

MODERN SOUTH ASIAN HISTORY RESEARCH SEMINAR

Winter Semester 2024-25

The research group seminar will be held in presence in room 2.112 (Waldweg 26, Altbau) and will also be accessible through zoom.

Contact and registration: Dr. Camille Buat (camille.buat@cemis.uni-goettingen.de)

Tuesday, 29 October, 5 – 7

External Presentation (online)

Siddharth Muralidharan (Frontline

Magazine, Chennai)

Samsung Workers on Strike,

Sriperumbudur, 2024: Some Reflections

Tuesday, 5 November, 4 – 6

Project Presentation

Camille Buat (CeMIS):

Rural Transformations and Postcolonial

Transition in North India (1930s-1960s)

Tuesday, 12 November, 4 – 6 pm

Naveen Chander (CeMIS):

Labour Regulations and the Politics of the

(Un)organized. A View from the Delhi

Tailors' Strike (1962-1964)

Thursday, 21 November, 4 – 7 (online)

Frank Perlin Memorial Meeting

with Jan Breman, Prachi Deshpande, Jan

Lucassen, David Ludden, Nabhojeet Sen

and Ravi Ahuja

Tuesday, 26 November, 4 – 6

PhD Workshop

Lukas Rosenberg (CeMIS):

The Spatial Development of the Parel

Railway Workshops

Pavel Lebedev (CeMIS):

Labour Conflict and Labour Regulation

during Early Railway Construction: the

Bhore Ghat Disturbances of 1859

Tuesday, 3 December, 4 – 6

PhD Workshop

Shiva Singh (Indraprastha IIT Delhi):

Welfare Work and Algorithmic Governance:

Transformations in Frontline Care Work in

India

Rahul Maganti (CeMIS):

Limited Work, Surplus Labour — Strategies

of Capital, State and Unions in Bombay

Docks, 1980-1992

Tuesday, 10 December, 4 – 6 pm

External Lecture

Aditya Sarkar (Warwick University):

The Annual Bonus: Towards a Political

Biography

Tuesday, 14 January, 4 – 6

PhD Workshop

Anusheh Bakht Aziz (CeMIS):

The "Mill Girl" Phenomenon in the 20th

Century.

Nabhojeet Sen (Bonn Center for

Dependency and Slavery Studies): *State*

formation, Coercion and Intermediaries:

Western Deccan, 1670s-1818

Tuesday, 21 January, 4 – 6 pm

Bhaswati Bhattacharya (CeMIS): *Agency,*

Conflict and Structure: Organising

Commerce in the Indian Ocean in the Early

Modern Period

Tuesday, 28 January, 4 – 6

Book Presentation

Görkem Akgöz (Humboldt University, Berlin):

In the Shadow of War and Empire.

Industrialisation, Nation-Building, and

Working-Class Politics in Turkey (Leiden:

Brill, 2023)

(Commentator: **Anna Sailer**, CeMIS)

Tuesday, 4 February, 4 – 7

MA Dissertation Workshop