

The Psychology of Humor

From Mockery (the Darwin Awards) to Sarcasm (National Sarcasm Society- like we need your support), comedy can be viewed as a diagnostic tool for the investigation of enduring questions about the human condition. Humor has a critical purpose (what's wrong?), a cohesive function (we're in this together), a divisive effect (you're not us), and serves a coping function (we'll make it through). This thought provoking presentation by Dr. Kim Bateman will leave you laughing and thinking about how you might tickle your funny bone on a more regular basis.

SPRING LECTURE SERIES

Apr.
26

5:30 – 7 p.m.

UC Davis Tahoe Science Center
291 Country Club Dr.,
Incline Village, Nevada

\$5 suggested donation,
refreshments and no-host bar 5:30
p.m., presentation begins at 6 p.m.

Please register for your seat at
<http://tahoe.ucdavis.edu/events/>

Dr. Kim Bateman serves as the Executive Dean of the Tahoe-Truckee Campus of Sierra College. She is known for her engaging and entertaining presenting style. Her research interests include organizational psychology, bereavement, and humor.



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