



NEWSLETTER



From the Department of Geography & Planning

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CALENDAR

DEPARTMENTAL EVENTS:

Monday, March 9; 2:30 p.m.; MC E230: Joint GPPL and Public Health Seminar. Dr. Karen Lee, MD, MHSc, FRCPC (Associate Professor of Preventive Medicine, Department of Medicine, University of Alberta) discusses her new book *Fit Cities* and built environment interventions on social determinants of health.

Monday, March 9; 3:00 p.m.; University Club (George Teves Room): GPPL Special Public Lecture. PDF: International Visiting Scholar, geographer Bronwyn Parry (King's College London) will present *DNA Testing: Secrets, Lies, and the Politics of Disclosure*. This lecture will be followed by a reception in the same location. See more details on Professor Parry's visit further in the newsletter.

Thursday, March 12; 11:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.; MC E230: SURP Graduate Students host a Workshop on *Climate Change and Land Use Planning*. See full details further in the newsletter.

Thursday, March 12; 3:00 p.m.; MC D326: GSC Meeting.

Friday, March 20; 6:30 p.m.; Mino's Dining Room (340 Barrie St.): Geography DSC host their Annual Semi-formal... ***The Globe!*** You are cordially invited to join them for a night of delicious food, and fun times! This event is open to all within the Geography and Planning Department. Tickets are \$30 each through the ASUS website <https://theasusstore.com/collections/events/products/the-globe-geography-and-planning-formal>. Get your tickets now as they expect a sell out!

Thursday, April 16, 2020: BIOSCI 1102 and Atrium. ***8th Annual Queen's Northern Research Symposium.***

OTHER EVENTS:

Thursday, March 12; 1:00 p.m.; MC D214: SNID. Professor Bronwyn Parry (Head, School of Global Affairs, King's College London) will speak on *Reproductive Empires: Charting the Political Economy of ART in the Global South*.

Thursday, March 12; 4:00 p.m.; BIOSCI 1103: Queen's Economics Department presents the 2020 W.A. Mackintosh Lecture. Professor Dani Rodrik (Ford Foundation Professor of International Political Economy, Harvard Kennedy School) will speak on *Reimagining Globalization*.

Friday, March 13; 10:00 a.m.; Fireplace Reading Room, Stauffer Library: The Fireplace Series: An Interdisciplinary Conversation. Dr. Nick Mosey and Professor Bronwyn Parry will speak on *How Matter Matters*.

IN THE NEWS

John S Andrew (Arts and Science, School of Environmental Studies, Smith School of Business, School of Graduate Studies). CTV National Network News: [Bank of Canada slashes interest rate by more than half a point](#). Dr. Andrew says the spring market is already heating up and it's going to drive home sales.

David Gordon, *Canadian Geographic Magazine*. <https://www.canadiangeographic.ca/article/changing-face-canadas-first-suburbs>.

PRINCIPAL'S DEVELOPMENT FUND: INTERNATIONAL VISITING SCHOLAR

Professor Bronwyn Parry, Head of the School of Global Affairs at King's College London, will be visiting Queen's University as a Principal's Development Fund International Visiting Scholar. Professor Parry will be at Queen's the week of March 9th to March 16th and there are a number of exciting events planned for her visit.



Monday March 9th: Public Lecture & Reception

University Club, George Teves Room (168 Stuart Street) 3pm-4:30pm
Globalising DNA Testing: Secrets, Lies, and the Politics of Disclosure

Thursday March 12th: SNID Talk

MC D214, 1pm-2:30pm
Reproductive Empires: Charting the Political Economy of ART in the Global South

Friday March 13th: The Fireplace Series Chat

Fireplace Reading Room, Stauffer, 10am-12pm
Dr. Nick Mosey and Professor Bronwyn Parry on *How Matter Matters*

Monday March 16th: Grad Workshop & Lunch

MC E314, Rutherford Room, 9am-12pm

The Status of the Trace: Governmentality and the Body in the Age of Biosurveillance. RSVP to 17ch38@queensu.ca.

CLIMATE CHANGE AND LAND USE PLANNING WORKSHOP

You are invited!

***No registration required **Lunch Provided ***Free to attend all, or any part of, the workshop.**

Hosted By:

Graduate Students in the School of Urban and Regional Planning at Queen's University

Presentations and Discussions on:

- **Infrastructure, Climate Change and Land Use Planning**
- **Flooding, Climate Change and Land Use Planning**
- **Natural Heritage Planning**
- **Resilience Planning**

For more information, please contact Professor John Meligrana: john.meligrana@queensu.ca; 613-533-6000 ext. 77145.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

2020 Call for Distinguished Service Awards. Faculty, staff, students and retirees are invited to nominate candidates. This award recognizes individuals who have made the University a better place through their extraordinary contributions. Recipients will be presented their awards at a ceremony on November 6, 2020.

For guidelines, the nomination form, and additional information please visit: <https://www.queensu.ca/secretariat/university-council/distinguished-service-awards>. Deadline: **4:00 p.m. Friday, April 24, 2020.**

CONFERENCES

Water Initiative for the Future (WatIF). June 1 - 4, 2020, Kingston, ON. An international conference that promotes multidisciplinary water-related graduate research. www.watifkingston.ca. Abstract deadline: **March 24, 2020**; Registration deadline: **April 21, 2020**.

We are very proud that so many of Geography's faculty and students attended the *Scholarship Beyond Boundaries* Conference, held February 29 to March 1, 2020, and hosted by the Society of Graduate and Professional Students. Not only was the lead organizer of the conference, Claudia Hirtenfelder, one of Geography's own, but we also had keynote speakers (Laura Cameron, Laura Thomson and Warren Mabee), Panel Presenters (Sue Bazely, Claudia Hirtenfelder, Kim Buitenhuis, Martina Jakubchik-Paloheimo, Tabatha Rahman, and Maia Somers), workshop host (Elizabeth Nelson), volunteers (Mark Ouseley, Nikita Jariwala), and attendees (Carolyn DeLoyde and Nicolae England) represented. Thank you so much for making Geography proud everyone! It was a wonderful event. Below are a few photos from the event.



Keynote speakers Laura Thomson (L) and Laura Jean Cameron address participants.



Claudia Hirtenfelder makes her presentation.



Sue Bazely enjoying her turn at presenting.



Elizabeth Nelson also addresses a group at the conference.



The panel above includes (L-R): Theodore Christou (Faculty of Education), James Reynolds (School of Graduate Studies), Heidi Penning (Equity and Human Rights Office), Warren Mabee (GPPL and School of Policy Studies) and Mark Green (Faculty of Engineering).



Laura Thomson delivers her keynote address.



Attendees listen intently, including Mark Ouseley.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Planning Department, Beckwith Township, Carleton Place, ON. Planning Administrator.
<https://twp.beckwith.on.ca/planning-administrator/>. Deadline: **April 4, 2020**.

The City of Thorold, Planning and Development Department. Planning Student opportunity from May until the end of August 2020. Interested candidates are invited to submit their detailed resume to the attention of the Manager of Planning Services at hr@thorold.com. Deadline: **4:30 p.m. Friday, March 20, 2020**.

FACULTY FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

[Water Research Foundation: calls about sensor networks, pathogen removal in water systems](#)
[Post-Doctoral Travel Awards](#)
[NATO: The Science for Peace and Security Programme](#)

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