

# THE URBAN WORKSHOP

**SPRING 2018**

**Thursdays 12:30–1:50pm**

**Saieh Hall For Economics 141** (1160 E 58th St)  
Free and open to the public. Lunch will be provided.

**April 19**

**PANEL: THE POLITICS  
OF INFORMALITY AND  
REDEVELOPMENT**

Featuring **Liza Weinstein** (Associate Professor of Sociology, College of Social Sciences and Humanities, Northeastern University), **Marco Garrido** (Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, UChicago), **Pranathi Diwakar** (PhD Student, Sociology, UChicago), and **Victoria Nguyen** (PhD Candidate, Anthropology, UChicago)

**May 10**

**MARY BUNN**

PhD Candidate,  
School of Social Service  
Administration, UChicago

“Restoring Social Bonds: A Study Exploring the Affects of War & Displacement on Social Relationships of Syrian Refugees in Jordan and the Role of Social Connection in Rehabilitation”

**May 17**

**KRISTIN HICKMAN**

PhD Candidate, Anthropology, UChicago  
“Vernacular Language and the City”

**May 24**

**HYDE PARK AUDIO TOUR:  
PROTOTYPE RELEASE**

Hosted by **Josh Babcock** (PhD Student, Anthropology) and **Pranathi Diwakar** (PhD Student, Sociology)

(Session will involve approximately 60 minutes of walking along accessible routes in Hyde Park. Check [urban.uchicago.edu/page/urban-workshop](http://urban.uchicago.edu/page/urban-workshop) for location information)

**May 31**

**DANIEL GAN RONG YAO**

PhD Candidate, Centre for Ageing Research in the Environment, School of Design and Environment, National University of Singapore

“Everyday Activity Spaces for Psychosocial Health of Older Adults in Social Housing”

For a copy of presenters' papers or memos, please email **Pranathi Diwakar** ([pranathi@uchicago.edu](mailto:pranathi@uchicago.edu)) or **Josh Babcock** ([jdbabcock@uchicago.edu](mailto:jdbabcock@uchicago.edu)). Sign up for our listserv to receive up-to-date information about the regular Urban Workshop and special events: [lists.uchicago.edu/web/info/urban](http://lists.uchicago.edu/web/info/urban).

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