In 1938, Swedish researcher and Nobel Laureate Gunnar Myrdal plunges into America's Jim Crow South. The resulting study, *An American Dilemma* (1944), poses a profoundly unsettling question: How can a people devoted to the American Creed of equality, justice and opportunity for all continue to erect obstacles to those ends based on race? Through Myrdal's story and contemporary racial dynamics, *American Denial* explores how denial, cognitive dissonance, and implicit bias persist and shape all of our lives.

Thursday, November 5th
6:30-9pm
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McGuinn 121, Boston College