

Liberalism, Governance and the Geographies of Law

Conference Schedule

May 11 – 12, 2007

Organized by **Steve Herbert** (Geography)

Friday, May 11

1:00 – 2:30 pm

WORKSHARE SESSION I

Communications 202

Moderated by **Mona Lynch** (Justice Studies, San Jose State University)

Graduate student papers:

Arda Ibikoglu (Political Science)

Struggles for Control: Prison Strife in Turkey since the 1980's

Anne Bonds (Geography)

Discipline and Devolution: Constructions of Poverty, Race, and Criminality in the Politics of Rural Prison Development

Victoria Babbit (Geography)

Sex and the Citizen: Trafficking, Cultural Incommensurability, and Moral Boundaries

2:30 – 3:30 pm

BREAK

3:30 – 4:30 pm

SPEAKER SESSION I

Communications 120

Susan Coutin (Criminology, Law & Society, University of California, Irvine)

Products of War: Shifting Understandings of Rights and Security in El Salvador

4:30 – 6:00 pm

RECEPTION

Communications 206

Saturday, May 12

9:00 – 9:30 am

COFFEE

Communications 206

9:30 – 11:00 am

WORKSHARE SESSION II

Communications 202

Moderated by **Nicholas Blomley** (Geography, Simon Fraser University)

Graduate student papers:

Tuna Kuyucu (Sociology)

'Urban Transformation' or Neoliberal Rent-Seeking: Political Economy of Urban Renewal and Slum Clearance Programs in Istanbul

Jean Carmalt (Geography)

The Geography of International Human Rights Law

John Carr (Geography)

Expulsion from Skateopia: Urban Skateboarding and the Role of Law in Determining Children's Place in the City

11:15 am – 12:15 pm

SPEAKER SESSION II

Communications 202

Mona Lynch (Justice Studies, San Jose State University)

Punishment and Place: The Politics of Prison Placement

12:15 – 1:30 pm

LUNCH

Communications 206

1:30 – 3:00 pm

WORKSHARE SESSION III

Communications 202

Moderated by **Susan Coutin** (Criminology, Law & Society, University of California, Irvine)

Graduate student papers:

Jennifer Fredette (Political Science)

Making Friends, Making Enemies: Simulacra of the Islamic Woman in Western Liberal Democracies

Julie Brugger (Anthropology)

Contesting Neoliberal Governmentality in the New West: The Taylor Grazing Act Reconsidered

Dominic Corva (Geography)

Neoliberal Globalization and the War on Drugs: Transnationalizing Illiberal Governance in the Americas

3:00 – 3:30 pm

BREAK

3:30 – 4:30 pm

SPEAKER SESSION III

Communications 202

Nicholas Blomley (Geography, Simon Fraser University)

Homelessness, space, freedom, and the liberal cringe

4:30 – 6:00 pm

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