Our last colloquium of the term is on Thursday, November 16. Molly Malone describes the current context in which anthropology is used in conflicts related to resource extraction and Indigenous rights and title, and discusses the tensions faced by practitioners at a time when both Canada and the discipline of anthropology are grappling with their colonial roots.

Congratulations to Kamal Arora (PhD 2017), who has begun a new role as Director of the South Asian Studies Institute at the University of the Fraser Valley for one year.

Vinay Kamat held a workshop on Natural Gas Projects and Local Community Development in East Africa. This was the second of the two workshops organized in Tanzania as part of the research project with the same title - both funded by CIRDI.

(The first workshop was held in Dar es Salaam on August 30, 2016: http://bit.do/NaturalGasDaresSalam)

The workshop was held in Kiswahili language; the proceedings have been translated into English. It was attended by 42 participants, plus 5 facilitators, including faculty members from the University of Dar es Salaam. Significantly, representatives from 10 villages where we conducted the research came to the workshop, and also representatives from 7 local NGOs and several district government officials and representatives from the industry.

Learn more about the workshop on our website: http://bit.do/VinayKamatWorkshopEastAfrica

The Natural Gas Projects and Local Community Development Workshop. Photo credit: Ian Sanghvi, one of the workshop facilitators from Dar es Salaam. Mtswara, Southeastern Tanzania.
The Awards Committee has read and discussed the papers nominated for the Julie Cruikshank Award and the Hawthorn Best Honour’s Thesis. We are happy to announce the following winners:

**Eva Sullivan**, Julie Cruikshank Award for Best Undergraduate Paper titled: "Discourses of (Un)Belonging: The Gendered, Racialized and Reproductive Politics of Non-Jewish Migration in Israel.”

**Caitlin Stonham**, Hawthorn Award for Best Undergraduate Honours Thesis titled, "Tiny Life and The Law: Identity, Materiality, and Bureaucracy in Vancouver’s Tiny House Movement.”

Daisy Rosenblum, on her SSHRC Insight Grant project “qə́nqołə́χənc ?ə́winagʷis, ‘Knowing our land’”

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**Presentations**

**Wade Davis**


• 2017. Address and workshop discussion with crew and cast of Avatar 2 and 3, Light Storm Productions, Los Angeles, Ca. September 19.


• 2017. Keynote Address, Northern British Columbia Tourism Summit, Prince George, BC October 17.

• 2017. “Into the Silence: The Great War, Mallory and the Conquest of Everest” Sponsored by the Lyric Opera of Kansas City, Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City, October 20.


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Jessica Z. Metcalfe

Bruce Granville Miller


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