


# Geography and Geographic Information Science | Spring 2013 Friday Colloquium Series

Geography and Geographic Information Science [GGIS]  
 219 Davenport Hall  
 607 S Mathews Ave.  
 Fridays: 3:00 – 4:00 pm

Talks in blue are sponsored and hosted by the Social Dimensions of Environmental Policy [SDEP] group, directed by Geography professor Jesse Ribot, and take place in:  
 Tower Room 2269 or 4269  
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The GGIS Friday Colloquium Series promotes collaboration and discussion among various geographical disciplines. This semester's talks will explore diverse topics including: geographic information systems, urban and regional planning, and resource management.



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January	18	Socio-hydrology of the Water System in Chennai (India): Interconnections, Coevolution and Policy Implications <b>Veena Srinivasan</b>   Senior Research Affiliate - Pacific Institute, Monterey, CA <i>219 Davenport</i>
	25	The Attainable Mirage?: Decentralization of Forest Resource Governance in Senegal <b>Poonam Jusrut</b> - Department of Geography/GIS, UIUC <i>219 Davenport</i>
February	1	The Future of Intercity Passenger Rail in the United States: A Systems Dynamics Perspective <b>Michael Minn</b> - Department of Geography/GIS, UIUC <i>219 Davenport</i>
	8	Provincializing Democracy: Space, Ecology and Rights on India's Southwestern Coast <b>Ajantha Subramaniam</b>   Department of Anthropology, Harvard University <i>4269 Beckman</i>
	22	Space, Time, and Person-based GIS in a Dynamic, Mobile and Connected World <b>Shih Lung Shaw</b>   Professor of Geography, University of Tennessee at Knoxville <i>219 Davenport</i>
March	1	Riverscapes as Atypical Geographic Spaces <b>Mark Fonstad</b>   Department of Geography, University of Oregon <i>219 Davenport</i>
	8	REDD Flags: The Carbon Market, Forests, and the Commodification of Nature <b>Tracey Osborne</b>   School of Geography and Development - UC Berkeley <i>2269 Beckman</i>
	29	Scenes like Authenticity and Theatricality in Every U.S. Zipcode and Abroad <b>Terry Clark</b>   Department of Sociology, University of Chicago <i>219 Davenport</i>
April	5	Science and Policy for a Low-Carbon Future <b>Daniel Kammen</b>   Renewable and Appropriate Energy Lab - UC Berkeley <i>2269 Beckman</i>
	19	Common Sense and Emancipation in the Nature of Everyday Life <b>Alex Loftus</b>   Senior Lecturer in Environment and Development, King's College London <i>2269 Beckman</i>
		Climate Refugia and Scale: How Complex Terrain Shapes the Velocity of Climate Change <b>Solomon Dobrowski</b>   College of Forestry and Conservation - University of Montana <i>W109 Turner Hall</i>
		<b>Helga Leitner</b> - Institute for Global Studies, University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

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