

# STS Circle at Harvard Spring 2019

All meetings will take place on **Mondays**, from **12:15–2 p.m.**, in **CGIS South S050, 1730 Cambridge Street**, unless otherwise noted. Sandwich lunches will be provided.

Please RSVP to [sts@hks.harvard.edu](mailto:sts@hks.harvard.edu) by the Wednesday before. For more information, please visit:  
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Feb 4 **Benjamin Tyler Wilson** (Harvard, History of Science)  
*Strategies of Conflict: Performing Responsibility in the Missile Age*

Feb 11 **Durba Mitra** (Harvard, Women, Gender and Sexuality)  
*Abortion and the Forensics of Sexuality in Colonial India*

Feb 25 **Daniel Francis Zizzamia** (Harvard, Solar Geoengineering)  
*American Geomimesis: The Earth's Past and Engineering Environments*

Mar 4 **Warwick Anderson** (University of Sydney, History)  
*Negotiating Personhood and Precision in Recent Biomedicine*

Mar 11 **Marianne F. Potvin** (Harvard, GSD)  
*Humanitarian Planners in the "Century of the Unsettled Man"*

Mar 25 **Eli Nelson** (Harvard, STS)  
*Repossessing the Wilderness: New Deal Sciences in the Eastern Band of the Cherokee Nation*

Apr 1 **Geneva Smith** (University of New Mexico, Anthropology, and Harvard, STS)  
*The Law of the Land: Charting Exclusion Zones at the Limits of Argentina's Soybean Futures*

Apr 8 **Jia Hui Lee** (MIT, HASTS)  
*"A Rat By Any Other Name": Practices of Naming and Classifying Rodents in Morogoro, Tanzania*

Apr 15 **Wendy Hui Kyong Chun** (Simon Fraser, School of Communication)  
*Discriminating Data*

Apr 16 (Tu) **Science & Democracy Lecture**  
**David Edgerton** (King's College London, History)  
*Imitation, Invasion, Innovation: Why Imitation Really Matters in Global History of Technology*  
*Location TBA, 5:00-7:00pm*



Apr 22 **Natalia Gutkowski** (Harvard Academy for International & Area Studies)  
*Materializing Time: The Techno-Scientific Transformation of Olive Agriculture in Israel/Palestine*

Apr 29 **Robin Celikates** (University of Amsterdam, Philosophy)  
*Agency and Automation: Digital Disobedience and Its Infrastructure*

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Background: Smoke from the 2003 Cedar Fire in San Diego County over the Pacific Ocean. At the time, it was the largest single fire in modern California history. Source: MODIS Rapid Response Team, NASA.