phonographs to Facebook: How Media Shape the Rhetoric of Presidents
and Those Who Aspire to the Job”**

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Kathleen Hall Jamieson, Ph.D., Elizabeth Ware Packard Professor of Communication at the
Annenberg School for Communication and Walter and Leonore Annenberg Director of the Annenberg Public Policy
Center at the University of Pennsylvania; Hofstra University Joseph G. Astman Distinguished Conference Scholar

Lecture is free for members of the Hofstra community with current HofstraCard.
To register, contact Susan Murphy at 516-463-5217.

2:55 p.m.: Session A – 211 Breslin Hall, South Campus

Public Screening: Television and Citizenship From Postwar to Post-Television

The Influence of Television on the Political and Public Sphere

4:30 p.m.: Session B – 211 Breslin Hall, South Campus

On the Fringe: Alternative Media Practices and Civic Participation in the 21st Century

From the Broadcast Reform Movement to Voices in Digital Spaces