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Roosevelt's Secret Illnesses and the Effects on World History

Malignant hypertension, heart failure, stroke, polio—what were the effects of FDR's many illnesses on the negotiations that ended World War II?

Dr. Allan B. Schwartz will explore the intersection of history, politics, and medicine at a crucial juncture in world history: the Yalta Conference. FDR's secret illnesses set the stage for the end of World War II, the opening of the Cold War, and the fall of the Iron Curtain in Europe.

History and Politics Colloquium

Tuesday, April 29th
3:30 to 5 pm
Hagerty Library, L-33

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