STS Circle at Harvard Fall 2021

All meetings will take place on Mondays, from 12:15–1:30 p.m. (US Eastern), remotely via Zoom.

To RSVP or find more information, please visit: http://sts.hks.harvard.edu/

Sep 13  Eric Beerbohm (Government, Harvard)  
How to Gaslight Citizens

Sep 20  Jack Hensley (SEAS, Harvard)  
Geoengineering the Climate with a Human-made Volcano

Sep 27  Marion Boulicault (Philosophy, MIT)  
Gender, Time, and the Measurement of Fertility

Oct 4  Mathias Risse (Harvard Kennedy School)  
The Truth Will Not Set You Free: Is There a Right to It Anyway?

Oct 18  Gabriel Dorthe (IASS Potsdam & Harvard STS)  
Sociotechnical Promises and Their By-products

Oct 25  Abby Spinak (Harvard GSD)  
Electricity and Empowerment: Towards a More Critical Energy History

Nov 1  Onur Ozgode (Harvard STS)  
Fractals of Governance: The Management of Systemic Risk at the Limits of Liberalism, 1913–2010

Nov 3 (Wed)  Science and Democracy Lecture Series  
Alondra Nelson (Office of Science and Technology Policy)  
5:00-7:00pm

Nov 8  Anna Lvovsky (Harvard Law)  
Vice Patrol: Antigay Policing and the Politics of Knowledge before Stonewall

Nov 15  Elettra Bietti (Harvard Law)  
A Genealogy of Digital Platform Regulation

Nov 22  Lily Hu (Applied Math and Philosophy, Harvard)  
Categories and Causation in the Social Sciences

Nov 29  Alex Wellerstein (STS, Stevens Institute of Technology)  
How to Lose a Lot of Weapons-Grade Uranium and Get Away with It

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Background: A screenshot from the data-driven, interactive, 3D simulation game Nanoscape, showing the surface of a cancer cell, replete with proteins and with a blood vessel in the distance, created by the 3D Visualisation Aesthetics Lab at UNSW Sydney.