

Boulder Great Books Discussion Group

1st and 3rd Thursdays from 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM

2022 Schedule. **Meet via remote conferencing - <https://meet.jit.si/>**

Note: This is a tentative schedule. Feedback is requested!

- January 6, 2022 Robert Jones, **White too Long** (242 pages)
<http://sackett.net/White-Too-Long.pdf>
- January 20, 2022 Hugo Mercier and Dan Sperber, **The Enigma of Reason**
(Chapters 1 - 10, 202 pages)
<http://sackett.net/The-Enigma-of-Reason.pdf>
- February 3, 2022 Hugo Mercier and Dan Sperber, **The Enigma of Reason**
(Chapters 11 through Conclusion, 155 pages)
[and read at least 55 pages of Ants Among Elephants]
- February 17, 2022 Sujatha Gidla, **Ants Among Elephants:
An Untouchable Family and the Making of Modern India** (305 pages)
- March 3, 2022 Isabel Wilkerson, **Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents**
(1st half, through Chapter 14 (240 pages))
- March 17, 2022 Isabel Wilkerson, **Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents**
(2nd half, Chapter 15 through Epilogue)
- (3 weeks)
April 7, 2022 Thomas Schelling, **The Strategy of Conflict** (298 pages)
- April 21, 2022 John Mearsheimer, **The Great Delusion:
Liberal Dreams and International Realities** (234 pages)
- May 5, 2022 Ursula Le Guin, **The Left Hand of Darkness** (217 pages)
- May 19, 2022 Jennifer Doudna, **Crack in Creation** (246 pages) [CRISPR]
- June 2, 2022 Jill Lepore, **This America: The Case for the Nation** (160 pages)
- June 16, 2022 Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz,
Indigenous People's History of the United States (236 pages)
<https://www.lcps.org/cms/lib/VA01000195/Centricity/Domain/10601/An%20Indigenous%20Peoples%20History%20of%20the%20United%20States%20Ortiz.pdf>

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July 7, 2022

Mark Humphries, **The Spike:**

An Epic Journey Through the Brain in 2.1 Seconds (232 pages)

July 21, 2022

David Graeber, **The Dawn of Everything** (Chapters 1 to 4)

Adam Kuper, **The Reinvention of Primitive Society** (Parts I & II)

Part I "The Idea of Primitive Society"

Part II "Ancient Law, Ancient Society and Totemism"

August 4, 2022

Tove Jansson, **The Summer Book** (184 pages)

August 18, 2022

David Graeber, **The Dawn of Everything** (Chapters 5 to 8)

and C.R. Hallpike, **Ship of Fools** Part 1 "Talking Nonsense about Primitive Man"

September 1, 2022

Tarjei Vesaas, **The Ice Palace** (172 pages)

September 15, 2022

David Graeber, **The Dawn of Everything** (Chapter 9 to end)

(3 weeks)

October 6, 2022

Yaa Gyasi, **Homegoing** (320 pages)

October 20, 2022

Leah Penniman, **Farming While Black** (320 pages)

November 3, 2022

Richard Prum, **The Evolution of Beauty** (Intro through Ch 5)

November 17, 2022

Richard Prum, **The Evolution of Beauty** (Chapter 6 to end)

December 1, 2022

Isha Schwaller de Lubicz,

Her-Bak: The Living Face of Ancient Egypt (368 pages)

December 15, 2022

Eva Wong, **Taoism: An Essential Guide** (288 pages)

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