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CENTRE FOR SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES

2021-22 Events Calendar

Pathbreakers: New Postdoctoral Research on South Asia at U of T

FALL 2021

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Friday, September 24, 5-6 PM | Online event

Orientations Toward the Future: The Affects and Temporalities of Infrastructure Development in Lapchi

SPEAKER: Dr. Nadine Plachta, Department of Geography & Planning, U of T

DISCUSSANT: Prof. Katharine Rankin, Department of Geography & Planning, U of T

Friday, October 15, 5-6 PM | Online event

The Persistence and Transformation of Pre-Buddhist Religious Practices in Rural Bhutan

SPEAKER: Dr. Kelzang Tashi, Centre for South Asian Studies, U of T

DISCUSSANT: Prof. Christoph Emmrich, Department for the Study of Religion and the Centre for South Asian Studies, U of T

Friday, October 29 | Delivery mode and time: TBC

Representations of the Buddha in Persian Literary Culture

SPEAKER: Dr. Pegah Shahbaz, Centre for South Asian Studies, U of T

DISCUSSANT: Prof. Christoph Emmrich, Department for the Study of Religion and Centre for South Asian Studies, U of T

Friday, November 26 | Delivery mode and time: TBC

Caste and the Poetics of Equality as Transgression: the Division of Labourers, the Equivalence of Bodies, and the Force of Sequester

SPEAKER: Dr. William Stafford, Department of Visual Studies, UTM

DISCUSSANT: Prof. Kajri Jain, Department of Visual Studies, UTM

WINTER 2022

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Friday, January 14 | Delivery mode and time: TBC

Relational Labour, Respectable Labour: Public Works Construction and Caste in Colonial India

SPEAKER: Dr. Madhavi Jha, Centre for South Asian Civilization and Department of Historical Studies, UTM

DISCUSSANT: Prof. Malavika Kasturi, Department of Historical Studies, UTM

**All events will be moderated by Christoph Emmrich, Director of the Centre for South Asian Studies*

**Registration will be available at: <https://munkschool.utoronto.ca/csas/events/>*