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PROGRAMME

DAY 1: MONDAY 11TH APRIL 2011

11:30 am: **REGISTRATION (Venue: Main Entrance)**

12.30 – 1.30 pm: **LUNCH (Venue: Cafeteria Area)**

2.00 – 2.30 pm: **WELCOME PLENARY:** Ian Talbot, Chris Woolgar, Barbara Harriss-White, Katharine Adeney and Kunal Sen with BASAS Video on 25 years of its existence!

Venue: **Lecture Theatre A**

2.30 – 4.00 pm: **PARALLEL SESSION 1 (DAY 1)**

Panel 1A: **Texts and Canons: New Literature in Colonial South Asia**

Convenor: **Pritipuspa Mishra; Chair: Hilary Perkins**

Venue: **Room 1095**

Pritipuspa Mishra (University of Southampton) "Fashioning Readers: Canon, Criticism and Pedagogy in the Emergence of Modern Oriya Literature"

Preetha Mani (University of California, Berkley) "Genre, Nation, Canonization: Defining Modern Literature and Identity in the Hindi and Tamil Literary Spheres"

Rashi Rohatgi (SOAS) "Looking Back on the Cultivation of the Mauritian Hindi Literary Sphere"

Panel 1B: **Power and the Media in South Asia**

Convenor: **William Crawley; Chair: Rohini Chaturvedi**

Venue: **Room 1097**

William Crawley (Institute of Commonwealth Studies) "Fairness and Objectivity: How is Amartya Sen's idea of Justice' relevant to India's media environment?"

Kiran Hassan (Institute of Commonwealth Studies) "Robust media, weak State: The Pakistani 2010 flood coverage"

David Page (Institute of Commonwealth Studies) "The role of the media in a fragile state – the case of Afghanistan"

Panel 1C: **Conflict, Development and Reconstruction in Post-War Sri Lanka**

Convenor: **Rajesh Venugopal; Chair: Catherine Brun**

Venue: **Room 1093**

David Rampton (SOAS) "Nationalist Beacons and Cosmopolitan Smokescreens: Sinhala Nationalist Consolidation and the Rajapaksa Regime in Sri Lanka"

Ananda Abeysekera (Virginia Tech) "The Problem of Writing Buddhism and the Question of Politics in Sri Lanka"

Rajesh Venugopal (University of York) "The Changing Landscape of Donor Aid and the Liberal Peace-building Agenda in Sri Lanka"

Panel 1D: Memory and Marginality: Partition in Post-colonial India and Pakistan

Convenor & Chair: Pippa Virdee

Venue: Room 2115

Ilyas Chattha (University of Southampton) "Unexploited Archives: Understanding Violence in the Partition of India through Thana Records"

Shyamal Kataria (Royal Holloway) "Refugee 'Collective Memory' as a Source of Ethno-national Conflict: The case of Khalistan"

Elisabetta Iob (Royal Holloway) "Whispers of held-back tears: The everyday experience of the State among Partition refugees in Pakistan Punjab (1947-1962)"

1E: British Library Workshop

Venue: Room 1167

4.00 – 4.15 pm: REFRESHMENTS (Venue: North Corridor)

4.15 – 6 pm: PARALLEL SESSION 2 (DAY 1)

Panel 2A: Body Politics and the Body Politic: Untouchability, Power and Resistance today

Convenor: Hugo Gorringer & Manuela Ciotti; Chair: Nitya Rao

Venue: Room 1095

Manuela Ciotti (University of Edinburgh) "Chamar (Dalit) Young Persons as New Historical Subjects: A Cross-Generational Perspective on Subaltern Youth from a North Indian province"

Hugo Gorringer (University of Edinburgh) "Dalit Body Politics: Embodiment and Caste Change"

Nicolas Jaoul (CNRS, Paris) "Crafting the subject: (de)politicised and gendered images of the Dalit body"

Meena Dhanda (University of Wolverhampton) "Caste-border crossings by Punjabis"

Panel 2B: Shaping South Asian Lives: Everyday Forms and Influences of Power

Convenor: Naysan Adlparvar; Chair: Rohini Chaturvedi

Venue: Room 1093

Naysan Adlparvar (University of Sussex): "Power, Society and the Individual: Assessing the Changing Forms of Power in the Central Highlands of Afghanistan"

Cressida Jervis Read (UCL) "The Power of Place: Negotiating the Spatial Politics of Development in an East Delhi neighbourhood"

Frances Hay (University of East Anglia) "Between a Rock and a Hard Place: The Wielding and Influence of Power in Everyday Life among Migrants in Delhi"

Priyadrashini Singh (SOAS) "Indian Nation in the Everyday"

Panel 2C: Sites of Governance in colonial India

Convenor: Nandini Chatterjee; Chair: Yaqoob Bangash

Venue: Room 2097

Nandini Chatterjee (University of Plymouth) "The Birth of the European British Subject"

Aparna Balachandran (University of Delhi) "Of Corporations and Caste Heads: Urban Rule in Early Colonial Madras"

Lyn Innes (University of Kent) "The Nawab of Bengal: Collaboration and Resistance"

Srilata Chatterjee (Calcutta University) "The Politics of Power in Marginal Institutions of Early Colonial Calcutta: A Study in Hospital and Asylums 1757-1858"

Panel 2D: Religious Mobilisation and Challenges to Local Power

Convenor: Yunas Samad; Chair: Patrick Kilby

Venue: Room 2115

Tahir Kamran (University of Cambridge) "Exclusion of the minorities - A Case of Christians in Pakistan"

Yunas Samad (University of Bradford) "The Neo-Taliban and Challenges to Local Power in Pakistan"

Sheba, Saeed (University of Birmingham) "Notions of Secular and Religious Power, through the analytical lens of begging"

Pritam Singh (Oxford Brookes University) "Political economy of religion and nationalism in the Sikhs' engagement with different forms of centralised state power"

Panel 2E: India as 'Great Power': Navigating Global and Regional Realms

Convenor & Chair: Iftekhar Chowdhury

Venue: Room 1097

Sinderpal Singh (ISAS, National University of Singapore) "Thinking Globally, Acting Locally: Indian Self-Conceptions in Indian's 'Global' Foreign Policy"

Kate Sullivan (University of Oxford) "Drunkenness, Disease and Criminality in Nuclear Politics: Indian Voices at the Eighteen-Nation Disarmament Committee"

Ravinder Kaur (University of Copenhagen) "Design of a Nation: Creating a Global Identity for 'New' India"

Nuno Grancho (University of Coimbra) "Mumbai, from the Portuguese villages to an Asian Metropolis"

6 – 7.00 pm: KEY SESSIONS

Key Session 1: Constituent Powers, Elite Bodies

Chair: Stephanie Jones

Venue: Lecture Theatre A

Imran Ali (Lahore University of Management Sciences) "Elites and their Role in Pakistan's Development"

Mara Malagodi (SOAS) "Constituent Power, Identity Politics and Constitutional Expectations in Post-1990 Nepal"

Key Session 2: Gendered Bodies, Labouring Bodies

Chair: Kanchana N. Ruwanpura

Venue: Room 1097

Dia Da Costa (Queen's University) "The Work of Theatre in an Age of Precarious Labour"

Dina Siddiqi (BRAC University) "Blurred Boundaries: Laws of Seduction, Consent and Rape in Bangladesh"

7.15 pm: EVENING RECEPTION

Venue: Hartley Library, Highfield Campus

Hosted by *Contemporary South Asia* with an exhibit of the Mountbatten Papers hosted by Chris Woolgar, Hartley Library, University of Southampton

8.15 pm: **CONFERENCE DINNER**
Venue: **Staff Club, Highfield Campus (opposite to Hartley Library)**

DAY 2: TUESDAY 12TH APRIL 2011

8.30 am: **REFRESHMENTS (Venue: North Corridor)**

9.00 – 10.30 am: **PARALLEL SESSION 3 (DAY 2)**

Panel 3A: **Constitutional forms and reforms**

Chair: **Stephanie Jones**

Venue: **Room 1167**

Assaduzzaman Khan (University of Southampton) “Constitutional amendment and its impact on the citizen of Bangladesh”

Vivek Prahladan (Jawaharlal Nehru University-JNU) “The Emergence of the Indian Constitution: Affirmative Action and the Cultural Fault line between Castes and Communities”

Margaret O’Leary (Warwick University) “Examining the quota system on women’s political participation in Pakistan: Is the gender electoral quota system in Pakistan having an impact on women’s rights?”

Panel 3B: **The nature of the ‘Welfare State’ in South Asia**

Convenor: **Deepta Chopra & Gabriele Koehler; Chair: Deepta Chopra**

Venue: **Room 1095**

Gabriele Koehler (Sussex University) “South Asia and A Geography of Welfare Regimes?”

Suchi Pande (Sussex University) “Checks and Balances: RTI and Social Audits in rural Rajasthan”

Lok Nath Bhusal (Oxford Brookes University) “Poverty Figures and their Welfare Policy Implications in Nepal”

Panel 3C: **Gender, Caste and Social Deprivation in South Asia**

Convenor: **Clarinda Still; Chair: Hugo Gorringe**

Venue: **Room 2115**

Clarinda Still (University of Oxford) “Adulterer, tramp or thief, a husband is a husband’: alcohol, violence and ‘Women’s suffering”

Nitya Rao (University of East Anglia) “Back to the Kitchen: Globalisation and the Changing Contours of Indian Dalit Women’s Work”

Jonathan Pattenden (University of East Anglia) “Anti-Poverty Resources and Class Relations: Collective Action by Landless Madiga Women in Rural South India”

Panel 3D: **Education and power, education as power**

Convenor & Chair: **Patricia Jeffery; Discussant: Dia Da Costa**

Venue: **Room 1097**

Sahar Romani (University of Oxford) “This is no Rang de Basanti!’: Young People’s Experiences of Power(lessness) in a Creative Writing Programme in Kolkata”

Brant Moscovitch (University of Oxford) “Networks of Power: Harold Laski and his Indian Students”

Atiyab Sultan (University of Cambridge) “The Mirror and the Lamp: Colonial Educational Reform in 19th Century Punjab”

10.30 – 10.45 am: REFRESHMENTS (Venue: North Corridor)

10.45 – 12.30 pm: PARALLEL SESSION 4 (DAY 2)

Panel 4A: Gender and Politics in South Asia
Convenors: Carole Spary and Manuela Ciotti; Chair: Lucy Watson; Discussant: Dina Siddiqi
Venue: Room 1095

Sujala Singh (University of Southampton) “Unsettling the Family Romance: Women and Children in Anita Desai’s Novels”

Atreyee Sen (University of Manchester) “Against Our Mothers’: Child Vigilantes and Public Beating of Women in a Hyderabad slum”

Rubina Jasani (University of Warwick) “A Game of Hide and Seek: Lived Experience of the State after the Violence of 2002 in Urban Ahmedabad”

Srila Roy (University of Nottingham) “Feminist subjectivities in neoliberal India”

Panel 4B: Locating Sri Lankan Politics: Power, Space and Dissent
Convenor: Tariq Jazeel; Chair: Kanchana N. Ruwanpura
Venue: Room 1093

Deborah Johnson (University of Zurich) “A Divided Church in a Divided Polity; the Brokerage of a Struggling Institution in Post-Conflict Sri Lanka”

Cathrine Brun (NTNU, Norway) & Nicholas Van Hear (University of Oxford) “Between the local and transnational: war-torn Sri Lanka’s shifting political space”

Solène Soosaithasan (CERAPS/CHACS, France) “The Indo Lankan Accord (1987-1990): A Deciding Factor to the Peace Process in the Sri Lankan Conflict?”

Tariq Jazeel (University of Sheffield) “Sri Lanka Inside-Out: Cyberspace and the Mediated Geographies of Political Engagement”

Panel 4C: Multilateralism, regional integration, and global governance: South Asian perspectives
(Sponsored by the journal – Global Policy)

Convenor: Lawrence Saez; Chair: Gurharpal Singh
Venue: Room 1097

Lawrence Saez (SOAS) “India’s Emergence as a Global Power and the fate of South Asian Regionalism”

Yao Yuanmei (Peking University) “India, China, Partners Rather than Rivals: A View from the Perspective of cooperation”

Ishtiaq Ahmad (University of Oxford) “Reconciliation through Regionalism: Beyond Militaristic Response to Terrorism in Afghanistan and Pakistan”

Graham Chapman (Lancaster University) “Old Borders, New Regions”

Panel 4D: Rubrics of Identity and Power in South Asia & its Diaspora
Convenor: Sneha Krishnan; Chair/Discussant: Lakshmi Subramanian
Venue: Room 2115

Vasugi Kailasam (National University of Singapore) “Reading Spaces of Militant Power in Manirathnam's *Kannathil Muthamittal (A Peck on the Cheek) 2002*”

Sneha Krishnan (University of Oxford) “Reconstructing History: Masculinities in Contest in *Madrasapattinam*”

John Zavos (University of Manchester) “Chasing Euro-Hindus: An exploration of Public Articulation of European Hindu identity”

Ingrid Therwath (Centre de Sciences Humaines) “Long-Distance Regionalism and Non Resident Telanganites”

12.30 – 1.30 pm: LUNCH (Venue: Cafeteria Area)

1.15 pm: EGM (Open to all BASAS members)
Venue: Lecture Theatre A

1.30 – 3.00 pm: PARALLEL SESSION 5 (DAY 2)

Panel 5A: Recovery in Sri Lanka in the 2000s: Recurring theme, changing power relations

Convenor: Pia Hollenbach; Chair: Deborah Johnson

Venue: Room 2115

Pia Hollenbach (University of Zurich) “The Opportunity of a Disaster: Governing into better models of living!? Experiences from a private donor funded housing project in post-Tsunami Sri Lanka”

Sivagnanam Maheswaran & Cathrine Brun (NTNU) “Understanding the Context within which the Nongovernmental Organizations (NGOs) Operate in Sri Lanka: A Case of Batticaloa District”

Shahul H. Hasbullah (University of Peradeniya) “The Name was ‘Recovery’ but the game was ‘Testing Muscles’ of the actors of Sri Lanka’s 2002 Peace Talks”

Panel 5B: Pakistan: Political Economy of Development and Democracy in a Post-Colonial State, 1947-58

Convenors: Tahir Kamran & Ali Usman Qasmi; Chair: Ian Talbot

Venue: Room 1093

Ali Usman Qasmi (Royal Holloway) “The Origins of a Dysfunctional Democracy in Pakistan: Muslim League after 1947”

Yaqoob Khan Bangash (University of Oxford) “Democracy and the Princely States: Pakistan’s First Democratic Elections”

Muhammad Iqbal Chawla (University of Southampton) “Mountbatten and the Referendum in North West Frontier Province: Implications for Pakistan”

Syeda Q. Waqar (University of Surrey) “Military Bureaucratic Elite’s Target, Weak Political Institution in Pakistan”

Panel 5C: Muslims of South Asia and Diaspora: Secularism, Religion, Representations

Convenors: Claire Chambers; Chair: Syeda Waqar

Venue: Room 1097

Claire Chambers (Leeds Metropolitan University) “Choosing Between the Sacred and the Secular in Recent Filmic Representations of British Muslims”

Madeline Clements (University of East London) “Enchanted Realms, Sceptical Perspectives – Salman Rushdie’s Post-9/11 Fiction”

Nadia Z. Hasan (York University) "Decolonizing 'Islamic Feminism': Reconsidering the political possibilities of women's piety groups in Pakistan"

Panel 5D (1E continued): Body Politics and the Body Politic: Untouchability, Power and Resistance today

Convenors: Hugo Gorringer & Manuela Ciotti; **Chair:** Manuela Ciotti

Venue: Room 1095

Karin Kapadia (University of Oxford) "In the Interstices of the Everyday"

Annapurna Waughray (Manchester Metropolitan University) "Regulation of caste discrimination: the challenges of including caste in the UK Equality Act 2010"

Tina Virmani (York University) "Remembering Reservations: Caste, Violence and the Body in Narratives of Social Mobility"

3.00 – 4.30 pm: PARALLEL SESSION 6 (DAY 2)

Panel 6A [1A continued]: Texts and Canons: New Literature in Colonial South Asia

Convenor & Chair: Pritipuspa Mishra

Venue: Room 2115

Oeendrilla Lahiri (Jawaharlal Nehru University-JNU) "Nakshas: An Inquiry into the Early Modernity Of A Colonial City"

Sreebitha P. V. (University of Hyderabad) "Questions of Caste and Gender: An Examination of Early Twentieth Century Magazines for Ezhavas in Kerala"

Ruvani Ranasinha (King's College London) "Writing Resistance: South Asian Writers in Britain (1870-1950)"

Panel 6B (5C continued): Muslims of South Asia and Diaspora: Secularism, Religion, Representations

Convenor & Chair: Claire Chambers

Venue: Room 1097

Muhammad Mansur Ali (Cardiff University) South-Asian British Imams: Working at the interface of 'public' and 'private'"

Anshuman Mondal (Brunel University) "Representing the Very Ethic he Battled: Secularism, Islam(ism) and Self-Transgression in *The Satanic Verses*"

Catherine Rashid (University of Cambridge) "Privatizing Islam in British South Asian Fiction"

Panel 6C: Changing Dynamics in South Asian Federal Debates

Convenor: Katharine Adeney; **Chair:** Pritam Singh

Venue: Room 1095

Katharine Adeney (University of Sheffield) "Inclusive federalism: The Prospects for the 18th Amendment in Pakistan"

Madura Rasaratnam (LSE) "The (im)possibilities of Federalism and the Internationalised Political Economy of the Sri Lankan State"

Trivikram Tiwari (University of Allahabad) "Asymmetric Federalism in India: A Quest to Preserve a Multicultural Nation"

Panel 6D (Panel 4A continued): Gender and Politics in South Asia
Convenors: Carole Spary and Manuela Ciotti; **Chair:** Lucy Watson;
Discussant: Dina Siddiqi

Venue: Room 1093
Patrick Kilby (Australian National University) "Local NGO and changing Donors: The Shift in Power Relations and Women's empowerment at local level in Southern India"

Rabia Ali (University of New South Wales) "Empowering the marginalized: Chitrali women in new horizons"

Hilary Perkins (University of Southampton) "Transformation, Transgression and Transnationality. The fables and poems of Suniti Namjoshi"

Panel 6E: Documentary Film Screening: Ayodhya or Saket? The Politics of Ram Temple (50 minutes) by Vidya Rawat with discussion led by John Zavos

Venue: Lecture Theatre A

4.30 – 5.00 pm: REFRESHMENTS (Venue: North Corridor)

5.00 – 6.00 pm: PARALLEL SESSION 7 (DAY 2) – 1 Hour Session

Panel 7A (6C continued): Changing Dynamics in South Asian Federal Debates
Convenor: Katharine Adeney; **Chair:** Frank Conlon

Venue: Room 1093
Nandini Basistha (University of Allahabad) "Indian Federalism and Politics of Separatism"

Louise Tillin (University of Cambridge) "Remapping India: The Politics of Borders Past and Present"

Panel 7B: Towards an Anatomy of 'Self-rule': Police, Protest and Surveillance in Independent India

Convenor: Udit Sen; **Chair:** Pritipuspa Mishra

Venue: Room 1095
Udit Sen (European University Institute) "Dangerous Citizens: The Surveillance of Refugees in West Bengal"

Taylor Sherman (LSE) "Policing citizens, policing citizenship: Hyderabad, 1948-52"

Panel 7C: Displacement and statelessness in Sri Lanka, Bangladesh and Nepal

Convenor: Rajith Lakshman; **Chair:** John Duncan

Venue: Room 1167
Brad Blitz (Kingston University), Rajith Lakshman (University of Colombo), Maureen Lynch (Refugees International), and Samantha Balaton-Chrimes (Monash University) "State Power and Statelessness: A Livelihoods Analysis"

Danesh Jayatilaka (University of Sussex) "Forced displacement and resettlement: A Study Assessing Recovery among former IDPs in Sri Lanka"

Panel 7D: **Embodying democracy? Symbolic performance in the Indian parliament**

Convenor: **Carole Spary; Chair: Lucy Watson**

Venue: **Room 1097**

Bairavee Balasubramaniam (University of Warwick) "Parliamentary Dramaturgy of the Indian General Budget"

Carole Spary (University of Warwick) "Madam Speaker! Symbolic representation and the election of the First Woman Speaker in India"

Panel 7E: **Early Career Workshop (1): Grant Writing Workshop with**

a) Stephanie Jones (University of Southampton)

b) Ed Simpson (SOAS)

Venue: **Room 2115**

[THIS WORKSHOP WILL COVER THE SAME GROUND AS THAT OF PANEL 9E]

6.00 pm: **KEYNOTE LECTURE – Shireen Huq (Naripokkho, Bangladesh)**

My Body, My Life, *Whose Rights?* – Bangladeshi Women's Struggle for A Fair Deal

Venue: **Lecture Theatre A**

7.00 pm: **EVENING RECEPTION: Sponsored by Global Policy (WILEY)**

Venue: **Corridor Area**

8.00 pm: **CONFERENCE DINNER**

Venue: **Kuti's Oxford Street (to leave at 7.30 pm by organized bus)**

DAY 3: WEDNESDAY 13TH APRIL 2011

8.30 am: **REFRESHMENTS (Venue: North Corridor)**

9.00 – 10.30am: **PARALLEL SESSION 8 (DAY 3)**

Panel 8A: **The informal sector in South Asia: Forms of Power and their consequences**

Convenor: **Kunal Sen; Chair: Eleanor Tighe**

Venue: **Room 2115**

Alessandra Mezzadri (SOAS) "Bonded capital' and the organisation of home-working in India"

Deepita Chakravarty (LSE) "Girl Child and her Family: Paid Outside Work in the Indian State of West Bengal"

Maneka Jayasinghe (National University of Singapore) "Gender Inequality in Rural Livelihoods – A Case Study from Sri Lanka through a Longitudinal Lens"

Panel 8B: **Federalism in India: Shifting Balance of Power?**

Convenor & Chair: **Robin Jeffrey**

Venue: **Room 1097**

Amitendu Palit (ISAS, National University of Singapore) "Revisiting Fiscal Federalism in India"

Ronojoy Sen (ISAS, National University of Singapore) "The Colour of Money: Understanding the Dynamics of the MPLAD Scheme"

Rohini Chaturvedi (University of Cambridge) "Shifting Power and Policy Processes in the Federal System in India: Centre-state negotiations on the Forest Conservation Act, 1980"

Panel 8C [3D continued]: Education and power, education as power

Convenor & Chair: Patricia Jeffery; Discussant: Dia Da Costa

Venue: Room 1093

Peggy Froerer (Brunel University) "Education, Inequality and Social Mobility in Rural Chhattisgarh"

Surjit Jolly (University of Delhi) "Concept of Good Governance in the institutions of Higher Learning in India (Case study of a College of University of Delhi)"

Annelies Ollieuz (University of Oslo) "Politicians and Other Educated People: Nepalese Village Perceptions of Education"

Panel 8D: Embodied power, Bodily Memory & Questions of Identity

Chair: Assad Khan

Venue: Room 1095

Monica M. Morrice (University of Washington, Seattle) "A horse of a different colour: Horse as a Symbol of Power and Masculinity"

Derek Michael Robbins (University of East London) "Culture and Politics. Reading Bourdieu in a triple context"

Elika Assumi (English and Foreign Languages University, Hyderabad) "Aporias of Power: Christianity, Nationalism and Questions of Identity in Contemporary Nagaland"

Panel 8E: Body Politics and the Body Politic: Untouchability, Power and Resistance today

Convenor: Hugo Gorringe & Manuela Ciotti; Chair: Meena Dhanda

Venue: Room 1167

Mariko Kato (Hosei University) "Scheduled Castes, Migration and Remittances, 1990s - 2000s"

Anna Bochkovskaya (Moscow State University) "Scripture-and-Power Controversies in Contemporary Punjab"

Aase Mygind Madsen (University of Aarhus, Denmark) "Dalits and the Indian Growth Miracle"

10.30–11.00 am: REFRESHMENTS (Venue: North Corridor)

11.00 am-12.30 pm: PARALLEL SESSION 9

Panel 9A (5C continued): Muslims of South Asia and Diaspora: Secularism, Religion, Representations

Convenor: Claire Chambers; Chair Imran Ali

Venue: Room 1097

Soofia Siddique (SOAS) "The Best of People are Not with Us': W.W. Hunter's 'Indian Musalmans' and the Question of Pan-Indian Muslim Identity in the 1870s"

Ahmad Yunus Mohd Noor (Durham University) "Qur'ānic Interpretation by South Asian Muslim Scholars in the Diaspora: An Analysis"

Aroosa Kanwal (Lancaster University) "After 9/11: Islamophobic Representations of South Asian Muslim Diasporics in Shamsie's Broken Verses and Burnt Shadows"

Panel 9B: Power, power
Convenor & Chair: Barbara Harriss-White
Venue: Room 1093

Matthäus Rest (University of Zurich) "Generating Power. Local Discourses on Development around the Nepalese Arun 3 Hydropower Project"

Elizabeth Chatterjee (University of Oxford) "Alternating currents: Indian electricity and discourses of power"

Allen Shaw (University of Oxford) "Will policy overcome institutional path dependence to deliver rural electrification across all India's states?"

Panel 9C: Shifting Jurisdiction? Religion, legal practice and self-representation in late-colonial and post-colonial South Asia
Convenors: Justin Jones & Eleanor Newbiggin; Chair: Yaqoob Bangash
Venue: Room 1095

Justin Jones (University of Exeter) "Competing adjudications: authority, legal jurisdiction and the making of Muslim communities in late-colonial India"

Eleanor Newbiggin (SOAS) "Shifting jurisdiction? Religion, legal practice and self-representation in late-colonial India Representing family, representing nation, or who 'knows' Hindu law?"

William Gould (University of Leeds) "'Deserting His Post': The Muslim Officer, Corruption and the 'State' in Uttar Pradesh, 1947–1950"

Ornit Shani (University of Haifa) "The Citizenship Debate in the Making of India's Constitution"

9D: Early Career Workshop (2): Grant Writing Workshop with

- a) Kunal Sen (University of Manchester)
- b) Patricia Jeffery (University of Edinburgh)
- c) Philippa Williams (University of Cambridge)

Venue: Room 2115

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12.30-1.30 pm: PLENARY SESSION: "Bodies of Power, Forms of Power: South Asia through History and Other Disciplines"
Chair: Ian Talbot

Venue: Lecture Theatre A

Neloufer De Mel (University of Colombo) "Post-disaster Re-settlement: Gender, Power and Affect – the Tsunami Affected Burgher Women of Batticaloa, Sri Lanka"

Mohammed Waseem (Lahore University of Management Sciences) "Judging Democracy in Pakistan: Conflict between the Executive and Judiciary"

Lakshmi Subramanian (Centre for Studies in Social Sciences, Calcutta) "Culture and Community: Refracting music and histories at home and the diaspora"

1.30-2.30 pm: LUNCH and READING with Aamer Hussein (Venue: Cafeteria Area)

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