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A multidisciplinary approach to the study of the state and civil society on the African continent and beyond.

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**PRESENTATION 1**

August 24 | 3-4.30pm

**Democracy and Land Redistribution:  
Conservative parties, urban elites, and challengers in  
the making of agrarian politics**

Matias López: Albert Hirschman Centre on Democracy  
Graduate Institute Geneva

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**PRESENTATION 2**

September 7 | 3-4.30pm

**The Road to 2024 Elections:  
Is A Stable National Coalition Government Possible in South Africa?**

Mpumelelo Phakathi, Ayanda Nene & Bonginkosi Ngwenya: University of Western Cape

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**PRESENTATION 3**

September 21 | 3-4.30pm

**'We Have the Rights':  
Popular Rights and Traversal in Three African Cities**

Marcus Walton: Boston University

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**PRESENTATION 4**

October 11 | 2-3.30pm

**Navigating the Digital Frontier: Exploring the Role of Anti-Corruption  
Technologies in Strengthening Civil Society Efforts to Increase Integrity**

Alice Mattoni: University of Bologna

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**PRESENTATION 5**

October 26 | 3-4.30pm

**Weaving Calico, Crafting the Ciskei:  
Isishweshwe, Industrial Development, and Native Affairs  
in mid-20th Century South Africa**

Lebogang Mokwena : University of Western Cape

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**PRESENTATION 6**

November 8 | 3-4.30pm

**Institutional transformations for sustainable urban mobilities:  
An exploration of changes in Addis Ababa and Kisumu.**

Njogu Morgan: University College London's Urban Laboratory and Research Associate  
at the Wits History Workshop.