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To the Stevens Community:

Please join me next Tuesday, April 3, for a special guest lecture by Tim Urban, one of the Internet's most popular writers and creator of the blog, *Wait But Why?*

Urban will deliver a lecture titled, "***From Echo Chamber to the Idea Lab: An Intellectual Revolution,***" in the Bissinger Room beginning at 6:15 p.m.

Since he started writing the long-form, stick-figure-illustrated blog [Wait But Why](#) in 2013, Urban has produced dozens of articles on subjects ranging from procrastination to artificial intelligence to why humans have not encountered alien life forms.

Wait But Why has garnered millions of unique page views and thousands of patrons and famous fans, including Tesla CEO Elon Musk and Twitter co-founder Evan Williams.

Urban's immensely successful 2016 TED Talk, [Inside the mind of a master procrastinator](#), was the most viewed TED Talk of 2016 and has since been viewed more than 18 million times.

Please mark your calendar for Tuesday, April 3 for what is sure to be a captivating and entertaining lecture.

Registration is not required. However, seating is limited so please plan to arrive early.

I look forward to seeing you on April 3.

Per aspera ad astra,



Nariman Farvardin
President