



AMERICAN ETHNOLOGICAL SOCIETY SPRING MEETING 2015

March 12-14, 2015
San Diego, CA

EMERGENCE



Dear AES members and participants,

Welcome to San Diego! This year's theme, "Emergence," invites us to think about the ways ideas, things, and relationships come into being. With nearly 200 participants, along with papers, workshops, and roundtables, we hope all sorts of new ideas and collegial relationships will emerge from this conference.

Featured is our capstone event on Saturday: "Inside the Anthropologist's Studio." This year, I will have an unscripted onstage conversation with Alisse Waterston, the AAA's president-elect and the author of *My Father's Wars: Migration, Memory and the Violence of a Century*. During the interview, we'll touch on destruction, violence, rebirth, and the growth of both families and institutions.

Please join us for our two plenary addresses: On Thursday, Julia Elyachar will speak about the emergence of new forms of sovereignty in Egypt after the Arab Spring in her talk, "Emergence and Emergency: Sovereignty, the Capitulations, and Social Theory after the January 25th Revolution in Egypt." On Friday, Gaston Gordillo will bring his unique take on space, time, and destruction to the plenary, as he looks at "Emergence After Destruction."

Planning a conference is a surprisingly huge job. I would like to extend my enormous thanks to my graduate conference assistants, Tania Bulakh (Indiana University, Bloomington) and Alexandra Cotofana (Indiana University, Bloomington). I had the great benefit of working with these two professionals with vast experience in organizing, publicity, and graphic design, as well as the souls and sensibilities of anthropologists. I am very grateful to them.

I am also grateful for the help of AES President Carol Greenhouse, Secretary Caitrin Lynch, *AE* Editor Angelique Haugerud, and Treasurer Ken Guest. Sam Martinez, who organized last year's conference, was a font of information. I'm also deeply grateful to Martha Lampland, the San Diego local conference coordinator.

I wish you three days of spring sunshine, fascinating papers, warm collegiality, and a host of new ideas and projects. Let's see what emerges!

Elizabeth Cullen Dunn
University of Indiana, Bloomington
Conference Organizer
AES Councilor

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Thursday, March 12

PRE-CONFERENCE EVENTS:

GRADUATE STUDENT WORKSHOPS (registration required)

WORKSHOP 1 – 1:00PM - 2:45PM Embarcadero Room
Julia Elyachar (University of California, Irvine) on **Emergence and Debt**

WORKSHOP 2 – 1:00PM – 3:00PM East Coast Room
Robert Lemelson (Foundation for Psychocultural Research) on **Visual Anthropology**

WORKSHOP 3 - 1:00PM - 5:00PM West Coast Room
Angelique Haugerud, Rebecca Tolen, Carol Greenhouse and Eric Gable on **Professionalization**
(organized by Andrew Hernann)

WORKSHOP 4 - 3:15PM – 5:00PM
Gaston Gordillo on **Emergent Spaces**

PLENARY SESSION

5:30 PM

Harborside Room

Welcome: Elizabeth Cullen Dunn (University of Indiana, Bloomington)

Elsie Clews Parson Prize Presentation: Caitrin Lynch (Olin College)

Greetings: Carol J. Greenhouse, AES President (Princeton University)

Keynote Speaker: Julia Elyachar (University of California, Irvine)

Emergence and Emergency: Sovereignty, the Capitulations, and Social Theory after the January 25th Revolution in Egypt.”

OPENING RECEPTION

Porthole Room

Welcome: Elizabeth Cullen Dunn (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Friday, March 13

SESSION 1

8:00-9:45 AM

THE (IN)DETERMINACY OF ONTOLOGY

Embarcadero Room

Ontological Technique: Deaths of Sherpa and Korean Mountaineers

Young Hoon Oh (University of California, Riverside)

Built Imperial Oppression: The Use of First World War British Hospitals to 'Otherize' Colonial Soldiers

Zachary Ghodsi (Chapman University)

Moral Modes of Attention: Transformation of the Self, From Addict to Ultramarathon Runner

Courtney Cecale (University of California, Los Angeles)

Being There, Becoming With and the Emergence of the Ontological Turn

M Mather George (University of California, Berkeley)

Discussant: Martha Lampland (University of California, San Diego)

LANDSCAPES, SOCIALITY AND MATERIALITY

East Coast Room

Making the World Happen: Engineering the Emergence of Globalization in Shanghai

Van Troi Tran (Université Laval)

Un/Doing Decay: Ruined Railway Landscapes and the Possibilities of Repair in Argentina

Stephanie McCallum (University of California, Santa Cruz)

Emergent Structures: The Materialisation of Autonomy in Egypt

Nada El-Kouny (Rutgers University)

Distributing the Sensible: The Limits of Loose Spatial Use on the Marseille Waterfront

Philip Cartelli (Harvard University)

Looking down from a "Christmas Tree": Displacement, Memory, and the Hotel Iveria Case in Georgia

Gorkem Aydemir Kundakci (George Washington University)

Discussant: Van Troi Tran (Université Laval)

REACHING BEYOND THE ACADEMY: STRATEGIES, POLITICS, AND PRINCIPLES FOR A PUBLIC ANTHROPOLOGY - Round Table Discussion

West Coast Room

Caitrin Lynch (Olin College)

Daniel Goldstein (Rutgers University)

Susan Greenhalgh (Harvard University)

Hugh Gusterson (George Mason University)

Jong Bum Kwon (Webster College)

Carrie Lane (California State University, Fullerton)

Organizers: Caitrin Lynch (Olin College) and Carrie Lane (California State University, Fullerton)

REPAIR WORK AND THE MAINTENANCE OF INFRASTRUCTURE

Pacific A Room

Beyond Breakdown: Infrastructure and the Lives of Maintenance

Nikhil Anand (University of Minnesota)

Fixing Decay in Chicago Public Housing's Aftermath

Catherine Fennell (Columbia University)

Imperfect Infrastructures

Leo Coleman (The Ohio State University)

The Care of Ruins

Christina Schwenkel (University of California, Riverside)

Panel Organizers: Christina Schwenkel (University of California, Riverside) and

Nikhil Anand (University of Minnesota)

Discussant: Gaston Gordillo (University of British Columbia)

SESSION 2

10:00-11:45 AM

FORM-ING LEGAL RELATIONS

Embarcadero Room

Documenting Care: Paperwork at the Nexus of Court and Clinic in Northern California's Mental Health Courts

Jessica Cooper (Princeton University)

The Emergence of the “Right Paper”: An Examination of the Form(s) of Relations in a Legal Self-Help Clinic

Alyse Bertenthal (University of California, Irvine)

The Writ Hearing Information Sheet: Form and Emergent Performance in the LA County Mental Health Court

Abigail Mack (University of California, Los Angeles)

From Cavil to Gavel: Reproducing Records and Negotiating Legality in Child Welfare Hearings

Matilda Stubbs (Northwestern University)

Panel Organizers: Jessica Cooper (Princeton University) and Matilda Stubbs (Northwestern University)

Discussant: Susan Coutin (University of California, Irvine)

GOVERNING THE MEANTIME: INTERSTICES OF POWER AND BELONGING

East Coast Room

“The constitution is not a constitution”: Regulatory Emergence and Subversion in Tanzania

Celeste Alexander (Princeton University)

Citizens making States; Emergent Bureaucracies and Budding Promises in Colombia

Sebastian Ramirez (Princeton University)

Risk-Teaching: Entrepreneurship Education in Tunisia

Joel Rozen (Princeton University)

Buen Vivir and the Emergence of Development Alternatives in the Ecuadorian Amazon

Joshua Holst (The University of Arizona)

Panel Organizers: Celeste Alexander (Princeton University) and Sebastian Ramirez (Princeton University)

Discussant: Joseph Hankins (University of California, San Diego)

THE PURSUIT OF QUALITY: DISTINCTION AND FUNGIBILITY IN EMERGENT AGRO-FOOD REGIMES

West Coast Room

Salmon as Special: Producing Quality and Mobilizing Stewardship in a Southwest Alaskan Fishery

Karen Hebert (Yale University)

Of Green Grain and Rogue Rice: Producing Quality Organic Basmati in the Doon Valley

Shaila Seshia Galvin (Williams College)

The Production of Quality Boredom on the American Factory Farm

Alex Blanchette (Tufts University)

Postcolonial Pricing: On the Changing Nature of Numbers in Kolkata's Tea Auction

Sarah Besky (University of Michigan)

Panel Organizers: Karen Hebert (Yale University) and Shaila Seshia Galvin (Williams College)

Discussant: Martha Lampland (University of California, San Diego)

UKRAINE: WHEN CRISIS SHAPES THE COUNTRY – Round Table Discussion

Pacific A Room

Tania Bulakh (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Elizabeth Cullen Dunn (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Tanya Richardson (Wilfrid Laurier University)

Gorkem Aydemir Kundakci (George Washington University)

Organizer: Tania Bulakh (Indiana University, Bloomington)

MIDDAY PAUSE

SESSION 3

1:00-2:45PM

THE (RE-) EMERGENCE OF PUBLIC ANTHROPOLOGY?

Embarcadero Room

Engaging Anthropological Publics through AAA Statements: the Viewpoint of Middle East Anthropology

Lara Deeb (Scripps College) and Jessica Winegar (Northwestern University)

The Emergence of Public Anthropology in Unexpected Spaces

Rachel Newcomb (Rollins College)

Teaching Intro: Our Largest Public Emerges

Kenneth Guest (Baruch College, CUNY)

Panel Organizer: Andrew Hernann (The Graduate Center CUNY)

Discussant: Andrew Hernann (The Graduate Center CUNY)

MED-EMERGENCE

East Coast Room

Emerging as “Professionals”: Engaged Ethnographic Research with the Q’eqchi Maya Healers in Belize

James Waldram (University of Saskatchewan)

"Solo el Estado puede curar": Illness and Citizenship Among the Aymara In the Border of Bolivia and Chile

Paula Saravia (University of California, San Diego)

Communication and Misunderstanding: Emergent Potential and Challenges in Medicina Intercultural in Southern Chile

Jennifer Guzman (SUNY Geneseo)

Cen in Postwar Northern Uganda: Acholi Suffering and Emergent Forms of Political Life

Adrian Lip Shing Yen (University of California, Davis)

Emergent Strategies and Submerged Experiences: The Political and Community Life of Saskatchewan’s HIV Policy

Pamela Downe (University of Saskatchewan)

Discussant: Jennifer Guzman (SUNY Geneseo)

GEOGRAPHIES OF CAPITALISM AND GLOBALIZATION

West Coast Room

The “Collapsing Middle Class”: The New Right vs. the “New Rights” Movements in Capitalist Precarity

Christine Gailey (University of California, Riverside)

The Post-Tenure University: Activism Across the Academy

Cynthia Saltzman (Rutgers University, Camden)

Austerity, Precarity, and Affect: New Social Movements and the Possibility of Justice in Spain

Jennifer Sime (Mesa College)

“May it Never End”: Price Wars, Networks, and Temporality in the “3 Ts” Mining Trade of the Eastern DR Congo

James Smith (University of California, Davis)

17.9 Billion dollars’ worth of advice: Or, how to become a billionaire

Daniel Souleles (Columbia University)

Discussant: Christine Gailey (University of California, Riverside)

'INFOCALYPSE', SECURITY, THREATS, AND DIGITAL ANXIETIES

Pacific A Room

Resistance During the Cryptowars: Dynamics In the Politicization of (Some) Hackers

David Bozzini (CUNY)

'Fight[ing] Adversaries in the Digital World': Constructing the Internet as a War Zone

Victoria Bernal (University of California, Irvine)

Exploiting the Social: Hacking and Politics of Cultural Anxiety

Douglas Thomas (University of Southern California)

Hacker Projects and Trajectories

Luis Felipe Rosado Murillo (University of California, Los Angeles)

Panel Organizers: David Bozzini (CUNY) and Victoria Bernal (University of California, Irvine)

IDENTITY ACTIVIST EMERGENC(I)ES – Double panel

Pacific B Room

The Politics of Immigration: Constructing and Challenging "Illegality" and Enforcement

Luisa Laura Heredia (Sarah Lawrence College)

Race, Nation, and Citizenship in the Dominican Republic Today: How New Commemorations of 1937 State Violence Aim to Redefine National Belonging

Robin Maria DeLugan (University of California, Merced)

From Ferguson to Ayotzinapa: Police States of Emergency and States of Political Emergence

Ivan Arenas (University of Illinois at Chicago)

Emergence, Convergence, and Normalization: Performing Durable Collectivity in A Post-Apartheid Social Movement Organization

Omotayo Jolaosho (University of California, Merced)

Trickster Citizenship: Reflexivity and Risk in Ghanaian Political Performance

Jesse Weaver Shipley (Haverford College)

The Emergence of New Social Identities and Their Effect on Language Change

Rachel Emerine Hicks (University of California, San Diego)

Tales from the 'Black Side': An Exploration of Race and Identity in Albania

Chelsi West (The University of Texas at Austin)

'Building Catalans': Body Performances and the Emergence of Modern Catalan Nationalism

Aida Ribot Bencomo (University of California, San Diego), James Stout (University of California, San Diego), Maria Carreras (University of California, San Diego)

Panel Organizer: Omotayo Jolaosho (University of California, Merced)

Chair: Angelique Haugerud (Rutgers University)

Discussant: Aziz Fatnassi (Indiana University, Bloomington)

SESSION 4

3:00-4:45PM

RAYMOND WILLIAMS REVISITED: THE EMERGENT AND THE PRE-EMERGENT IN ETHNOGRAPHIC WORLDS

Embarcadero Room

Before the Ruins: Waiting for the Bulldozer in Algeria

Jane Goodman (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Emergent Commonalities: The Moving Matters Traveling Workshop

Susan Ossman (University of California, Riverside)

Notes On an Ambiguous Audience: Towards an Emergent Structure of Feeling

Susan Lepselter (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Anticipating the Next Copernican Revolution: Astronomical Futures in Contemporary Scientific Practice

Lisa Messeri (University of Virginia)

Habitual Transfer: Parasitic Cultivation of the Pre-emergent Through the Residual

Yunjin Woo (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Panel Organizers: Jane Goodman (Indiana University, Bloomington) and Susan Lepselter (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Chair: Susan Lepselter (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Discussant: Debbora Battaglia (Mt. Holyoke College)

BODIES OF EVIDENCE AND BODIES OF CARE: BRIDGING PERSPECTIVES ON FAMILY AND CHILDREN

East Coast Room

How Contemporary Euro-American Adoption Emerges From Violence

Judith Card (Washington State University)

What's Love Got to Do With It? Marriage Dissolution and Emerging Forms of Love and Respect in Rural Northeast Brazil

Melanie Medeiros (SUNY Geneseo)

The Emergence of the Transgender Child

Sahar Sadjadi (Amherst College)

Orphanhood and the Art of Not Being Cared For

Anila Daulatzai (Harvard University)

Discussant: Melanie Medeiros (SUNY Geneseo)

LOCALIZING THE MONGOL/IAN NATION: EMERGENT FORMS OF BELONGING

West Coast Room

We Got Next: Producing Mongolian Stakeholders in Los Angeles Through Basketball

Chima Anyadike-Danes (University of California, Irvine)

No Where Else to Go and A Place to Be Free: Russian and Mongolian Coworkers in the Age of Putin

Marissa Smith (Princeton University)

Mongolia vs. the Dalai Lama: Nationalizing the Dorje Shugden Controversy

Tal Liron (University of Chicago)

Twin Chords of the Fiddle: Balancing Anxiety and Solidarity with the Mongolian Morin Khuur in Urban Ulaanbaatar

Kip Hutchins (University of Wisconsin–Madison)

Panel Organizer: Marissa Smith (Princeton University)

Discussant: Devon Dear (University of Kansas)

MATTERS OF VALUE: THE AGENCY OF NONLIVING MATERIALS IN THE GENERATION OF SOCIAL WORLDS

Pacific A Room

Thinking With Sandbars: Towards a Material Poetics of Sediments Between the Danube and the Black Sea

Tanya Richardson (Wilfrid Laurier University)

Artisanal Mining Sites as Outcrops of the Anthropocene

Andrew Walsh (University of Western Ontario)

The Graphite Crucible: Mineral Agency and Refractory Subjects in Wartime Madagascar

Genese Sodikoff (Rutgers University)

Liquid Gold: Breast Milk, Value and Materiality

Susan Falls (Savannah College of Art and Design)

Old Bones in New Cloth? Considering Dinosaurs as Vibrant Matter

Elana Shever (Colgate University)

How Used Clothes are Made Anew: Knowledge and Production of Docile Objects in the Secondhand Clothing Market

Emma Greeson (University of California, San Diego)

Panel Organizer: Elana Shever (Colgate University)

Discussant: Elana Shever (Colgate University)

PLENARY SESSION**5:30 PM**

Harborside Room

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Welcome: Carol Greenhouse (Princeton University)

Keynote Address: Gaston Gordillo (University of British Columbia)

"The Emergent Properties of Destruction"

RECEPTION

Porthole Room

Welcome: Elizabeth Cullen Dunn (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Saturday, March 14

SESSION 1

8:00-9:45 AM

ONTOLOGY, MATERIALITY, AND VITALISM - Round Table Discussion

Embarcadero Room

Martha Lampland (University of California, San Diego)

Bill Maurer (University of California, Irvine)

Kalindi Vora (University of California, San Diego)

Roshanak Kheshti (University of California, San Diego)

Organizer: Martha Lampland (University of California, San Diego)

THE ANTHROPOLOGY OF CROWDS: ETHNOGRAPHIES OF EMERGING GROUP FORMATIONS

East Coast Room

Crowded to Death: Crowdedness and Emerging Class Divisions on Trains in the PRC

Megan Steffen (Princeton University)

Dancing Grannies in the Modern City: Alternative Consumption in Chengdu, China

Claudia Huang (University of California, Los Angeles)

Crowded Therapy: Affective Mediums and Ethnographic Reason

Samuele Collu (University of California, Berkeley/University of California, San Francisco)

The Fishmongers, School Children, and Time Sales: Crowd Formation in a Yokohama Supermarket

Meghan Sarah Fidler (Southern Illinois University, Carbondale)

Panel Organizer: Megan Steffen (Princeton University)

Discussant: Meghan Sarah Fidler (Southern Illinois University, Carbondale)

BRAIN, MIND, CULTURE, HISTORY: EMERGENCE AND INTERACTION ACROSS THE SOCIAL/NATURAL

West Coast Room

Getting Experimental: Embodied reading as a part of cognitive science research

Sarah Klein (University of California, San Diego)

Science to the Rescue? The Role of Agrarian Scientists in Resolving the Tobacco Epidemic in India

Amrita Kurian (University of California, San Diego)

Feeling Incomplete: The Emergence of Relationlessness in the Contemporary Japanese Family

Michael Berman (University of California, San Diego)

Objects and Others: The Emergence of Natural Kinds in the Naming of Mirror and Canonical Neurons

Yelena Gluzman (University of California, San Diego)

Panel Organizer: David Pedersen (University of California, San Diego)

Discussant: David Pedersen (University of California, San Diego)

THE EMERGENCE AND EVANESCENCE OF MODEL COMMUNITIES

Pacific A Room

Global Cities Made Local: Political Uses of the Santa Fe Pueblo's Utopian Past

Pablo Landa (Princeton University)

"My House, My Life": Becoming Middle-Class Citizens in Brazil's Public Housing System

Moises Kopper (Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul)

The Exploitation of "Cultural Exchange:" J1 Visa Students in a U.S. Company Town

Peter Kurie (Princeton University)

The Sequencing Species

Parker Shipton (Boston University and Stanford University)

Modernist Ruins, Fragmented Debris: The making and (Un)making of Monumentality in Tajín, Veracruz, Mexico

Monica Salas Landa (Cornell University)

Panel Organizer: Pablo Landa (Princeton University)

Discussant: Marissa Smith (Princeton University)

THE POLITICS OF SUBSTANCE USE AND ABUSE

Pacific B Room

Against the Grain: Celiacs' Ambiguity and Ambivalence at the Emerging Popularity of the Gluten-Free Diet

Hillary Crane (Linfield College)

The Narco Uncanny

Shaylih Muehlmann (University of British Columbia)

The Ones Who Struck Out: Entrepreneurialism, Heroin Addiction, and Historical Obsolescence in Reform Era China

Nick Bartlett (University of California, Los Angeles)

The Dharma of Difference: Alterity & Alcohol in Jharkhand, India

Roger Begrich (Bowdoin College)

Discussant: Hillary Crane (Linfield College)

SESSION 2**10:00-11:45 AM****COMPUTERS, SEXUALITY, AND IDENTITY: MEDIATED SEX IN THE 21ST CENTURY**

Embarcadero Room

Beats make that *** go: PMVs and Connoisseurs**

Aziz Fatnassi (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Want to move to Bucharest? Videochat Economics and Perceptions on Sex Work

Alexandra Cotofana (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Experiences and Commodities Crossing the Boundary: The Sexonomies of Cam Boys

Brian Adams-Thies (University of Phoenix)

Panel Organizer: Alexandra Cotofana (Indiana University, Bloomington)

Discussant: Tom Boellstorff (University of California, Irvine)

REPRESENTATION THROUGH ART

East Coast Room

Children of Graffiti: Kinship Relations and Artistic Legitimacy

Jandy Gu (University of Florida)

From the Ashes: The Re-Emergence of Classical (Court) Dance as a Symbol of Nationhood in Post-Khmer Rouge Cambodia

Celia Tuchman-Rosta (University of California, Riverside)

Social, Testimonial Lives: The Work of Photographs in Public Protest in Bogotá

Sarah Richardson (The George Washington University)

The Emergence of Folkloric Comics in India

Jeremy Stoll (Metropolitan State University in Denver)

Discussant: Sarah Richardson (George Washington University)

FROM DEEP ECOLOGIES TO ECONOMIES OF SURVIVAL

West Coast Room

The Winds of Water: Ecological Crisis and Conflict on the US/Mexico Border

Daniel Polk (Stanford University)

The Land of No Taboo: Emerging Landscapes of Exile in Madagascar

Sarah Osterhoudt (Indiana University, Bloomington)

The Emergence of Hierarchy

Paulo Santilli (Universidade Estadual Paulista - Fundação de Amparo à Pesquisa do Estado de São Paulo)

A Bad Year in a Good Place: Emerging Differences of Food Security and Belonging in Tanzania

James Ellison (Dickinson College)

Making Appearances: "Voluntourism" vs. Anthropological Mediation

Jamie Johnson (University of North Texas)

Discussant: Sarah Osterhoudt (Indiana University, Bloomington)

MONEY MOVEMENTS: EMERGENT FORMS OF CURRENCY, PAYMENT, AND VALUE CIRCULATION

Pacific A Room

A Postcolonial Invention or A Battle for a New Market? Pushing Mobile Money at the Margins of Europe

Smoki Musaraj (Ohio University)

Palimpsests of Money and Currency Exchange in Cuba

Mrinalini Tankha (University of California, Irvine)

When Cash Is the Tie That Binds: On the Materiality of Banknotes in the Euro-zone Debt Crisis

Ursula Dalinghaus (University of California, Irvine)

Mobile Monies and Imaginaries: Remittance Histories, Hopes and Hypotheticals in Saigon/Ho Chi Minh City

Ivan Small (Central Connecticut State University)

Idioms of Practice around Mobile Money in a Coming of Age Ritual in Western Kenya

Sibel Kusimba (American University)

Panel Organizer: Mrinalini Tankha (University of California, Irvine)

Discussant: David Pedersen (University of California, San Diego)

MIDDAY PAUSE

SESSION 3

1:00-2:45PM

ANTHROPOLOGY, ACTIVISM, AND THE CURRENT POLITICAL MOMENT - Round Table Discussion

Embarcadero Room

Carole Ann McGranahan (University of Colorado)

Tessa Farmer (Whittier College)

Gina Athena Ulysse (Wesleyan University)

Andrea Mazzarino (Brown University)

Andrew Hernann (The Graduate Center CUNY)

Susan Coutin (University of California, Irvine)

Daniel Goldstein (Rutgers University)

Organizer: Elizabeth Dunn (Indiana University) and Carole Ann McGranahan (University of Colorado)

THE MATERIALITIES AND IMMATERIALITIES OF SPACE AND INFRASTRUCTURE

East Coast Room

The Commodity as “of the Community”: Semiotics of Participatory Urban Design

Kyung-Nan Koh (Hankuk University of Foreign Studies)

Colonial atmospheres and the emergence of African Independent Churches (AIC)

Rune Flikke (University of Oslo)

Making Art, Making Neighborhoods: Experiential Art and Community Building in Amman Jordan

Colin McLaughlin-Alcock (University of California, Irvine)

Preserving Life in a Future of Lost Vitality: Robotics and Urban Planning in Post-crisis Japan

Shawn Bender (Dickinson College)

Egalitarian Aesthetics: Making Equality by Making Buildings

Mariel Gruszko (University of California, Irvine)

Discussant: Shawn Bender (Dickinson College)

ON EMERGENCE, EMERGENCIES, AND DURATION: CRISIS, THREAT, AND TEMPORALITY

West Coast Room

On Critical Times: Return, Repetition, and the Uncanny Present

Rebecca Bryant (European Institute, London School of Economics and Political Science)

The Threat of Emergence: Temporality and the Fears of a Post-crisis nation

Daniel Knight (Durham University)

There Will Always be a Gaza War: Duration, Subjectivity and Intractable Conflict

Joyce Dalsheim (University of North Carolina at Charlotte)

Everyday Apocalypse

Gregory Starrett (University of North Carolina at Charlotte)

Panel Organizers: Joyce Dalsheim (University of North Carolina at Charlotte) and Rebecca Bryant (European Institute, London School of Economics and Political Science)

SURVIVALS

Pacific A Room

Nature's Experiment: 140 Years of Twins as Research Subjects

Alison Cool (Harvey Mudd College)

Emergent Pleasures: Electronic Cigarettes and the Socially Unexceptional

Emily McDonald (John Jay College, City University of New York)

The Continued Expansion of Non-Invasive Prenatal Testing (NIPT): Will It Raise New Ethical Questions?

Jessica Mozersky (The New School for Social Research)

Survivals and Ruins: Kanak Independence and Colonial Fear in New Caledonia

Tate LeFevre (Franklin & Marshall College)

Panel Organizer: Alison Cool (Harvey Mudd College)

Discussant: Marianne de Laet (Harvey Mudd College)

SOLDIERS. SEX. SECURITY. ON GENDER AND VIOLENCE

Pacific B Room

Objects and Affects. The Emergence of Gendered Violence as a (Contested) Matter of Public Concern in Italy.

Giovanna Parmigiani (University of Toronto)

The Birth of the Shelter: Emerging Vulnerabilities in Nigeria's Counter-Trafficking Programs

Stacey Vanderhurst (Indiana University, Bloomington)

FGM is Taboo: The Making of a Current Movement of Protest in Rural Kenya

Miroslava Prazak (Bennington College)

The Knowledge of Bodies: Disappearing and the Disappeared

Ram Natarajan (Harvard University)

Discussant: Alexandra Cotofana (Indiana University, Bloomington)

SESSION 4**3:00-4:45PM****REAL LIFE AND THE HASHTAG MEDIA WORLD**

Embarcadero Room

Vaccine Decision-Making in a Hashtagged World

Arianna Huhn (San Diego State University)

Becoming Popular: The Impact of Modern Media on the World of Competitive Ballroom Dance

Jonathan Marion (University of Arkansas)

Social Media and Smartphones in Quito, Ecuador: Identity, Access and Shifting Notions of Progress

Anais Parada (University of South Carolina)

Digital Divide and Gezi Park Demonstrations as a Case of Digital Movement

Atilla Kılınç (Istanbul Bilgi University)

Emerging schemes of Collective Action: Repertoires and Moral Grammars of Protest in Porto Alegre, Brazil

Patricia Silva (University of California Irvine and Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil)

Discussant: Tom Boellstorff (University of California, Irvine)

VARIATION WITHOUT DIFFERENCE: HOW CAN THE ANTHROPOLOGY OF DISABILITY CHANGE THE DEBATE?

East Coast Room

Who Guides Jimbo? The Blind Person-Dog Assemblage in the Perspective of Deleuzoguattarian Theory

Hana Porkertová (Masaryk University)

Disabling Citizenship: Manual Labor and the Tyranny of Proof

Celina Callahan-Kapoor (University of California, Santa Cruz)

Global Bodies: Problematizing Transnational Definitions of Disability

Cassandra Hartblay (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill)

Post-Soviet Disability Tactics: Constructing Extrabilities In Russia

Svetlana Borodina (Rice University)

An Ethnography of the Undiagnosed: Emergent Questions and Challenges

Elizabeth Lewis (University of Texas at Austin)

Panel Organizers: Matthew Wolf-Meyer (University of California, Santa Cruz) and Elizabeth Lewis (University of Texas at Austin)

Discussant: Matthew Wolf-Meyer (University of California, Santa Cruz)

VISIBLE CITIZENS: EXPLORATIONS IN ARAB-AMERICAN LIVES IN CALIFORNIA

West Coast Room

From Sojourners to Settlers: Explorations in the 'Ideology of Return' in Little Yemen of California

Hager El Hadidi (California State University, Bakersfield)

Experiencing Prejudice: A Yemeni-American View

Wayne Moore (California State University, Bakersfield)

By the Sweep of My Hijab: Muslim Arab-American Women, Identity and Fashion

Jaymee Hasty (California State University, Bakersfield)

What Does it Mean to Be Muslim in Kern County? An Exploration into Multigenerational Religious Practice

Nickolas Stringer (California State University, Bakersfield)

Understanding Multilingualism among Arab-Americans

Brianna Ramirez (California State University, Bakersfield)

Panel Organizer: Hager El Hadidi (California State University, Bakersfield)

Discussant: M. Mather George (University of California, Berkeley)

EMERGING MOBILITIES AND STABILITIES

Pacific A Room

Criminal Moves

Ieva Jusionyte (University of Florida)

Beyond Transnationalism: Lessons from Somalia on Mobility and the New Security Apartheid

Catherine Besteman (Colby College)

Negocios Hacemos: Upward Mobility and Stratification Among Aymara Merchants in Bolivia and Chile

Jorge Montesinos (University of California, San Diego)

Unauthorized: Migration and Stigmatized Mobility

Beth Baker (California State University, Los Angeles)

Re/Membering: Reassembling Nations, Persons, and Histories in the Aftermath of Violence

Susan Coutin (University of California, Irvine)

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Discussant: David Pedersen (University of California, San Diego)

PLENARY SESSION**5:30 PM**

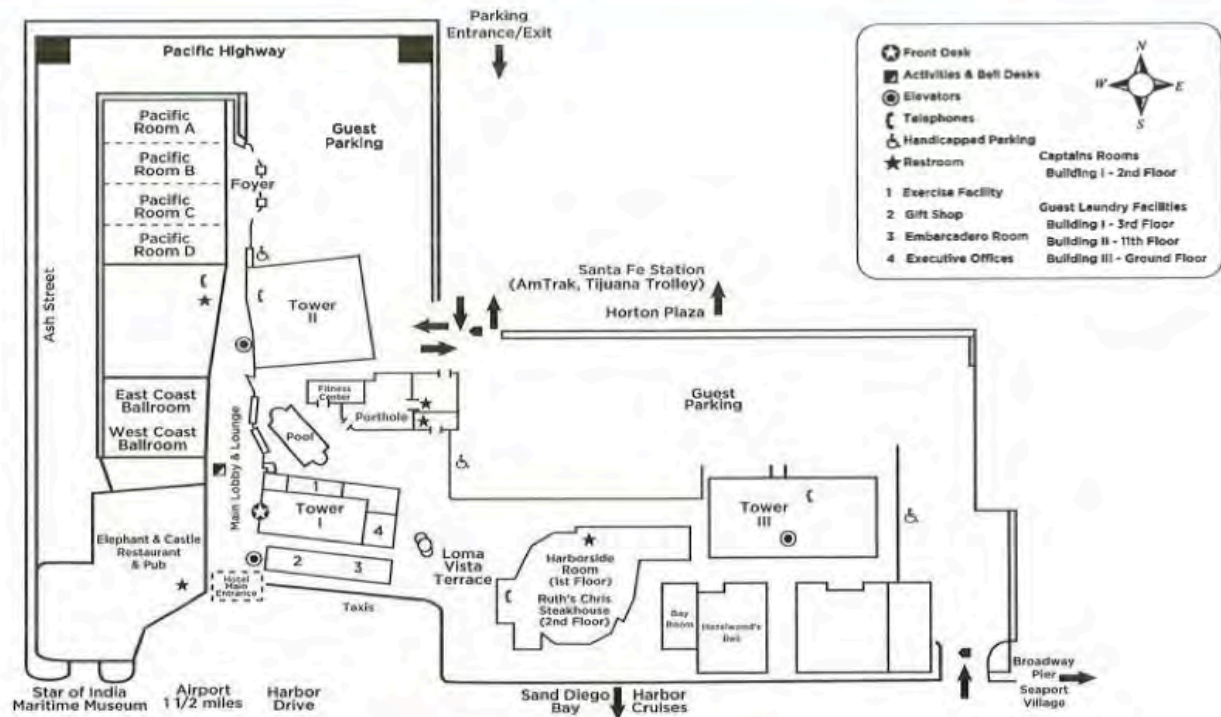
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Inside the Anthropologist's Studio: A Conversation With Alisse Waterston

Alisse Waterston (John Jay College, CUNY)

Elizabeth Dunn (Indiana University)

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