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Election 2012:

*Rhetoric and the Voter on the Road
to Tampa and Charlotte*

Thursday, March 1, 2012 • 11:00 a.m.
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Blogs serve as a powerful medium to weigh in on the pressing issues of our day. However, the lack of accountability stemming from anonymous blogs frequently leads to discourse that lacks civility and substitutes vitriol for evidence. This session will examine the rhetoric of political blogging and consider its impact on the 2012 presidential election.

We'll also explore how the Republican rule changes may make their convention the first brokered convention since 1948.

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