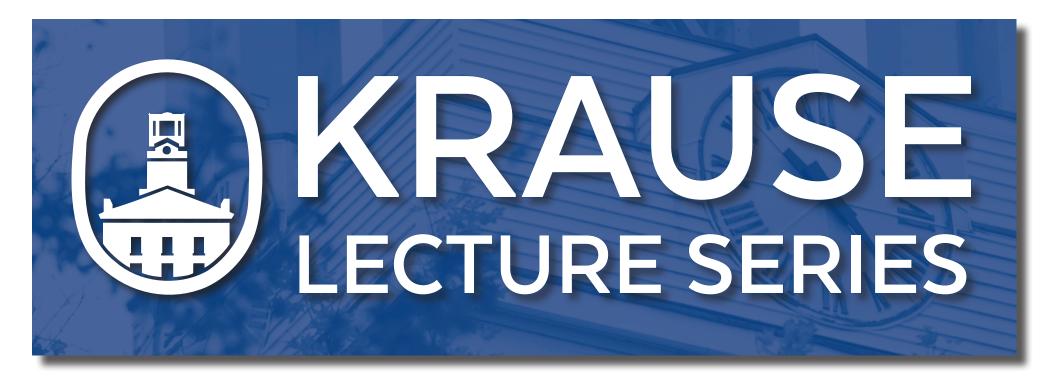
MARIETTA COLLEGE



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 7:00 P.M.

Alma McDonough Auditorium



GUEST SPEAKER:

PETER HOTEZ MD PHD

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Global Vaccines and Immunizations: The Science vs The Anti-science

In the US, substantial progress has been made in vaccinating the population versus COVID19, with the important exception of an estimated 200,000 unvaccinated Americans who lost their lives because they became victims of antivaccine disinformation and refused COVID19 vaccinations. This antivaccine defiance has evolved over the last 20 years beginning around disinformation claiming vaccines cause autism, but now transforming into a politically motivated and complex ecosystem. It has begun to globalize to Canada, Western Europe, and increasingly low- and middle-income countries. In this talk, he will discuss his new book: *The Deadly Rise of Anti-science: A Scientist's Warning* (Johns Hopkins University Press).

This event is free and open to the public.