

CONTESTED LANDSCAPES, COMPETING NARRATIVES: ARMENIAN AND GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

Friday, February 22, 2019
9:30 AM-5:00 PM
Room 455 Weiser Hall

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Eurasian Studies

- 9:30 AM** **Opening remarks**
Ronald Grigor Suny, University of Michigan
- 9:40 AM** **Keynote Address: *Satire and Anti-Satire in Caucasus Historiographies***
Bruce M. Grant, New York University
- 11 AM** *Break*
- 11:30 AM** **Panel I – Armenian Perspectives**
Chair: **Fatma Müge Göcek**, University of Michigan
- Mehmet Polatel**, University of Michigan
In Pursuit of Local Knowledge: Reflections on People, Memory and Past in Sivas
- Anoush Tamar Suni**, University of California, Los Angeles
Underground Traces: The Materiality and Temporality of Violence
- David Leupold**, University of Michigan
At the ‘Mnemonic Frontier’: Eastern Turkey and the Vestiges of the Disappeared
- 1 PM** *Break*
- 2 PM** **Panel II – Global Perspectives**
Chair: **Ronald Grigor Suny**, University of Michigan
- Lediona Shahollari**, University of Michigan
Muslim, Albanian, or Native?: Contesting Categories and the Greco-Turkish Population Exchange (1921-1926)
- Omer Sharir**, University of Michigan
Between ‘Anarchiya’ and ‘Huriya’: Narrations of violence in the writings of Jewish paramilitary leaders in Palestine, 1907-1914
- Shourjendra Nath Mukherjee**, University of Michigan
The Unjust State and the Treacherous Nation: The Semantics of Claim Making among the Survivors of 1984 Anti-Sikh Violence
- 3:30 PM** *Break*
- 4 PM** **Closing remarks and Roundtable Discussion**