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LECTURE SERIES

**FEBRUARY 23** (Tuesday lecture at 5:30 pm in room 3-133)

"Harar, a Muslim City in Ethiopia"

**PHILIPPE REVault**

Architect & Urbanist. Fulbright Visiting Professor, Wentworth Institute of Technology

**MARCH 8**

"Revisiting the Trope of 'Unity and Variety' in Islamic Art"

**GÜLRU NECİPOĞLU**

Aga Khan Professor of Islamic Art, Harvard University

**APRIL 5**

"The Architecture of Migration: Translation and Creative Synthesis in the Mosques of Tamil, Hadhrami and Chinese Peranakan Communities in the Emporia of Nusantara"

**IMRAN BIN TAJUDEEN**

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**APRIL 12**

"Urbanization, Poverty and Land-Use in the Megacities of South Asia"

**ELIZABETH DEAN HERMANN**

Professor of Urban Studies & Landscape Architecture, Design for Development, and the History of Islamic Architecture & Urbanism, Rhode Island School of Design

**APRIL 26**

"Interrupting the Archive: Indigenous Interventions to Colonial Categories of Indian Heritage"

**MRINALINI RAJAGOPALAN**

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**MAY 3**

"Breaching the Walled Cities of Bilâd al-Shâm"

**NICOLAS PROUTEAU**

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Philip the Arab  
(204-249)

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