

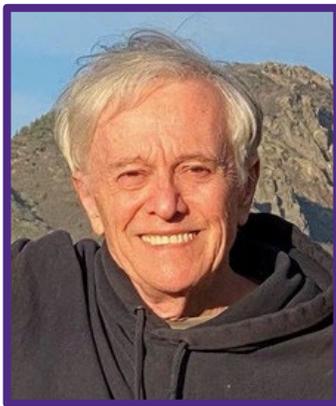
NERO WOLFE: THE BEST OF AMERICA'S ARMCHAIR DETECTIVES

Rex Stout's Nero Wolfe, the orchid-fancying, seventh of a ton gourmand, is America's most famous armchair detective, who solves murders along with his legman Archie Goodwin, certainly the best narrator in American fiction since Huckleberry Finn. The "King of Crimebusters" will investigate and discuss three of Rex Stout's Nero Wolfe novels, one collection of his short stories, and a single story published in American Magazine, all designed to see how one detective can use his genius to identify murderers without leaving the comfort of his home.



[For course overview video, click here.](#)

YOUR INSTRUCTOR: JEFF WALKER, PHD



Jeffrey Walker, Emeritus Professor of English at Oklahoma State, authored a critical study of the Revolutionary poet and traitor Benjamin Church, edited collections of essays on Fenimore Cooper, co-edited the first scholarly edition of Cooper's 1821 bestseller *The Spy* and the annual journal *Literature in the Early American Republic*, and is completing an edition of Cooper's unpublished letters. A Fulbright lecturer in Norway (1987) and Belgium (1998), he won the Phoenix Award (1998) for outstanding graduate teaching, the A&S Outstanding Professor Award (2013), and the Regents Distinguished Teaching Award (2014). His teaching interests include American literature, Dickens, the history of the book, textual editing, comedy, mystery, and film, and he has taught in Oklahoma State, University of Utah, and Northwestern University Osher programs.

TUESDAYS, JANUARY 16TH THROUGH FEBRUARY 20TH

9AM ALASKA | 10AM PACIFIC | 11AM MOUNTAIN | 12PM CENTRAL | 1PM EASTERN

- Live Discussion 1, Tuesday, January 16
- Live Discussion 2, Tuesday, January 23
- Live Discussion 3, Tuesday, January 30
- Live Discussion 4, Tuesday, February 6
- Live Discussion 5, Tuesday, February 13
- Live Discussion 6, Tuesday, February 20

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