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Inequality and the 2012 Election



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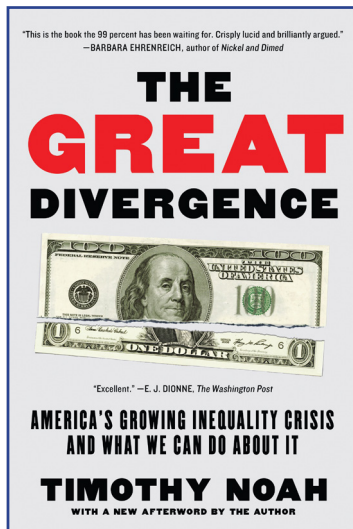
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Lobero Theatre, 33 East Canon Perdido Street**

The 2012 presidential election was the first, since the income-inequality trend began three decades ago, to address this troubling divergence. But the discussion's main function was to demonize Mitt Romney rather than to produce concrete solutions to the problem.

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Courtesy of The Book Den, copies of *The Great Divergence: America's Growing Inequality Crisis And What We Can Do About It* will be available for purchase and signing at this event.

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