Hidden Newark: Speaker Series

This is an open invitation to the NJIT community to join my 8:30 a.m. (!) class, “How Newark Became Newark” as we meet with guest speakers every month during the Fall 2023 semester. Space is limited. Please RSVP to ascarelli@njit.edu if you plan to attend.

September 19, 2023
Early Newark: Creating a New England Township in New Jersey
Presenter: Tim Crist, founder and president of the Newark History Society.
Room 116 (multipurpose room), Central King Building

September 21, 2023
We’re still here: Who are the Munsee Lenape?
Presenters: Vincent Mann, Turtle Clan Chief of the Ramapough Lenape Nation, and his wife, Michaeline Picaro, also a member of the Turtle Clan.
Room 330, Central King Building

October 3, 2023
The little-known history of slavery in New Jersey, including Newark
Room 116 (multipurpose room), Central King Building

October 5, 2023
Slavery and freedom fighting in Newark
Presenter: James Amemar, research specialist at the New Jersey Historical Society.
Tour and lecture in Harriet Tubman Square! Meet in the lobby of the Central King Building at 8:30 AM. Be prepared to walk!

For questions, contact Miriam Ascarelli at: ascarelli@njit.edu