



# CeMIS

Centre for Modern Indian Studies

## COLLOQUIUM

Wednesdays 16:15 – 17:45

## SUMMER

CeMIS board room 2.112 | Waldweg 26, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

## SEMESTER

Conveners

Patrick Eisenlohr  
Radhika Gupta  
Nandagopal R. Menon

# 2016

### APRIL

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- 20** **LAURENT GAYER** *Sciences Po, Paris*  
The Labors of Coexistence:  
Engaging with Diversity in Amroha (India)
- 27** **DAG ERIK BERG** *CeMIS, Göttingen*  
Mechanisms of Oppression:  
Dalits and Legal Developments in India

### MAY

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- 04** **CAROLINE OSELLA** *SOAS, London*  
'Muslim Style' in South India: Glamour, Modesty and  
Fashion in the Universe
- 11** **BURKHARD SCHNEPEL**  
*University of Halle/MPI for Social Anthropology*  
From Port of Call to Cyber Island: Mauritius and Its Role  
in Connectivity Across the Indian Ocean
- 18** **FRANK PERLIN** *Historian*  
Cultural Differentiation in an Always Transitional and  
Globalising World: The 15<sup>th</sup> to the 19<sup>th</sup> Centuries
- 25** **PIERRE-YVES TROUILLET** *CNRS/CEIAS Paris*  
The Migrant Priests of the Overseas Tamil Hindu  
Temples: Profiles, Circulations, Issues
- 27** **Ajay Skaria** *Minnesota University*  
10:00 TBA

### JUNE

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- 01** **ANDREW SANCHEZ** *University of Kent*  
Profane Relations: The Irony of Offensive Jokes in India
- 08** **BARBARA HARRISS-WHITE** *University of Oxford*  
Social Relations of Waste
- 15** **STEPHEN LEGG** *University of Nottingham*  
Spaces of Anti-Colonialism: Communal Violence and  
Nationalist Geographies in Interwar Delhi
- 22** **AMMARA MAQSOOD** *University of Oxford*  
Who Are the Taliban? Truth, Deflection and Uncertainty  
Amongst Tribal Pashtuns in Pakistan
- 29** **NAYANIKA MATHUR** *University of Cambridge*  
Eating Money: A Questioning of the Villainy of  
Corruption in the Leaky Indian State

### JULY

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- 06** **SAIKAT MAITRA** *CeMIS, Göttingen*  
The Magical World of Tutai Das: From Affective Labor  
to Affective Intimacy in Kolkata