



SOUTH ASIA | NYU

11th Annual Global South Asia NYU Conference

CLAIMS MAKING AND BORDERING PRACTICES

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22 2019

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM: BREAKFAST AND REGISTRATION

9:30 AM – 9:45 AM: Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:45 AM – 10:45 AM: KEYNOTE

ARJUN APPADURAI

The Border at the Center of the Indian Nation State

10:45 AM – 11 AM: COFFEE BREAK

11 AM – 12:30 PM: DEMOCRACY AND AUTHORITARIANISM
IN SRI LANKA

Qadri Ismail (University of Minnesota)
Sugi Ganeshanathan (University of Minnesota)
Vasuki Nesiah (NYU)

12:30 PM – 1:30 PM: LUNCH

1:30 PM – 3:00 PM: (UN)MAKING CITIZENSHIP: ARAKAN,
BENGAL, ASSAM

Sanjib Baruah (Bard College)
Misha Quill (Cornell College)
Parthiban Muniandy (Sarah Lawrence College)
Discussant: Natasha Raheja (Cornell University)

3 PM – 3:30 PM: COFFEE BREAK

3:30 PM – 5 PM: SPACES OF MOBILITY IN
SOUTH ASIA

Neelam Khoja (Harvard University)
Rishad Choudhury (Oberlin College & Conservatory)
Ayesha Omer (NYU)
Discussant: David Ludden (NYU)

5 PM – 6:30 PM: RECEPTION

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23 2019

8:30 AM – 9:30 AM: BREAKFAST

10 AM – 11:30 AM: REIMAGINING THE MOVEMENT FOR
SELF-DETERMINATION IN INDIAN OCCUPIED KASHMIR

Mona Bhan (DePauw University)
Ather Zia (University of Colorado Boulder)
Hafsa Kanjwal (Lafayette College)
Discussant: Shahnaz Rouse (Sarah Lawrence)

11:30 AM – 11:45 AM: COFFEE BREAK

11:45 AM – 12:45 PM: FEMINIST BORDER CROSSINGS:
MEENA ALEXANDER AND FAHMIDA RIAZ

Minu Tharoor (NYU)
“Mahwash Shoaib
Tahira Naqvi (NYU)
Manan Ahmed (Columbia University)

12:45 PM – 2 PM: LUNCH

2 PM – 4 PM: ROUNDTABLE ON AUTHORITARIANISM,
POPULISM AND (MINORITY) RIGHTS

Moderator: David Ludden (NYU)
Presenters: Nasser Abourahme (NYU) Dilip Menon (University of
Witwatersand); Anupama Rao (Barnard College)
Dina Siddiqi (NYU); Madiha Tahir (Columbia University)

4 PM – 4:30 PM: COFFEE BREAK

4:30 PM – 5:30 PM: KEYNOTE

VAZIRA ZAMINDAR

An Anti-colonial Genealogy for the Ever-disappearing Civilian

5:30 PM – 6:30 PM: RECEPTION

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