

Humanities West Programs 1984-2013

- 1984 *Venice in Glorious Decline*
Rembrandt's Amsterdam: Society and the Arts in the Golden Age
- 1985 *Los Angeles in the 40's: The Pot of Gold*
- 1986-87 *Mozart: The Myth, the Music and the Man*
Handel's London: Path to Messiah
Napoleon's Paris
- 1987-88 *Jefferson: Architect of the American Vision*
Versailles: Royal Patronage of the Arts
- 1988-89 *Renaissance Florence*
Paris in Japan, 1880-1930: Tokyo Encounters Impressionism
St. Petersburg: The Arts in Imperial Russia
- 1989-90 *Americans in Paris: The Jazz Age*
Spain: A Golden Century from El Greco to Velasquez
Wagner in His Century
- 1990-91 *Bada Shanren: A Ming Prince in the Qing Dynasty*
The Enchantment of Prague: 1600-1750
The Golden Age of Venice: Image and Illusion in the Renaissance
- 1991-92 *Dickens's London: Heart of Victoria's Britain*
Manet's Paris: The First Modern City
San Francisco 1906-1939: Recovering the Lost City
- 1992-93 *Spain and the New World: A Collision of Cultures*
Thomas Jefferson at 250: The Legacy of an American Genius
The Glory of the Ottoman Empire: Suleyman the Magnificent
Shakespeare's England
- 1993-94 *Galileo's Universe: Science, Art and Music in the Renaissance*
Siena: Art and Society in a Renaissance Republic
The Classical Ideal: The Enduring Light of Ancient Greece
- 1994-95 *Venice and Amsterdam: World Powers at Sea*
Imagining Ireland: Poet's Vision and Patriot's Dream
Age of Cathedrals: Soaring Stone and the Quest for Light
- 1995-96 *The Light of Provence: Cezanne, Van Gogh and Matisse*
Harlem Renaissance: New York in the Twenties
Renaissance Women: Courtly Power and Influence
- 1996-97 *Vienna Fin-de-Siecle: Nostalgia and the Modern*
A Taste of Humanities West
In the Scandinavian Spirit: Art and Culture in a Free Society
Towering Visions: Jerusalem Through the Ages
- 1997-98 *Visions of Paradise: The Taj Mahal and Other Splendors of the Mughal Court*
Darwin's Menagerie: Victorians, Sociobiologists and other Endangered Species
California Gold: The Lure and the Legacy
- 1998-99 *Leonardo da Vinci: The Original Renaissance Man*
Berlin in the Twenties: That Brilliant, Dazzling, Daring, Extravagant Decade
A Spanish Paradise: The Moors in Andalusia
- 1999-2000 *Gloriana: Art & Intrigue in the Court of Elizabeth I*

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- Postcards From Paris: Americans in the City of Light*
Behind the Veil: The Islamic World in Western Art and Literature
 2000-01 *New Orleans 1900: The Birth of Jazz*
Rome in the Year One
Venice to Xanadu: Marco Polo's Silk Road
 2001-02 *Michelangelo's World*
100 Years in Barcelona
Ancient Egypt
 2002-03 *The Pleasures of Versailles*
Beethoven: Resonant Genius
The First Flowering of Byzantium
Circumpolar Culture: Ancient Peoples of the Arctic North
 2003-04 *St. Petersburg: A Three-Hundred-Year Legacy*
Humanities West 20th Anniversary Celebration
France in the Postwar Era: From Liberation to the New Wave
Lens Culture: The Impact of Photography on Modern Life
Isfahan: Imperial Persia's Glittering Jewel
 2004-05 *Italian Gems--Mantua, Ferraro, and Urbino*
Beauty and Treasures of Imperial Beijing
Mark Twain in the West
 2005-06 *Sicily: Crossroads of Mediterranean Civilization*
Emperor Charles V: Conquest, Faith, and Splendor in the World of a Renaissance Prince
 2006-07 *Rembrandt and the Golden Age of The Netherlands*
The Crusades: Myth and Reality
 2007-08 *Voltaire and the French Enlightenment*
Empire on Horseback: Genghis Khan and the Mongols
Athens in its Golden Age: The Time of Pericles
 2008-09 *Benjamin Franklin and the Invention of America*
India Rising: Tradition Meets Modernity
Confronting Napoleon: European Culture at the Crossroads
 2009-10 *Copernicus, Galileo and Kepler: Redefining Our Place in the Universe*
Alexander/Alexandria: The Flowering of Hellenistic Culture
The Florence of the Medici: Commerce, Power, and Art in Renaissance Italy
 2010-11 *Venice: Queen of the Adriatic*
Toledo and the Multicultural Challenges of Medieval Spain
Minoan Crete: The Dawn of European Civilization
 2011-12 *Notre Dame: The Soul of Medieval Paris*
The Power and Glory of China's Ming Dynasty
Pompeii and Herculaneum: Rediscovering Roman Art and Culture
 -13 *Is Piracy the Second Oldest Profession?*
Paris: American Expatriate Genius in the 20s and 30s
Charles II: Phoenix of Restoration London
Bernini's Rome: Art and Architecture of the Baroque

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2013-14 *Verdi's Masterwork: Opera and the Birth of Modern Italy*
 Constantinople and the Byzantine Millennium (330-1453)
 Baghdad: Golden Sun in the Golden Age of Islam (762-1258)