

**2018-19 IRW Seminar Schedule
Public Catastrophes, Private Losses**

September 13: Opening Session

September 20: Readings

September 27: Supreme Court Hearings

October 4: Leslye Obiora

“Speaking of Culture: An Alternative Perspective on the Uses and Abuses of Culture”

Respondent: Basuli Deb

October 11: Pat Roos

“Public Catastrophe, Private Losses: Grief and Resilience in the Midst of the Opioid Epidemic”

Respondent: Priti Narayan

October 18: Scholarly Publishing Workshop

October 25: Readings

November 1: A conversation with Khosi Xaba

November 8: Participatory Writing Workshop with Angeliqe Haugerud

November 15: Manjula Bharathy

“Green Kerala Express: Mediated Counter Hegemony”

Respondent: Sandy Flitterman-Lewis

November 22: No meeting – Thanksgiving

November 29: Basuli Deb

“Arrivants and ‘Collective Illegitimacy’ Under Empire: Paradoxes and Rapprochement”

Respondent: Kate Cairns

December 6: Oral History and Activism Workshop with Rutgers Oral History Archives

January 24: Sandra Medina

“The Remnants of the Armed Conflict: The Body In/After Violence in Contemporary Colombian Cinema”

Respondent: Ileana Nachescu

January 31: Priti Narayan

“Terrains of Negotiation: Strategic Residents and the State in a Developing City”

Respondent: Julie Rajan

February 7: Sandy Flitterman-Lewis

“Hidden Voices: Childhood, the Family, and Antisemitism in Occupation France”

Respondent: Sara Perryman

February 14: Eriada Cela

“Women’s Education and Emancipation in Communist Albania in Light of the Class War and State Propaganda”

Respondent: Beth Rubin

February 21: Public Engagement for Academics Workshop with Thaler Pekar

February 28: Readings

March 7: Beyond the ‘I’: When Memoir Meets History, Talk/Workshop with Mimi Schwartz

March 14: Readings

March 21: No meeting – Spring Break Readings

March 28: Sara Perryman

Title TBD

Respondent: Manjula Bharathy

April 4: Jordan Steiner

“The Relationship between Sexual Violence
and Mental Health Outcomes for Adolescents
Girls and Young Women in Malawi”

Respondent: Sandra Medina

**April 11: Storytelling and Social Change
Workshop with Thaler Pekar**

April 18: Julie Rajan

“Women, Violence, and the Islamic State”

Respondent: Leslye Obiora

April 25: Kate Cairns

“Living with, and Against, Slow Violence:
Youth and Environmental Justice in Camden,
New Jersey”

Respondent: Pat Roos

May 2: Beth Rubin

“Public Histories, Situated Citzenships:
Educating for Democracy in Divided
Societies”

Respondent: Jordan Steiner

Conveners:

Arlene Stein

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