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**Humanities West Presents**

**A Fireside Chat with George Hammond previewing  
*Copernicus, Galileo and Kepler:  
Redefining Our Place in the Universe***

**7 pm, Tuesday, September 29, 2009  
Orinda Library  
26 Orinda Way, Orinda, CA**

Join author/performer George Hammond for a Fireside Chat previewing the upcoming ***\*Copernicus, Galileo, and Kepler: Redefining Our Place in the Universe***, Humanities West's two-day program of lectures, discussions, music and dance presentations celebrating the International Year of Astronomy in honor of the 400th anniversary of modern astronomy and Galileo's first use of the telescope in 1609.

***\*Copernicus, Galileo, and Kepler: Redefining Our Place in the Universe*** takes place on Friday, October 2, from 8 pm to 10:15 pm and Saturday, October 3, from 10 am to 4 pm, at Herbst Theatre, 401 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco. (\*see additional news release)

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