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The Sara Fine Institute Annual Lecture Series presents

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## “A Declaration for Independence”

### Lawrence Lessig

C. Wendell and Edith M. Carlsmith  
Professor of Law, Stanford University,  
will present the The Sara Fine Institute  
Annual Lecture.

September 25, 2008, at 3 p.m.

University of Pittsburgh  
Barco Law Building  
Teplitz Memorial  
Moot Courtroom

There is a growing threat to some of the most important institutions in our culture and political life from an improper dependence on money. In this lecture, Lessig will describe this threat to institutions, from academics to the U.S. Congress, and the developing movement to restrain it.

Lessig is the C. Wendell and Edith M. Carlsmith Professor of Law at Stanford University, founder and director of the Center for Internet and Society at Stanford, and board member of the Creative Commons project. He has served on the faculties at Harvard Law School and the University of Chicago. His presentation as part of the Sara Fine Institute Annual Lecture Series will address his work in legal aspects of cyberspace and constitutional law.

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