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*"'Too Furious': The Genocide of Connecticut's Pequot Indians, 1636-1640"*

The 1636-1637 Pequot War and its aftermath were formative events in the making of New England and North America. Invited speaker Dr. Benjamin Madley will present on his recent chapter, "'Too Furious': The Genocide of Connecticut's Pequot Indians, 1636-1640," from *The Cambridge World History of Genocide* (Cambridge University Press, 2023). This chapter summarizes the ongoing modern Pequot genocide debate, narrates the cataclysm, provides new death toll estimates, discusses dispersal and enslavement as genocidal strategies, reevaluates colonists' culpability, and explains how this catastrophe constituted genocide under the 1948 United Nations Genocide Convention.

**Thursday, February 22nd from 3:30pm - 5:30pm**  
**Weatherhead Center for International Affairs**  
**(61 Kirkland Street), Room 202**

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