Walter Rodney Lecture Series
African Studies Center Fall 2018
232 Bay State Road, Room 505  12:15pm to 2pm

SEPTEMBER

9.10  Robert Mattes and Shaheen Mozaffar
"The 'Dumbing Down' Effect of Proportional Representation Electoral Systems in Africa"

9.17  Catherine L. Kelly
"Meanings of Justice and Security in Bangui, Central African Republic"

9.24  Rita Kiki (Nkiru) Edozie
"Pan 'Africa' Rising: The Paradox of Culture, Third Ways, and Coproducing Global Development"

10.29  Ghirmai Negash
"Wounded Identities in the Clinic of Pan-Africanism"

NOVEMBER

11.5  Lauren Honig
"The Struggle for Land: The state, customary authorities, and citizens in Senegal and Zambia"

11.12  Serena Stein
"Notes on a Donor Darling: Agribusiness, Transnational Intimacies and the Infrastructure of Obligation in Mozambique's Nacala Corridor"

11.26  Kenda Mutongi
"Reading Under the Covers: A History of Schooling in Kenya"

OCTOBER

10.1  Lawrence Were
"From African Socialism to Neo-Liberal Dispensation: The Case of Healthcare Reform in Kenya"

10.9*  Nancy Jacobs
"Washington Okumu and the Miracle of South Africa's 1994 Elections"

10.15  Emilie Diouf
"On Whose Terms? African Women and Politics of Recognition in the International Refugee Regime"

10.22  Jennifer Johnson
"Negotiating Health after Empire: Rewriting the History of Family Planning in North Africa"

DECEMBER

12.3  Michael Woldemariam
"Divide and Rule: Partition and Illiberal State-Building in the Horn of Africa"

12.10  George Paul Meiu
"Plastic Panics: Masculinity, Materiality, and Citizenship in Kenya"

*B: exceptionally: Tuesday (BU Monday schedule)