## STS Circle at Harvard Spring 2012

All meetings will take place on **Mondays**, from **12:15—2 p.m.**, at **124 Mt. Auburn Street, Suite 100, Room 106**, unless otherwise noted. Sandwich lunches will be provided.

Please RSVP to sts@hks.harvard.edu by the Thursday before. For more information, please visit: http://sts.hks.harvard.edu/

Jan 23 Catherine Bliss (Brown University, Africana and STS)
Race Decoded: The Genomic Fight for Social Justice

Jan 30 **Irus Braverman** (SUNY Buffalo Law School)

The Nature of Zoos: Captive Animal Networks in North America

Feb 6 **Conevery Valencius** (University of Massachusetts Boston, History)
Historians and Earthquakes in the Central United States: Making the
Past Clear when the Future Isn't

Feb 13 **Jonathan Kahn** (Hamline University, School of Law)
Not Fade Away: Race and the Politics of the Meantime in
Biotech Patenting and Drug Development

Feb 27 **Jessica Wang** (University of British Columbia, History)
Physics, Emotion, and the Scientific Self in the Nuclear Age:
Merle Tuve's Cold War

Mar 5 **Clapperton Mavhunga** (MIT, STS)
Why is the 'Social,' Not 'Technology,' the
Central Subject in African(ist) History?

Mar 19 **Sergio Sismondo** (Queen's University, Philosophy)
Pharma's Key Opinion Leaders: Valuing Conflicts of
Interest and Independence

Mar 26 **Judy Wajcman** (LSE, Sociology)

Life in the Fast Lane? Towards a Sociology of Technology and Time

Apr 2 **Stephen Hilgartner** (Cornell University, STS) Dis-en-closing Science

Apr 9 **Gregg Mitman** (University of Wisconsin, History of Science)

Documenting the World: Film, Photography, and the Scientific Record

Apr 16 **Christine Leuenberger** (Cornell University, STS) *Politics of Maps in Israel* 

Apr 17 (Tu) Science & Democracy Lecture Series
Anne Wojcicki (CEO, 23&Me)
Location TBA, 5-7pm

Apr 23 Maggie Curnutte (Harvard, STS)
I Consume, Therefore I Am: The Construction of the Genetic Citizen in the United States

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