

# BARRIERS and BORDERS

## Empires and States Workshop

Friday, February 24th, 2023

9:00am – 6:00pm EST

### Location:

The Forum at Columbia University,  
Room 315  
601 West 125th Street  
New York, NY 10027

9:00 - 9:15am	<b>Introduction</b> Ira Katznelson and Gareth Stedman Jones
9:15 - 11:00am	<b><u>Session I</u></b> <b>Michael Braddick:</b> Absolutism, jurisdictional uniformity and societal reformation <b>Richard Bense:</b> Metaphysics, History, and Politics <b>Karen Barkey:</b> The Making of Boundaries: Ottomans through Contemporary Turkey
11:00 - 11:15am	<b>Break</b>
11:15 - 1:00pm	<b><u>Session II</u></b> <b>Dina Gusejnova:</b> Internment in two World Wars and comparative thinking about modernising empires (ca. 1935-ca. 1955) <b>Sabine Dullin:</b> Russian Imperial Innocence Revised <b>Franziska Exeler:</b> The Three Empires' Border. Imperial Practices, Knowledge Transfer, and Everyday Experiences of Borders in East-Central Europe, 1815–1921
1:00 - 2:00pm	<b>Lunch</b>
2:00 - 3:45pm	<b><u>Session III</u></b> <b>Victoria de Grazia:</b> The Invention of Fascist Governmentality: How Italy challenged the Liberal International Order, 1925-1943 <b>Emmanuelle Saada:</b> Interior frontiers and internal borders: Colonialism, immigration, and the borders of Europe <b>Natasha Wheatley:</b> The State's Frontiers – in Space and Time
3:45 - 4:00pm	<b>Break</b>
4:00 - 5:45pm	<b><u>Session IV</u></b> <b>Hendrik Spruyt:</b> Borders and the End of the Universal Temptation <b>Victoria Tin-Bor Hui:</b> Borders and Barriers as Protection for the Weak on the Edges of Chinese Empires <b>Paul Frymer:</b> Settler Colonialism as a 'Structural Event': The Multiple Orders of Indigenous Rights and Political Identity
5:45 - 6:00pm	<b>Conclusions</b>
7:00pm	(Optional) Dinner at <u>Lido</u> (2168 Frederick Douglass Boulevard, NY 10026)