Urban Studies Senior Thesis Colloquium

May 7, 2021

Each set of presentations will be followed by a moderated discussion and a question & answer session. To receive zoom link, register here.

[9:30 - 10:30AM] Capital, Politics, and Urban Space

Tessa Flanagan (Civil and Environmental Engineering)
Designing the Green New Deal: Thin Shell Umbrella Structures for Low-Carbon Public Housing

Margo Sneeringer (Politics)
Pocketed Proceeds: An Assessment of Financially Motivated Policing in America

Christopher Walton (Politics)
Nationalist in Content, International in Form: After Belonging in Belgrade and Budapest

Discussant: Aaron Shkuda, Project Manager, Princeton-Mellon Initiative

[10:30 - 11:15AM] Urban/Rural Dynamics

Zaza Asatiani (Sociology)
Social Institutions in Contemporary China and the COVID-19 Pandemic: From Actualities to Prospects

Kate Schassler (Civil and Environmental Engineering)
Breaking Ground in Urban Food Systems: Novel Data and Analysis of Direct-to-Consumer Farms that Serve Cities

Discussant: Shoshana Goldstein, Princeton Mellon/Princeton Institute for International & Regional Studies Fellow

***BRIEF 15-MINUTE BREAK***


Anoushka Mariwala (Architecture)
Larger Than Life: Space, Politics, and Ritual in Mumbai’s Ganesh Chaturthi Festival

Madeleine Marr (Politics)
Parks for the People: Post-High Line Parks and Intersectional Infrastructure

Clara Roth (Architecture)
A New City Streetscape: Investigating Public Space Programs in New York City under COVID-19

Discussant: William A. Gleason, Hughes-Rogers Professor of English and American Studies

[12:30 - 1:30PM] Race and Urban Politics

Marina Carlucci (Sociology)
"Policing ain’t what it used to be": An Analysis of Black Lives Matter Protests and Changes in Police Departments

Scott Overbey (Economics)
Examining the Spatial and Temporal Characteristics of Evictions in Hamilton County, Ohio

Daniel Te (Philosophy)
Ghetto Inequality as a Regional Imperative: Political Integration to Rectify Racial Injustice

Discussant: Devanne Brookins, Princeton Mellon Fellow in Architecture, Urbanism & the Humanities