

Trinity College

Center for Urban and Global Studies (CUGS)

Inaugural Lecture Series

Fall Semester, 2007



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at Trinity College

As part of the dedication of the new Center for Urban and Global Studies (CUGS) at Trinity College in Fall, 2007, CUGS, in cooperation with the Department of Political Science, Department of Sociology, International Studies Program, Public Policy and Law Program, and Asian Studies, is sponsoring an inaugural lecture series featuring four distinguished scholars who will provide insightful perspectives on and analyses of linked urban and global issues in different national and regional contexts drawing from their empirical research on cities in Europe, Africa, China, and the United States, especially New England. This lecture series is open to all faculty, students, and the broader community.

All lectures will be held in the newly renovated first floor seminar room of **70 Vernon Street**—home of CUGS. A reception will follow each lecture beginning around 5:15 pm.

Thursday, September 20, 2007 at 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

“Europeans’ Preferences for Ethnic Residential Segregation across 20 countries: A Response to Global Migration”

Presented by Moshe Semyonov, Bernard and Audre Rapoport Professor of the Sociology of Labor and Director of the University Institute for Diplomacy and Regional Cooperation, Tel Aviv University, Israel
Co-sponsored by CUGS, Sociology, and International Studies.

Wednesday, October 24, 2007 at 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

“Dystopias and Utopias: Ways of Seeing African Cities in the 21st Century”

Presented by Bill Freund, Professor of History, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa
Co-sponsored by Political Science, CUGS, and International Studies.

Thursday, November 29, 2007 at 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

“Space and Place after the Privatization of Chinese Urban Housing”

Presented by Deborah Davis, Professor of Sociology, Yale University
Co-sponsored by CUGS, Sociology, and Asian Studies.

Monday, December 3, 2007 at 4:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

“Boston Bound”

Presented by Gerald Frug, Louis D. Brandeis Professor of Law, Harvard University
Co-sponsored by CUGS and Public Policy and Law.

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