## STS Circle at Harvard Spring 2025

All meetings will take place on Mondays, from 12:15–2:00 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 Thursday before. For more information, please visit: http://sts.hks.harvard.edu/

Feb 3 Henry Austin (Harvard STS)

Digitization, Memory, and Contested Sovereignties in Representing Human Life

Feb 10 Jayita Sarkar (University of Glasgow, History)

Rössing Uranium Ltd in Apartheid Namibia: Corporate Social Responsibility for Anti-Decolonization Efforts

Feb 24 Jeffrey Fossett (Harvard Business School)

Performativity, Complexity, and Framing in the FCC Spectrum Incentive Auction

Mar 3 Kerry Ryan Chance (University of Bergen, Anthropology)

Eco-Anxiety and Climate Urgency in the Mother City

Mar 10 Holly Buck (University at Buffalo, Environment & Sustainability)

Net Zero Climate Targets: The Gulf between Science and

Social Representation

Mar 24 Gill Kliger (Stanford, History)

Found in Translation: Empire and the Invention of the French Social Sciences

Mar 31 Nicole Bassoff (Harvard STS)

Smart Is Power: U.S. Cities and Urban Mobilization in the Digital Age

Apr 7 Michael Zanger-Tishler (Harvard, Sociology)
State Data and the Production of Quantitative
Knowledge

Apr 14 Yamini Aiyar (Brown, Watson Institute)
Technology for Votes: The Intersection of
Technology, Welfare and Politics in India



Apr 21 Graham M. Jones (MIT, Anthropology)

It's Storytime! Children's Picturebooks and Familial Practices of Techno-scientific Literacy

May 1 (Thurs)

Science and Democracy Lecture Series
Timothy Mitchell

Columbia University, Middle Eastern Studies 5-7pm, Location TBA

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