Six Rivers in Historical Time: Nature-Human Interactions on Himalayan Rivers

10 am to 5 pm

February 16, 2018

John Hope Franklin Center, Ahmadieh Family Conference Hall, Room 240

SCHEDULE

10:00 AM-10:15 AM Breakfast

10:15 AM - 12:45 PM Session 1

Ling Zhang: "Treating One's Neighbor Like a Gully 以鄰為壑: Environmental Ethics and Yellow River Management of the Chinese State"

Arupjyoti Saikia: "Gold washers, Fishermen, and Boatmen: Was there a pre-modern life of the Brahmaputra?"

Miriam Stark: "Premodern Khmers and their Mekong: Ecology and Agency in Archaeological Perspective"

12:45 PM to 2:00 PM Lunch

2:00 PM to 3:30 PM Session 2

Vipul Singh: "Flood, Avulsion and Governance: The Ganga river in the Nineteenth Century"

David Gilmartin: "Blood and Water in the Indus Basin"

3:30 PM to 3:45 PM Coffee Break

3:45 PM to 5:00 PM Session 2 resumes

Yan Gao: "Navigating through Disorder: Water Systems and Politics on the Yangzi River in Late Imperial China"