



South Asia Colloquium Spring 2017

4:30pm • Thursdays • Room 202, Luce Hall, 34 Hillhouse Avenue

JANUARY 19

Making a Monotheistic Scripture: The Sirr-i akbar's afterlife in South Asia
Supriya Gandhi, Yale University

JANUARY 26

Power, Commerce and Community: India's Spatial Imagination/s of South Asia
Shibashis Chatterjee, Jadavpur University

FEBRUARY 9

Out of Context and Totally Contradictory: On Humans, Animals, (and a Passerby) in Urban India
Naisargi N. Dave, University of Toronto

FEBRUARY 23

Indian Ocean Networks and Premodern Buddhist Technologies of Statecraft
Anne M. Blackburn, Cornell University

MARCH 9

The Affective Surplus of Judicial Populism : Law, Media and Mimicry in Contemporary India
Lawrence Liang, Yale University

APRIL 6

Why Philosophy Needs Sanskrit, Now More than Ever
Jonardon Ganeri, New York University Abu Dhabi

APRIL 13

We are thrown here in this ujāḍa": Caste, Work, and Urbanization in North India
Bhawani Buswala, Brown University

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