

## **Program South Asia Across the Nordic Region**

3<sup>rd</sup> annual meeting, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Uppsala, Sweden, 11-12 June, 2019

### **Location:**

Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences  
Seminar rooms Umeå, Skara and Alnarp,  
1st Floor, Ulls Hus,  
Ulls väg 27, Uppsala

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### **Day 1: Tue 11 June**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Place</b>
11.30-12.30	Registration and Lunch	Common area outside of Seminar hall Umeå, Ulls Hus
12.30-12.40	Welcome	Seminar hall Umeå
12.40-14.00	Keynote 1: Annual Staffan Lindberg Memorial Lecture - <a href="#">Göran Djurfelt</a> , Prof. Emir. Lund University	Seminar hall Umeå
14.00-14.30	Coffee	Common area outside of Seminar hall Umeå
14.30-16.00	<u>Paper presentations: (Moderator: Kenneth Bo Nielsen)</u> - Camelia Dewan, Oslo University: 'Climate change as a spice: Brokering Environmental Knowledge in Bangladeshi development projects' - Anwasha Dutta, Chr Michelsen Institute: 'Forest becomes frontline: Conservation and Counter-Insurgency in a space of violent conflict in Assam, Northeast India' - Stephanie Leder, SLU: 'Revitalizing community-managed irrigation systems in contexts of out-migration in Nepal'	Seminar hall Umeå
16.00-16.15	Break	Common area outside of Seminar hall Umeå

16.15-17.15	The next steps in South Asian studies networking: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Andreas Johansson and Henrik Chetan Aspengren</li> <li>- Kenneth Bo Nielsen: Asianettverket</li> </ul>	Seminar hall Umeå
17.30-18.15	Drinks with book discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Kenneth Bo Nielsen and Patrik Oskarsson discuss each other's recent books</li> </ul>	Seminar hall Umeå
18.30-20:30	Dinner	Lunch room on level 3 in Ulls hus (Dept of Urban and Rural Development)

### Day 2: Wed 12 June

Time	Event	Place	
9.00-10.30	Keynote 2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <a href="#">Gurminder Bhambra</a>, Professor of Postcolonial and Decolonial Studies, University of Sussex: 'Exploitation vs Appropriation: Why a Theoretical Reconstruction of Capitalism Matters'</li> </ul>	Lecture hall S, Ground Floor, Ulls Hus	
10.30-11.00	Coffee	Lunch room on level 3 in Ulls hus (Dept of Urban and Rural Development)	
11.00-12.30	<p><u>Paper session room Umeå (Moderator: Ravinder Kaur)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Shalini Attri, BPS Women's University, India: 'Folk Theater of Rajasthan: The Khyal of Amar Singh Rathore'</li> <li>- Maria Skakuj-Puri, Independent Scholar and Translator: 'Punjabi Intellectual and the Trauma of 1984'</li> <li>- Ravinder Kaur: Title to be announced</li> </ul>	<p><u>Paper session room Skara (Moderator: Patrik Oskarsson)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Jørgen Dige Pedersen, Aarhus University: 'The schizophrenic Power: India's foreign aid policy. Aid recipient and aid donor'</li> <li>- Kim Chanwahn, Institute of Indian Studies, South Korea: 'Bringing The State Back In: Rethinking the Origins of India's Economic Growth Transition'</li> <li>- Kristina Hodelin-ter Wal, Radboud University, Holland: 'From Jaffna to Malaysia: Tamils as agents of the British empire, 1867-1930'</li> </ul>	<p><u>Paper session room Alnarp (Moderator: Stephanie Leder)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Johan Fischer, Roskilde University: 'Green or Brown? Vegetarianism and meat-eating in India'</li> <li>- Otso Harju, University of Helsinki: "'What I know is that I can't go back": Thoughts about migration, selfhood, and home among young, middle-to-upper class feminist women in Delhi'</li> <li>- Ildikó Asztalos Morell, SLU &amp; Santa De, Bharraty Vidaypeg Deemed University, Pune: 'Ageing in urban India with changing family structures'</li> </ul>

12.30-13.15	Lunch	Common area outside of Seminar hall Umeå	
13.15-14.45	<u>Paper session room Umeå</u> (Moderator: <u>Ildikó Asztalos Morell</u> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Rishi Jha, Lund University: 'Substandard Resettlement: State-Market Interplay and Death Worlds in Mumbai'</li> <li>- Fatima Tassadiq, University of Pennsylvania: 'Politics of Transparency: Informal Settlements &amp; Land Acquisition in Lahore'</li> <li>- Therese Boje Mortensen, Lund Univ: 'Partnering with civil society or outsourcing human rights duties?: An ethnography of the state-NGO partnership CHILDLINE India'</li> </ul>	<u>Paper session room Skara</u> (Moderator: <u>Henrik Chetan Aspengren</u> ) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ulrika Andersson, Lund Univ: 'Identity formation among Tamils in relation to the civil war in Sri Lanka'</li> <li>- Elin Thorsén, Univ of Gothenburg: 'Visiting the Sacred: Studying transnational spiritual tourism in Rishikesh'</li> <li>- Rauha Salam, University of Jyvaskyla: 'I Post therefore I am! Gendered Identity Construction in Facebook Communication of Pakistani Male and Female Users'</li> </ul>	
14.45-15.30	Coffee and next year's SANR	Seminar hall Umeå	