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## THE MODERN PRESIDENCY FROM KENNEDY TO TRUMP: INTERSECTIONS OF POLITICS AND PERSONALITY



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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25, 2017 ◆ 4 P.M.

#### FAU UNIVERSITY THEATRE **BOCA RATON CAMPUS**

William Chafe will examine how personality helped shape the politics of many of our modern presidents. He will look at the presidencies of John F. Kennedy, Lyndon Johnson, Richard Nixon, Bill Clinton and Donald Trump, dealing with issues as varied as the Cuban Missile Crisis, the Vietnam War, Watergate and the Clinton health care bill.

Chafe is the Alice Mary Baldwin Professor Emeritus of History at Duke University. He has written 13 books on American history, including a major new overview of 20th century America titled "The Rise and Fall of the American Century"; a history of personality and politics in modern America titled "Private Lives/Public Consequences, Personality and Politics in Modern America"; and a book about the Clintons titled "Bill and Hillary: The Politics of the Personal."

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