STS Circle at Harvard  Spring 2020

All meetings will take place on **Mondays**, from **12:15–2 p.m.**, in **CGIS South S050, 1730 Cambridge Street** unless otherwise noted. Sandwich lunches will be provided.

Please RSVP to sts@hks.harvard.edu by the Wednesday before. For more information, please visit:  
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Jan 27 **Shuang Lu Frost** (Harvard, Anthropology)  
*Moralizing Disruption: China’s Ride-Hailing Revolution*

Feb 3 **George Paul Meiú** (Harvard, Anthropology)  
*Queer Objects and the Rush to Rescue: The Materialities and Logics of Sexuality Politics in Kenya*

*Black Carbon, Climate, and Air Quality: An Unwinnable “Win-Win” Solution*

Feb 24 **Jacob D. Moses** (Harvard, History of Science)  
*Remaking the Regretful Agent: Cancer Surgery, Medical Harm, and the Role of Affect in Therapeutic Reversals*

Mar 2 **Momin M. Malik** (Harvard, Berkman Klein Center)  
*Critical Technical Practice Revisited: Towards “Analytic Actors” in Data Science*

Mar 9 **Héctor Beltrán** (MIT, Anthropology)  
*Code Work: Hacking Across the Techno-Borderlands*

Mar 23 **Jeannette Estruth** (Bard College, Historical Studies)  
*Worker Coalitions in the Reagan-Era Silicon Valley*  
*Location: CGIS South S153*

Mar 30 **Noah Walker-Crawford** (University of Manchester, Social Anthropology)  
*Making Polluters Pay: Climate Justice in the German Courtroom*

Apr 1 (Wed) **Science and Democracy Lecture Series**  
**Neil Walker** (Edinburgh Law School)  
*The Experiment of European Union*  
*Location TBA, 5:00-7:00pm*

Apr 6 **Desmond U. Patton** (Columbia SSW/Microsoft)  
*Developing Empathetic Technologies with Communities of Color for Gun Violence Prevention*

Apr 13 **Colleen Lanier Christensen** (Harvard, History of Science)  
*Chemical Harmonies: The Politics of Standardized Practices and Controls*

Apr 20 **Meg Perret** (Harvard, History of Science)  
*“Climate Change Creates Female Super-Race”: Male Extinction, Endangered Turtles & Coral Reef Collapse*

Apr 27 **Dwai Banerjee** (MIT, HASTS)  
*Enduring Cancer: Life, Death and Diagnosis in Delhi*

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