STS Circle at Harvard Spring 2017

All meetings will take place on **Mondays**, from **12:15–2 p.m.**, in **K262**, **Bowie-Vernon Room**, **CGIS**, **1737 Cambridge St**, unless otherwise noted. Sandwich lunches will be provided.

Please RSVP to sts@hks.harvard.edu by the Wednesday before. For more information, please visit: http://sts.hks.harvard.edu/

Jan 30 **Edward Hackett** (Brandeis University, Vice Provost for Research) *Group Creativity: Lessons from Synthesis Centers?*

Feb 6 **Les Beldo** (Williams College, Environmental Studies)
What is a Whale Stock? And Other Moral Questions in
Large Cetacean Management

Feb 13 Caterina Scaramelli (MIT, HASTS)

Making Livable Natures: Caring for

Wetlands in Turkey

Feb 27 Ateya Khorakiwala (Harvard, GSD)

Architectural Strategies and Infrastructural Landscapes of the Green Revolution in India in the 1960s

Mar 6 **Matthew Hersch** (Harvard, History of Science)

The Strange Life of Film-Return Spy Satellites, 1946–1986

Mar 20 **William Deringer** (MIT, HASTS)

The Social Rate of Discount and the Political Economy of the Future in the 1960s

Mar 27 **Meera Subramanian** (MIT, Knight Science Journalism Fellow)

Eco Swaraj: Can India's Model of the Micro Transform

Development for the 21st Century?

Apr 3 **Kara Swanson** (Northeastern University, Law)
Counting Black Inventors: The Historical Role of the
US Patent System as a Political Resource

Apr 10 Sarah Richardson (Harvard, History of Science)
Can a Cell Have a Sex?
Note: CGIS South S050, 1730 Cambridge Street

Apr 17 **Kenneth Oye** (MIT, Political Science)
Assessing and Mitigating Synthetic Biology Risks:
Exemplary Cases and Cautionary Tales



Apr 19 (Wed) Science & Democracy Lecture Series

Carlos Moedas (European Commissioner for Research, Science and Innovation) Innovation as a Driver for a Fair Globalization Science Center A, 5:00-7:00pm

Apr 24 **Daniel Wikler** (HSPH, Ethics and Population Health)

Wrong Way After Nuremberg: Misconceiving Research Ethics