

# **WWUH**

# **UNIVERSITY OF HARTFORD**

## **ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST**

**3rd Quarter-2023**

(July 1 through September 30, 2023)

COMPLIED BY John Ramsey, General Manager

THE FOLLOWING IS A LISTING OF SOME OF THE SIGNIFICANT ISSUES RESPONDED TO BY WWUH, WEST HARTFORD, CT ALONG WITH SIGNIFICANT PROGRAMMING TREATMENT OF THOSE ISSUES FOR THE PERIOD OF JULY 1 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2023. THE LISTING IS BY NO MEANS EXHAUSTIVE. THE ORDER IN WHICH THE ISSUES APPEAR DOES NOT REFLECT ANY PRIORITY OR SIGNIFICANCE. ALL TIMES ARE EASTERN TIME.

**WWUH RADIO**  
**ISSUES/PROGRAMS LIST**  
**Q3, 2023**

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** April 11, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Saurav Sarkar

**ISSUE(S):** Labor

**DESCRIPTION:**

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** Sept. 22, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** James L. Neibaur, author

**ISSUE(S):** History, media, cinema

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 307: The B-Movies of John Wayne. In this episode, Phil Hall explores a rarely considered aspect of John Wayne's big-screen career with James L. Neibaur, author of the new book "The John Wayne B-Westerns 1932-1939," published by BearManor.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** Sept. 15, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Philip Elliott Hopkins, founder of the new home entertainment label Film Masters

**ISSUE(S):** Media, cinema, business

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 306: A New Look at Vintage Films. In this episode, Phil Hall interviews Philip Elliott Hopkins, founder of the new home entertainment label Film Masters, which presents digitally restored DVD and Blu-ray releases of classic and cult movies.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** September 8, 2020

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Dan Callahan, film and music historian

**ISSUE(S):** Music, cinema.

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 305: Bing and Billie and Frank and Ella and Judy and Barbra. In this episode, six of the greatest American singers of the 20th century are celebrated as Phil Hall interviews and author of “Bing and Billie.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** Sept 1, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Poet Tim Stobierski

**ISSUE(S):** Art, poetry.

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 304: The Poetry of Tim Stobierski. In this week's episode, Phil Hall interviews poet Tim Stobierski on the release of his new critically praised poetry collection "Dancehall."

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 25, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** David Lewis, CEO of Operations Inc.

**ISSUE(S):** Business, industry, the economy

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 303: Doing Business in Connecticut, This week, “Nutmeg Chatter” takes a look at the Nutmeg State’s business environment. In this episode, Phil Hall is joined by David Lewis, CEO of Operations Inc. in Norwalk, Connecticut.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 18, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** Religion

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 302: The Role of Faith in Today's Society. In this episode, Phil Hall explores the role that faith plays in American society and the challenges that many houses of worship face in attracting and engaging congregants.



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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 21, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Editor Shaw Israel Izikson

**ISSUE(S):** Media

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 301: Do Newspapers Still Matter? In this episode, Phil Hall takes a look at the role that newspapers play in today's media environment. The episode's guest is Shaw Israel Izikson, managing editor of The Berkshire Edge.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 14, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Author Anthony Uzarowski

**ISSUE(S):** Literature.

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 300: The Glory of Jessica Lange

In this episode, Phil Hall interviews Anthony Uzarowski, author of the new book “Jessica Lange: An Adventurer’s Heart,” published by University Press of Kentucky.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Nutmeg Chatter

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 7, 2023

**TIME:** 12 noon

**GUEST(S):** Derrek Cooke, a Very Special Entrepreneur

**ISSUE(S):** Business, the economy.

**DESCRIPTION:** Episode 299: In this episode, Phil Hall interviews Derrek Cooke, an entrepreneur whose Spina Bifida condition inspired him to create the company Derrek's Bags, which specializes in message- and art-oriented tote bags.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 11, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** The environment, big oil.

**DESCRIPTION:** Emily Sanders on How Not to Interview an Oil CEO, Kaufman & Bozuwa on Fighting Climate Disrupters.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 18, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** Business, taxes, Journalism.

**DESCRIPTION:** Arlene Martínez on Corporate Subsidies, Florín Nájera-Uresti on Journalism Preservation.

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### **Q3 2023**

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 25, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Kevin Minofu

**ISSUE(S):** Race relations.

**DESCRIPTION:** Kevin Minofu on Say Her Name.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Counterspin                      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 1, 2023              **TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Melissa Crow, Dave Zirin

**ISSUE(S):** Immigration/asylum, media

**DESCRIPTION:** Melissa Crow on Asylum Restrictions,  
Dave Zirin on NYT's Vanishing Sports Section.

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**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 8, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Teddy Ostrow, Matthew Cunningham-Cook

**ISSUE(S):** Labor, Climate sabotage

**DESCRIPTION:** Teddy Ostrow on UPS/Teamsters Agreement, Matthew Cunningham-Cook on GOP Climate Sabotage.



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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 15, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Shankar Narayan, Braxton Brewington

**ISSUE(S):** Facial misrecognition, student debt.

**DESCRIPTION:** Shankar Narayan on Facial Misrecognition, Braxton Brewington on Student Debt Abolition.

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### **Q3 2023**

**TITLE:** Counterspin                      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 22, 2023              **TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Baher Azmy, Thomas Germain

**ISSUE(S):** Abu Ghraib lawsuit, history destruction.

**DESCRIPTION:** Abu Ghraib Torture Lawsuit, Thomas Germain on Online History Destruction.

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### **Q3 2023**

**TITLE:** Counterspin                      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 28, 2023              **TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Kehsi Iman Wilson

**ISSUE(S):** ADA

**DESCRIPTION:** Discussion of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** Sept 5, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Alfie Kohn, Diane Ravitch and Kevin Kumashiro

**ISSUE(S):** Education

**DESCRIPTION:** Discussion of education in the US.  
on Education.

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### **Q3 2023**

**TITLE:** Counterspin

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** September 12, 2023

**TIME:** 12:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Amanda Yee

**ISSUE(S):** History, travel.

**DESCRIPTION:** Korean Travel Ban and Korea History.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** September 21, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Myrriah Gómez, author

**ISSUE(S):** Nuclear energy/power.

**DESCRIPTION:** The Shadow of Nuclear Colonialism. The film Oppenheimer has reignited public interest in the Manhattan Project, the WWII-era secret program to develop the atomic bomb. But the movie leaves out important parts of the story. On today's show, we hear about the impact of nuclear colonialism and the Manhattan Project on the people and places of New Mexico with Myrriah Gómez, author of Nuclear Nuevo México: Colonialism and the Effects of the Nuclear Industrial Complex.



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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** September 14, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Michele Elizabeth Lee.

**ISSUE(S):** Medicine. Health care.

**DESCRIPTION:** A History of Traditional Root Healing. In some parts of the world, traditional herbal remedies are the norm. When we think of natural remedies we tend to think of older generations living in remote areas, in far away countries, with little access to modern healthcare. We rarely think about the ancient medicinal plants that might exist in our very own cities. On today's episode we look at plant and herb medicines through the lens of Michele Elizabeth Lee.



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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** September 7, 2023    **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** Railroads, environment.

**DESCRIPTION:** On today's show, we'll hear an encore of a show from our archives that first aired in April. We'll be looking at the environmental impact of the rail industry and hear from people in two communities currently impacted by rail-related contamination. In February, a Suffolk Northern train carrying toxic chemicals derailed in East Palestine, Ohio, and residents are still recovering from the disaster.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 31, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** The legal system.

**DESCRIPTION:** This week on Making Contact, we bring you a story from our podcast partners, 70 Million titled Highway Robbery: How a Small-Town Traffic Trap Became A Legal Black Hole. About 20 minutes north of Birmingham, Alabama, on Interstate 22, is the working-class town of Brookside. Its almost 1300 residents make it about the size of a large high school.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 24, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Cultural worker José Antonio Aguilar

**ISSUE(S):** Racism.

**DESCRIPTION:** Mexicans Confronting Racism: Aztec myths to modern stereotypes. There's an idea in Mexico that racism doesn't exist, that all Mexicans are "mestizo" – a homogenous blend of Spanish and indigenous. But cultural worker José Antonio Aguilar says racism is lived by Black and brown Mexicans in many ways. He founded Racismo MX, an organization which seeks to dismantle racism, after coming to terms with his own racial reality as a "prieto" – a brown man.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 17, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** ProPublica reporter David McSwane

**ISSUE(S):** Pandemic and Profit

**DESCRIPTION:** On today's show, we'll revisit the early days of the Covid-19 pandemic by looking at two alternative supply chains for masks during the fallout from the Trump administration's failure to prepare. We'll be speaking with the ProPublica reporter David McSwane about his book *Pandemic, Inc.: Chasing the Capitalists and Thieves Who Got Rich While We Got Sick*.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 10, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** Racism

**DESCRIPTION:** In 2019 a well known romance writer began tweeting about other writers in her community and concerns about racism. It led to a huge reckoning within an organization called the Romance Writers of America, which is still unfolding.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** August 3, 2023

**TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** Race

**DESCRIPTION:** The Agony and the Ecstasy: Race and the Future of the Love Story Part 1. In 2019 a well known romance writer began tweeting about other writers in her community and concerns about racism. It led to a huge reckoning within an organization called the Romance Writers of America, which is still unfolding.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact

**DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 27, 2023

**TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Various

**ISSUE(S):** Justice System

**DESCRIPTION:** Criminalized Survival. Journalist Natalie Pattillo and filmmaker Daniel A. Nelson created the documentary film *And So I Stayed* to raise awareness about criminalized survival, the criminal justice system's long practice of imprisoning survivors of intimate partner violence when they fight back against their abusers.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 20, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Sophie Ziegler

**ISSUE(S):** Pandemic and Profit

**DESCRIPTION:** Agitation to a System: Trans Resistance in Louisiana. Hundreds of bills targeting the trans and queer community have been introduced across state legislatures this year – a new record. Louisiana, like many other states, has seen a slew of anti-LGBTQ+ bills this session. But the state is somewhat of an outlier in the South, and activists have been successful in pushing back against these types of bills in the past.



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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 13, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Composer, pianist, and vocalist Samora Abayomi Pinderhughes

**ISSUE(S):** Race relations.

**DESCRIPTION:** The Healing Project: An Abolitionist Story. This week on Making Contact we speak with composer, pianist, and vocalist Samora Abayomi Pinderhughes about The Healing Project at Yerba Buena Center for the Arts. The Healing Project, fundamentally an abolitionist project, explores the structures of systemic racism — particularly the prison industrial complex — in the United States.

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### Q3 2023

**TITLE:** Making Contact      **DUR:** 30 Min

**DATE:** July 6, 2023      **TIME:** 7:30pm

**GUEST(S):** Jeet Heer and John Nichols from The Nation

**ISSUE(S):** Pandemic and Profit

**DESCRIPTION:** What the SVB Failure Teaches us About Investment Banking. The Silicon Valley Bank collapse brings with it memories of the wider 2008 economic crisis. Jeet Heer and John Nichols from The Nation join us to discuss the 2018 bank deregulations that set the stage for this moment and the risky investment strategy at the bank itself. They argue that bailout and FDIC's role in the collapse could set the stage for a dangerous economic future.

**Additional related programming that aired during this quarter:**

**Alternative Radio**, a weekly 60-minute program dealing with national and international issues aired Mondays at 12 noon.

**Gay Spirit**, a 30 minute program dealing with gay and lesbian issues, aired weekly on Thursdays at 8:30pm throughout the quarter.

**This Way Out**, a 30 minute program dealing with gay and lesbian issues, aired weekly on Thursdays at 8:30pm throughout the quarter.

**TUC Radio**, a 30 minute program dealing with politics and technology aired weekly on Fridays at 12:30 throughout the quarter.

**Radio Ecoshock**, a 60-minute weekly program dealing with the environment, aired on Mondays at 8pm.

**51%**, a 30 minute program which aired weekly at 12 noon on Tuesdays and deals with women's issues.

**Sea Change Radio**, a 30-minute weekly program dealing with various political, cultural, environmental and scientific issues, aired weekly, Wednesdays, at 12:30pm.

**Exploration**, a weekly 60-minute weekly, science and technology program produced by Dr. Micheo Kaku, aired Tuesdays at 8pm.

**In addition to the above, WWUH aired the following segments during this quarter:**

**Earthwise**, a 2 minute, daily program dealing with environmental and climate issues that ran 3-4 times each day, Monday through Friday during the quarter.

**Birdnote**, a 2-minute, daily program dealing with birds and nature that ran 3-4 times each day, Monday through Friday, during this quarter.

**Sharon Audubon Report**, a 2:30 weekly program dealing with nature and the environment that ran several times each day in November and December.

**This Week In CT History**, a 30 second daily segment dealing with the state's history aired throughout the quarter.