

## THE MACMILLAN CENTER INITIATIVE ON RELIGION, POLITICS, & SOCIETY

## FALL 2013 • RELIGION AND POLITICS COLLOQUIUM

**SEPTEMBER 30 ZAREENA GREWAL,** Yale University, American Studies and Religious Studies *Title TBA* 

October 28

NATHALIE LUCA, French National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS), Religious Studies

Transnationalization, Globalization, Mondialization: An Anthropological Approach of
Controversial New Religious Movements

NOVEMBER 5

ANNA GRYZMALA-BUSSE, University of Michigan, Political Science

Weapons of the Meek: Religious Influence on Policy in Christian Democracies

Joint with Comparative Politics Workshop • Room 005, Rosenkranz Hall, 115 Prospect Street

NOVEMBER 11 DAVID PALMER, The University of Hong Kong, Sociology Can Religion Contribute to China's Civil Society?

NOVEMBER 18 MONICA TOFT, University of Oxford, School of Government Religion and the Politics of Scapegoating

DECEMBER 2

ERIC NELSON, Harvard University, School of Government
The Lord Alone Shall be King of America': Hebraism and the Republican Turn of 1776

Mondays @ 12:00pm • Room a001, ISPS, 77 Prospect street • Lunch provided

## FALL 2013 • THE POLITICS OF TIME AND VALUE READING GROUP

## The Politics and Metaphysics of Poverty

What are the religious, moral and ideological grounds that shape the modern discourse on poverty? How do these fundamental assumptions affect concrete economic and political responses to poverty, or the lack thereof? These are the central questions of the graduate student reading group this Fall.

Part I: Contemporary Discourses on Poverty with sessions on the liberal, communitarian, socialist, Marxist, and post-structuralist conceptions.

Part II: Poverty Reconsidered with sessions on the Christian and Ancient Traditions.

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