

Episode #1

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Suggested Readings

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5. Juliana Barr, "There's No Such Thing as 'Prehistory,' What the Longue Duree of Caddo and Pueblo History Tells Us about Colonial History" *William and Mary Quarterly* 74 No. 2 (April 2017), 203-240.
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