

STS Circle at Harvard Spring 2008

All meetings will take place on **Mondays**, from **12:15—2 p.m.**, at **124 Mt. Auburn Street, Suite 100, Room 106**, unless otherwise noted. Sandwich lunches will be provided.

Please **RSVP** to sang-hyun_kim@ksg.harvard.edu by the Friday before. For more information, please visit:

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Feb 4 **Arthur A. Daemrich** (Harvard Business School)
Innovation in Degradation: Ecoflex at BASF, on the Market, and in the Compost

Feb 13 (w) **Mark Hauser** (Harvard University)
Evolving a Moral Grammar: Domain-specificity, Origins, Universality and Moral Organs
12:00-2:00 p.m. at room 469, Science Center

Feb 25 **Martyn Pickersgill** (University of Nottingham)
The Neuroscience of Psychopathy: A Mundane Revolution?

Mar 3 **Sara Shostak** (Brandeis University)
Multiplicity in Practice: Towards a Genealogy of 'Gene-Environment Interaction'

Mar 10 **Stuart A. Newman** (New York Medical College)
Evolution: The Public's Problem, and the Scientists'

Mar 17 **R. P. Hagendijk** (Universiteit van Amsterdam)
Modes of Public Engagement in European S&T Governance

Mar 31 **Felice Frankel** (Harvard University)
The Visual Expression of Science: More than Pretty Pictures

Apr 3 (Th) Science & Democracy Lecture Series
Harold Varmus (Co-winner of the 1989 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for the discovery of the cellular origin of retroviral oncogenes; President of the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center)

Apr 7 **Sarah Jansen** (Harvard University)
Managing Whales, Wolves, and Eastern Europeans

Apr 14 **Barbara Herrnstein-Smith** (Duke University)
Explaining Religion: Naturalism With and Without Scientism
4:00-6:00 p.m. at room 252, Science Center

Apr 21 **Ellen Bales** (UC Berkeley)
Working Levels, Working Knowledge: Indoor Radon and the Environmental Protection Agency

Apr 28 *Workshop: Beyond the Creation-Evolution Controversy: Science and Religion in Public Life*
Participants: **Janet Browne** (Harvard University), **John Durant** (MIT), **John H. Evans** (UC San Diego), **Eric Rothschild** (Pepper Hamilton LLP), and **Cornelia Dean** (New York Times). (Barker Center for Humanities, time and exact room TBD)

May 2 (F) STS Party — Time / Place — TBD

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Background: Nanoscale circuit with the logo of Sandia National Laboratories on a vertical mirror on a rotary indexing stage. Courtesy of Sandia National Laboratories, SUMMIT™ Technologies, www.mems.sandia.gov

The logo for STS Circle, featuring the letters 'S.T.S.' in a large, bold, sans-serif font above the word 'circle' in a smaller, lowercase, sans-serif font, all enclosed within a square border.