

JSGS Policy Change Lecture Series

The JSGS Policy Change Lecture Series features renowned speakers who address questions of change in substantive policy areas and in the manner in which policy is devised and implemented on a wide array of topics. The 2011-12 lecture series features:



Bryan D. Jones is the J.J. "Jake" Pickle Regents Chair in Congressional Studies at the University of Texas at Austin and director of the Policy Agendas Project. His research centers on American public policy processes, including agenda-setting and decision-making. Jones is an author/co-author of ten books, including *Agendas and Instability in American Politics* and *The Politics of Bad Ideas*. Jones' lecture, *Human Nature and Public Policy: Behavioral Foundations and Policy Studies*, will explore human nature and how it has influenced the development of policy studies, processes and design.

Date: Thursday, October 20, 2011 **Time:** 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. **Location:** This lecture will take place in Regina and will be video-conferenced to a Saskatoon audience.



Jennifer Klein is a professor in the Department of History at Yale University, and is co-director of the Initiative on Labour and Culture. Her research spans the fields of U.S. labor history, urban history, social movements and political economy. Klein's publications include the book *For All These Rights: Business, Labor, and the Shaping of America's Public-Private Welfare State* (Princeton, 2003). She is currently working on a project on the history of home health care workers, exploring the links between public welfare, health care and employment law.

Date: Winter 2012 **Time:** TBD **Location:** TBD



Genevieve Fuji Johnson is an assistant professor with the Department of Political Studies at Simon Fraser University. She is author of *Deliberative Democracy for the Future: The Case of Nuclear Waste Management in Canada*, and has published in many journals including the *Canadian Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative Policy Analysis* and *Contemporary Political Theory*. She holds a three-year Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada Standard Research Grant to study deliberative democratic practices in areas of Canadian public policy, including social housing, energy generation, and nuclear waste management.

Date: Spring 2012 **Time:** TBD **Location:** TBD



Maarten Hajer is professor of public policy at the University of Amsterdam. In 2008, the Dutch Cabinet appointed him as director of the Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency (PBL). As director, Hajer is responsible for the strategic assessments and policy evaluations to facilitate political deliberation and decision making, ranging from environment, nature and land use, to water and transport. Hajer is the author of more than ten books, including *The Politics of Environmental Discourse*.

Date: June 2012 **Time:** TBD **Location:** TBD

Regina Location: JSGS Window Room, 2nd Floor, Gallery Building, University of Regina, College Avenue Campus*

Saskatoon Location: Prairie Room, Diefenbaker Building, 101 Diefenbaker Place, University of Saskatchewan Campus

Registration: Those interested in attending are encouraged to register online at www.schoolofpublicpolicy.sk.ca (please select News and Events, then Events Calendar and the appropriate calendar date).

* Please be advised that the JSGS Window Room is located on the second floor of the Gallery Building. Individuals with mobility difficulties should contact us at 306.585.5869 or js_outreach@uregina.ca at least one week prior to the event.

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