





# April 15, 2018

#### Border Talks 4/17

Borderwall Urbanisms: Interdisciplinary Research Studio

#### **Border Projects**

1:30pm-3:00pm Wurster 178

Short talks by graduate students on their recent research+artmaking trips to San Diego/Tijuana and El Paso/Juarez.

Other Borders Roundtable 3:00pm-5:00pm Wurster 170

Invited guests speak on borders between Ecuador/Peru, Hong Kong/Shenzhen, and refugee camps and host countries. <u>More</u>



## Film Screening: La Mar El Mar 4/17

Directors: Joshua Bonnetta and J.P Sniadecki 5:30pm-7:30pm Wurster Auditorium

*El Mar La Mar* (2017, 94 min.<u>Trailer</u>.) weaves together harrowing oral histories of the Sonoran Desert border region with hand-processed, 16mm images of the flora, fauna, and items left behind by those who've made the hazardous trek. Sniadecki and Bonnetta create a mystical, folktale-like atmosphere dense with memories, ghosts and the remains of desire. <u>More</u>.



### **Application Deadline 4/16**

**GUH Certificate Programs** 

The Global Urban Humanities Initiative offers both <u>Graduate</u> and <u>Undergraduate</u> Certificate programs that offer students the opportunity to supplement their major areas of study with courses that explore cities through a variety of disciplinary approaches.

Fall 2018 electives list coming soon!

GUH Faculty Jason Luger's Review of artWORK Published in Antipode



Luger reviewed *artWORK: Art, Labour and Activism* by Paula Serafini, Jessica Holtaway, and Alberto Cossu, writing about its focus on the political production of art. Luger is the author of *Art and the City: Worlding the Discussion through a Critical Artscape.* 

More of the review can be found here.



#### Boal's Theater of the Oppressed: Reflections on a GUH Workshop

Theater director Jiwon Chung recently led a GUH workshop in which students considered systemic violence through a series of exercises based on the work of Augusto Boal. City and Regional Planning student Jeff Garnand reflects on how physical movement helped students from many disciplines consider power relationships. <u>More</u>



### GUH Course Enhancement Grants Application Deadline Extended to 4/20

The Global Urban Humanities Initiative (GUH) provides course enhancement grants and workshops for faculty teaching graduate or undergraduate courses on cities and urban life. Faculty will each receive \$2,000 to be used for travel, technical training, books, research assistance, guest speakers, etc. and will participate in a syllabus workshop to share ideas with colleagues in different disciplines. <u>More</u>

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