



**Coffee & Politics Series**



# American democracy through British eyes

*Gillian Peele*



How do American politics look from the other side of the Atlantic? Gillian Peele will discuss the quality of American democracy and the extent to which American political and constitutional systems have become dysfunctional. She will explore reform proposals with a look at the United Kingdom's experiences.

**Gillian Peele** is a Fellow and Tutor in Politics at Lady Margaret Hall, University of Oxford. She has published widely on British and American politics, including her most recent collection (edited with Joel Aberbach) *Crisis of Conservatism? The Republican Party, The Conservative Movement and American Politics*. Her research focuses on comparative politics, with a focus on Britain and America.

Join us for pizza, pop, and interesting conversation. RSVP to [relgar@wsu.edu](mailto:relgar@wsu.edu)

**Tuesday September 3**  
**12 – 1pm**  
**Foley Speaker's Room,**  
**308 Bryan Hall**