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## SPRING 2021 SCHEDULE

TIME: 12:00 – 1:30 PM (EST)

LOCATION: Webinar. Register at [Zoom](#)



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DATE	NAME/AFFILIATION	TOPIC
January 21	<b>Dr. Asanda Benya</b> Department of Sociology; University of Cape Town	Demands for a living wage: the invisible women in South Africa's Platinum mining Belt.
January 28	<b>Dr. Johanne Pelletier</b> TNC-Atkinson Center for Sustainability	The Contribution of Forests and the Challenges to Address Deforestation: Evidence for Zambia
February 4	<b>Dr. Ursula M. Read</b> Department of Global Health and Social Medicine; King's College London  <b>Dr. Lily Kpobi</b> Regional Institute for Population Studies; University of Ghana	The Interdependence of Human Rights in Mental Health in Ghana: Why Breaking the Chains Is Not Enough
February 11	<b>Dr. Muna Ndulo</b> Cornell Law School	Constitution Making in Africa, Inclusiveness, Accountability, and Development
February 18	<b>Dr. Tamsin Bradley</b> Center for European and International Studies Research; University of Portsmouth	Art Heritage and Resilience in South Sudan: A Gendered View
February 25	<b>Dr. Jacqueline-Bethel Tchouta Mougoué</b> African Cultural Studies; The University of Wisconsin-Madison	"When Women Wear Slacks": Gender and Embodied Nationalism in Africa
March 4	<b>Dr. Horman Chitonge</b> The Centre for African Studies; University of Cape Town	Transforming the Colonial Economy in Africa: A Vital but Incomplete Project
March 11	<b>Dr. Cati Coe</b> Department of Sociology, Anthropology, and Criminal Justice; Rutgers University	Social Class in Transnational Perspective: Emotional Responses to the Status Paradox among Ghanaian Migrants
March 18	<b>Dr. Alvin Harris</b> Senior Economist; Bank of Jamaica Research Unit	The State of Blacks in the Jamaican Economy

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March 25	<b>Dr. Margaret Njeru</b> School of Education; Riara University	Language Loss and a Cry for Identity: The Case of Kenyan Youth
April 1	<b>Dr. Tarila Marclint Ebiede</b> Vesalius College, Brussels & Centre for Research on Peace and Development; Catholic University of Leuven	Youth Transition in Nigeria: Learning from the Past and Anticipating the Future
April 8	<b>Dr. Anika Wilson</b> African and African Diaspora Studies; University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee	Localization of Human Rights Discourse: Gender-Based Violence Arguments in Malawian Courts
April 15	<b>Dr. Sanja Ivkovic</b> School of Criminal Justice, MSU  <b>Dr. Adri Sauerma</b> Independent Scholar  <b>Dr. Andrew Faull</b> Centre of Criminology, University of Cape Town,	Police Integrity in South Africa
April 22	<b>Dr. Michael Cserkits</b> Independent Postdoctoral Researcher	European Endeavors in Northern Africa - A Strategic Assessment with the Case Example of Mali