

University of Michigan Detroit Observatory



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Mapping the Great Lakes Region: The Changing Shape of Michigan



Tim Utter

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**3 p.m. Tuesday
January 20**

in the Observatory Library
(seating limited to 40 people)

The Great Lakes region is one of the most recognizable geographical areas on Earth. Cartographers have depicted Michigan in various shapes and sizes over five centuries. Tim Utter will explore the changing shape of Michigan using maps and images from the University of Michigan Map Library's collection.

Lecture Series

Each month the Observatory hosts faculty and other professionals speaking on topics that heighten our understanding of 19th-century science, technology and culture. Lectures are free and open to the public. They are held in the Observatory Library (limit 40 people).

Tours & Information

The Observatory will be open for tours on Wednesday January 14 and again on Wednesday January 21. For further details on lectures or tours, please call **763-2230**, or visit our web site, **www.DetroitObservatory.umich.edu**.

Upcoming Lectures:

Summer Paradise: The Role of Railway & Steamboat Lines in Promoting Vacation Travel

Clayton Lewis, Assistant Curator
William L. Clements Library
3 p.m. Tuesday, February 10

19th-Century American Astronomers in South Africa

Keith Snedegar, Assoc. Professor of History
Utah Valley State College
3 p.m. Tuesday, March 9

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Winter 2004 Lecture Series