

'Science, Technology and Medicine in India, 1930-2000: The Problem of Poverty'



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Convenor

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Organised by the Centre for the History of Medicine, University of Warwick.

Venue

Institute of Advanced Study, Millburn House, University of Warwick

Millburn House is located two buildings along from University House in the University of Warwick Science Park – it is marked as **building 38** on the main campus map (the building is in the top right hand corner of the map). This can be downloaded at: <http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/about/visiting/maps/campusmap/> Please note that the building numbers on printed versions of the map may be different. There are a small number of parking spaces available at Millburn House. Once you arrive at Millburn, use the front entrance shown on the photo and take the staircase opposite you as you enter. IAS is on the left at the top of the stairs. If coming by road, a map can be downloaded from:

http://www.warwicksciencepark.co.uk/img/uwsp_mapweb.pdf

Catering

Catering and refreshments will be provided on both days, including a second day hot buffet lunch (Should you have any concern about the type of food to be served at lunch please contact Tracy Horton (T.Horton@warwick.ac.uk)).

Please note that all dietary requirements will be accommodated if we are advised well ahead of time.

Taxis

The University uses Trinity Taxis for travel arrangements.

Tel: 02476 631631

For those claiming expenses, please keep your receipts.



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DAY 1: Thursday 13 October 2011

10.00 Registration and Refreshments

10.15 ***Welcome and opening remarks: Sarah Hodges***

10.30 – 12.30 Individual presentations and group discussion

10.30 – 11.30 **Mohan Rao, (JNU)**
Explaining Neo-Malthusianism
11.00 Refreshments to arrive

11.30 – 12.30 **Rebecca Williams, (Warwick)**
Family planning under the Emergency: The unauthorised version

12.30- 1.30 Lunch

1.30 – 3.30

1.30 – 2.30 **Darshi Thoradeniya, (Warwick)**
Poor, but not too poor: Why the pill trials went to Sri Lanka not India

2.30 – 3.30 **Varada Madge, (JNU)**
Surrogacy: The Problem Of Technology And Abject Poverty

3.30 – 4.00 Refreshments

4.00 – 5.00

4.00 – 5.00 **Priya Ranjan, (JNU)**
Chronicle of 'growth' and 'development' foretold: India's tryst with biotechnology

5.00 – 6.00 **Jahnvi Phalkey (KCL)**
Science in twentieth-century India

6.00 – 6.45 Wine Reception – Foyer, Millburn House

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DAY 2: Friday 14 October 2011

10.00 Refreshments

10.30 – 12.30 Individual presentations and group discussion

10.30 – 11.30 **Sarah Hodges, (Warwick)**
*Poverty and health care in twentieth-century India:
The making of 'Madras as a medical mecca'*
11.00 Refreshments to arrive

11.30 – 12.30 **Ramila Bisht, (JNU)**
Globalization and health of a megacity: The case of Mumbai

12.30 – 1.30 Lunch

1.30 – 3.30

1.30 – 2.30 **Kaustav Banerjee, (JNU)**
Patronizing distribution: Tackling poverty through the PDS in India

2.30 – 3.30 **Nandini Gooptu, (Oxford)**
It's all in the mind: 'Psychologisation' of poverty in contemporary India

3.30 – 4.00 Refreshments

4.00 – 4.30 Sarah Hodges, (Warwick)
Summing up and future planning, next meetings, publication plans

4.30 Farewells
