

**M.PHIL. IN MODERN SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES**

**LECTURE LIST: Michaelmas Term 2019 – 2020**

| DAY   | TIME                                    | CONVENOR(S)                                 | VENUE   | COURSE   |
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| Mondays<br>(1 <sup>st</sup> Monday class is<br>14 October)<br>NO CLASS 4 NOV                | 3.00-5.00 pm                            | Professor S.<br>Sivasundaram<br>& others    | Room S3<br><b>Third Floor</b><br>AR Building  | <b>Core*</b><br>Introduction to<br>Modern S. Asia                        |
| <b>Tuesday,<br/>22 October only</b><br>Language teacher is<br>aware & will<br>avoid a clash | 10-12                                   | Dr Kate Daniels                             | Room S1<br><b>First floor</b><br>AR Building  | <b>PG Research and<br/>writing skills session</b>                        |
| Tuesdays/Wednesdays<br><b>To be confirmed</b>   | 10.00-11.30<br>am<br>4.00-4.50 pm       | Mr Aishwarj Kumar                           | TBC   | <b>Hindi</b><br><br><b>Urdu</b>  |
| Wednesday,<br>27 November only<br>Language teacher is<br>aware & will<br>avoid a clash      | 11.00-1                                 | Dr Anjali<br>Bhardwaj-Datta                 | Room S3<br><b>Third floor</b><br>AR Building  | Session on fieldwork<br>& interviews                                     |
| Thursdays<br>(1 <sup>st</sup> class is<br>10 October)<br>NO CLASS 17 OCT                    | 11.30-1                                 | Dr Partha Pratim Shil                       | Room S3<br><b>Third Floor</b><br>AR Building  | Texts in the study of<br>modern South &<br>South East Asia               |
| <b>Thursday,<br/>17 October only</b>  | 2.30-4.30                               | Luna Sabastian                              | Room SG2<br><b>Ground Floor</b><br>AR Building                                      | skills session on<br>strategic reading,<br>note-taking and<br>plagiarism |
| Fridays<br>(1 <sup>st</sup> Friday class is<br>11 October)                                  | 11-1<br>(note: 3-5<br>pm on 11<br>Oct.) | Professor Sujit<br>Sivasundaram<br>& others | <b>S2 for 11 Oct<br/>class only</b><br>Room S3<br><b>Third Floor</b><br>AR Building | <b>Core*</b><br>Introduction to<br>Modern S. Asia                        |
| <b>Friday,<br/>18 October only</b>  | 2.30-4                                  | Professor Sujit<br>Sivasundaram             | Room 138<br><b>First floor</b><br>AR Building                                       | Session on applying to<br>study for a PhD                                |
| <b>Friday,<br/>25 October only</b>  | 2.30-4                                  | Dr Kevin Greenbank                          | Room S2<br><b>Second Floor</b><br>AR Building                                       | Introduction to the<br>CSAS Archive & tour<br>of the ARB basement        |

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| Friday, 11 October<br><b>3-5 pm</b> | <b>Professor Sujit Sivasundaram</b>                  | Colonialism and its legacies                                | <b>S2, ARB</b><br>Second floor |
| Monday, 14 October, 3-5             | <b>Luna Sabastian</b>                                | History of nationalism and nation building                  | <b>S3, ARB</b><br>Third floor  |
| Friday, 18 October, 11-1            | <b>Dr Anjali Bhardwaj Datta and Dr Saumya Saxena</b> | Gender, the household and the family                        | <b>S3, ARB</b>                 |
| Monday, 21 October, 3-5 pm          | <b>Professor Susan Bayly and Dr Perveez Mody</b>     | Caste and culture: key anthropological debates              | <b>S3, ARB</b>                 |
| Friday, 25 October, 11-1            | <b>Dr Andrew Sanchez</b>                             | The experience and problems of class analysis in South Asia | <b>S3, ARB</b>                 |
| Monday, 28 October, 3-5             | <b>Dr Tejas Parasher</b>                             | Modern political thought in South Asian                     | <b>S3, ARB</b>                 |

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| Friday,<br>1 November, 11-1              | <b>Dr Edward<br/>Anderson</b>           | Migration and diaspora  | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Monday,<br>4 November                    |   | <b>NO CLASS</b>   |                |
| Friday, 8<br>November,<br><b>9-11 am</b> | <b>Dr Harshan<br/>Kumarasingham</b>     | Decolonisation and state-building<br>in South Asia                    | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Monday, 11<br>November, 3-5              | <b>Professor Samita<br/>Sen</b>         | Labour and capital in South Asian<br>history                          | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Friday, 15<br>November, 11-1             | <b>Dr Maan Barua</b>                    | Geographies of Conservation:<br>nature, society and politics in India | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Monday, 18<br>November, 3-5              | <b>Dr Shailaja<br/>Fennell</b>          | Economic growth and development                                       | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Friday, 22<br>November, 11-1             | <b>Dr Kamal Munir</b>                   | Neoliberalism and<br>underdevelopment in Pakistan                     | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Monday, 25<br>November, 3-5              | <b>Professor Sujit<br/>Sivasundaram</b> | Sri Lanka   | <b>S3, ARB</b> |

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| Friday, 29<br>November,<br>11-1 | <b>Dr Elisabeth<br/>Leake</b>                                      | Geopolitics: South Asia, inter-<br>regional and international relations  | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Monday, 2<br>December, 3-5      | <b>Professor David<br/>Gellner</b>                                 | Ethnogenesis and open borders:<br>Nepal's Tarai-Madhesh and Nepal-<br>India relations  | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Thursday,<br>5 December, 2-5    | <b>Professor Sujit<br/>Sivasundaram<br/>and Luna<br/>Sabastian</b> | Presentations on dissertations<br>(first of two sessions)  | <b>S3, ARB</b> |
| Friday, 6<br>December, 11-1     | <b>Professor Sujit<br/>Sivasundaram<br/>and Luna<br/>Sabastian</b> | Presentations on dissertations<br>(second of two sessions)<br><b>THIS SESSION WILL BE<br/>FOLLOWED BY AN END OF<br/>TERM SANDWICH LUNCH<br/>ON THE SOFAS</b> | <b>S3, ARB</b> |