A number of U.S. jurisdictions, including Arcata and Humboldt County, have declared themselves “sanctuaries” for undocumented immigrants, but what exactly does this mean?

In this lecture based on his co-authored book, Loren Collingwood explores the history and religious roots of sanctuary policies. The author examines how the media frames these policies, the predictors of public support for or opposition to them, and their effects on crime and Latino political incorporation. Particular attention is paid to the recent Humboldt County Measure K sanctuary vote.

When: Monday, March 2, 5:30-7 p.m.
Where: Siemens Hall 108

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