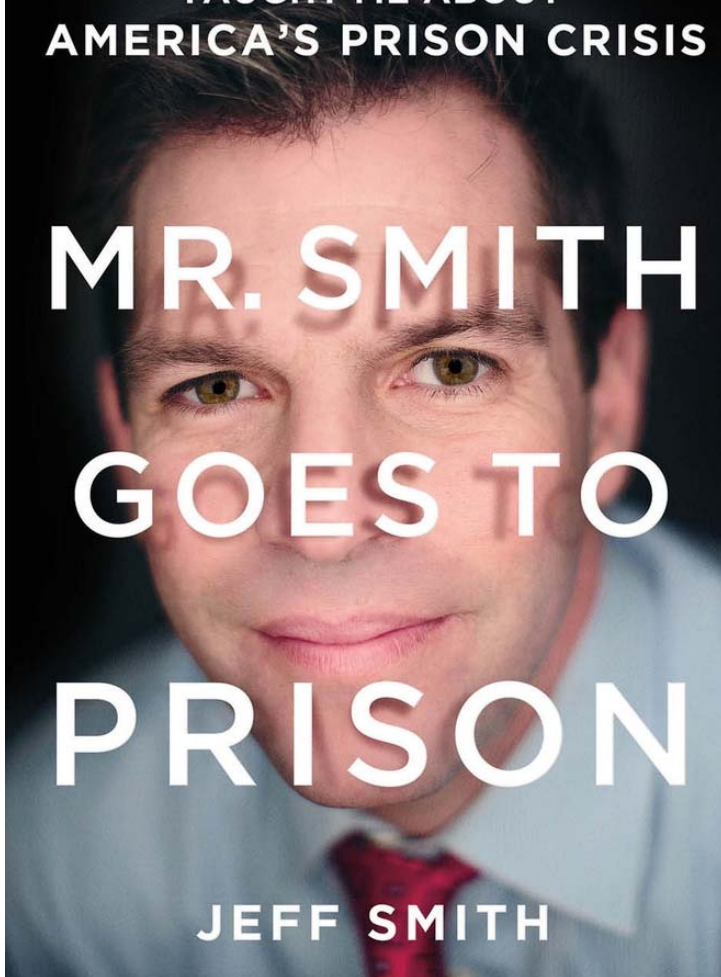


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Join us for an evening of dialogue on inequality, race, politics and America's criminal justice system with nationally acclaimed speaker Jeff Smith.

Thursday, April 14
5:30-7:00 pm
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Jeff Smith's fascinating career path has earned him the titles of Senator, Convict, and Professor (in that order). Smith will discuss his recent book, *Mr. Smith Goes to Prison: What My Year Behind Bars Taught Me About America's Prison Crisis*. Based on his first-hand experience and insightful analysis, he will offer his suggestions for achieving meaningful prison reform.

Smith's TED Talk has over 1 million views, and his story has been featured in the Washington Post, Politico, C-SPAN, and This American Life.

Discussion after Smith's talk will be moderated by UMN Law Professor Francis Shen and will feature a presentation by members of Take Action MN's Criminal Justice Reform program.

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