

The Center for South Asian and Indian Ocean Studies Presents:

Freedom's Open Wound: Kashmir and the Future of South Asia



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6

**Film Screening of Iffat Fatima's
*Khoon Diy Baarav (Blood Leaves Its Trail)***
(93 minutes; Kashmiri/English subtitles)
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. in Tisch Library 304
Refreshments will be served

***On the Occasion of
the 70th Anniversary
of Partition and
Independence***

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7

Opening Remarks: 9:30 a.m.

Session 1: "Kashmir's Absent Presences"

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

- **Suchitra Vijayan**, "Records of Repression"
Barrister-at-Law, Political essayist, and Photographer
- **Cabeiri Robinson**, "The Territoriality of the Refugee Body and the Sovereignty of Azad Kashmir"
Associate Professor, Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington
- **Saiba Varma**, "Injury, Affect, and Trauma to Politics in Kashmir"
Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, UC San Diego

Lunch: 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Session 2: "Kashmiri Imagination and Resistance"

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

- **Shahla Hussain**, "Kashmiri Imaginings of Freedom in the Global Arenas"
Assistant Professor, Department of History, St. John's University
- **Mona Bhan**, "Tunneling to the Future in India" "Concrete, Counter-insurgency, and Everyday Resistance in Kashmir"
Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, DePauw University
- **Iffat Fatima**, *KHOON DIY BAARAV (Blood Leaves Its Trail)*
Documentary Film-maker based in India

Coffee Break: 3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Session 3: "Kashmir on the World Stage"

3:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

- **Sugata Bose**
Gardiner Professor of History, Harvard University
- **Ayesha Jalal**
Mary Richardson Professor of History, Tufts University



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