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Course Enhancement Grants for Continuing Lecturers Deadline: Wednesday, May 24

GUH is offering course enhancement fellowship grants for continuing lecturers teaching graduate or undergraduate courses on cities and urban life. The purpose of the workshops is to share ideas for readings, pedagogical techniques, and approaches across disciplines in order to enhance teaching about cities and urban life. Detailed application information is available here.



Spring 2018 Global Urban Humanities-Townsend Fellows

We are pleased to announce the Spring 2018 Global Urban Humanities-Townsend Fellows, a group of faculty and graduate students engaged in the study of contemporary and historical global cities. Fellow affiliations include African-American Studies, Anthropology, Architecture, Art History, City and Regional Planning, English, Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning, and Theater, Dance, and Performance Studies. These fellowships are offered in collaboration with the Townsend Center for the Humanities. Learn more about our fellows <u>here</u>.



Congratulations Karin Shankar

Congratulations to GUH alumna Karin Shankar on her new position as Assistant Professor at the Pratt Institute in their new Performance Studies program. Shankar was co-editor with Kirsten Larson of *P[art]icipatory Urbanisms*, an innovative online and print publication sponsored by the Global Urban Humanities Initiative. It featured interviews with urban practitioners in São Paulo and New Delhi and a critical anthology of essays examining urban participation, aesthetics, and politics. Explore *P[art]icipatory Urbanisms* here.



ARC Fellows: Celluloid Landscape

Over the course of the Spring semester, Professor Chip Sullivan (Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning) and graduate student Gene Stroman (Landscape Architecture and Environmental Planning) explored the intersection between architectural design and the art of filmmaking. Read more about how landscapes and urban space in cinema take a central role in our understanding of cultural landscapes <u>here</u>.

GUH Picks



Spur: Walk This Way

Tuesday, May 23, 2017 12:30PM 1544 Broadway Oakland, CA 94612 <u>map</u>

Can you transform the spaces underneath freeways and make them beautiful, safe and inviting? The City of Oakland has launched a project to reknit the neighborhoods that were severed by the construction of I-880, and plans to connect downtown to the waterfront will improve walkability and the quality of life for the communities surrounding the underpasses. <u>More</u>

Opportunities

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Call for Student Proposals for Interdisciplinary Publications

DEADLINE: September 25, 2017 GUH is offering support for interdisciplinary publications on cities and urban life. GUH support covers a one-time collection of research, essays, and/or visual materials around an urban topic or theme that draws on the knowledge of a variety of disciplines. Detailed application information is available <u>here</u>.

CFP Undergraduate & Graduate Course Grants 2018-20

DEADLINE: October 1, 2017 GUH invites interdisciplinary two-person faculty teams to submit proposals for two type of courses for the 2018-2020 academic years. The first opportunity is for an undergraduate research studio course on cities and urban experience (at a Bay Area site) that will combine approaches from the arts and humanities and the environmental design disciplines. The second opportunity is for a graduate traveling research studio. GUH will sponsor international research

travel by faculty and graduate students to investigate urban form and experience. Proposals received by October 1st will be considered for the 2018-2020 academic years. <u>More</u>

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