

Program in Agrarian Studies

“Hinterlands, Frontiers, Cities, and States: Transactions and Identities”

Agrarian Studies Colloquium Series Schedule

Meetings are Fridays, 11am-1pm, in Luce Hall, 34 Hillhouse Avenue, Room 203.

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Spring Term 2015

January 16 – Sarah Besky

Anthropology, The University of Michigan

*The Land in Gorkhaland: Rethinking Belonging in Darjeeling, India*

January 23 – Ian Miller

History, Harvard University

*The Mystery of the Missing Watt: Tokyo at the Dawn of the Electrical Age*

January 30 – Daniel Tubb

Visiting Post-Doctoral Fellow

*The Hustle and the Fixed: Informal Economies and Gold Mining in the Colombian Pacific*

February 6 – Matt Turner

Geography, The University of Wisconsin

*Political Economy, Vulnerability, and Climate: A Reassessment*

February 13 – Raymond Craib

History, Cornell University

*Escape Geographies and Libertarian Enclosures*

February 20 – Louisa Lombard

Anthropology, Yale University

*Camouflage and Shows of Force in Armed Conservation and Rebellion in the Central African Republic*

February 27 – Steven Stoll

History, Fordham University

*Ramp Hollow: Losing Land and Livelihood in Appalachia*

March 6 – Walter Johnson

History, Harvard University

*What Does it Mean to Say “Racial Capitalism?”*

April 3 – Guntra Aistara

Post-Doctoral Fellow

*Cacophonous Harmonies: Struggles for Organic Sovereignty in Latvia and Costa Rica*

April 10 – Julie Gibbings

Post-Doctoral Fellow

*Possessing Sentiments and Ideas of Progress: Land Privatization and Citizenship in Alta Verapaz, Guatemala, 1877-1886*

April 17 – Jennifer Johnson

Post-Doctoral Fellow

*“At Least in Sauce We Do Not Suffer”:* Gendered Histories and the Contemporary Politics of Fishwork in Uganda