

Revised syllabus

Wk 12		
Mon 23 rd Mar	Checking in/plan rest of the semester	Zoom Checking in
Wed 25 Mar	Environmental Racism Case study: KodaiKanal Mercury Contamination	Of contamination and cover-ups http://www.thehindu.com/opinion/op-ed/nityanand-jayaraman-comment-of-contamination-and-coverups/article7579454.ece Watch: Mercury in the Mist https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TAPiOJoh58
WK 13		
Mon 30 Mar	Online session with Greg Pace via zoom 'Should residents co-govern oil and gas production in Ohio?' Guest lecture by Greg Pace, Columbus Community Bill of Rights	Download/watch the recorded lecture and power point slides from google drive https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1ofH2NbM2QIMPdj_z2ikS5CcnplkQW4YI America's Radioactive Secret: https://www.rollingstone.com/politics/politics-features/oil-gas-fracking-radioactive-investigation-937389/
Wed 1 Apr	Global environmental justice Is there a Global environmental justice movement? Group work discussion*	Environmentalism once was a social justice movement https://www.theatlantic.com/science/archive/2016/12/how-the-environmental-movement-can-recover-its-soul/509831/
Wk 14		
Mon 6 Apr	Working class environmentalism	Towards working class environmentalism https://newrepublic.com/article/139132/towards-working-class-environmentalism TOPIC DUE: Research paper topic
Wed 8 Apr	Guest Lecture presentation: Satya Sivaraman, Community Health Worker, Understanding Covid-19- Evolutionary Science perspective: Biology and Culture	Reading: The Ecology of disease https://www.nytimes.com/2012/07/15/sunday-review/the-ecology-of-disease.html Visualizing the history of pandemics https://www.visualcapitalist.com/history-of-pandemics-deadliest/?fbclid=IwAR3tWTPGHx9YB0Lx1HoAEJAh1nz1wORv979iwCw6U9qaV3vYO1Cf6YXE-w

		<p>Finding Connection and Resilience During the Coronavirus Pandemic https://www.newyorker.com/news/our-columnists/coping-camaraderie-and-human-evolution-amid-the-coronavirus-crisis?source=EDT_NYR_EDIT_NEWSLETTER_0_imagenewsletter_Daily_ZZ&utm_campaign=aud-dev&utm_source=nl&utm_brand=tny&utm_mailing=TNY_Daily_031220&utm_medium=email&bxid=5d6b1978a77739753b16d7e6&cndid=58270143&esrc=&mbid=CRMNYR062419&utm_term=TNY_Daily</p> <p>Capitalist Agriculture and Covid-19: A deadly combination https://climateandcapitalism.com/2020/03/11/capitalist-agriculture-and-covid-19-a-deadly-combination/</p> <p>How Pandemics change history https://www.newyorker.com/news/q-and-a/how-pandemics-change-history?source=EDT_NYR_EDIT_NEWSLETTER_0_imagenewsletter_Daily_ZZ&utm_campaign=aud-dev&utm_source=nl&utm_brand=tny&utm_mailing=TNY_Daily_030420&utm_medium=email&bxid=5d6b1978a77739753b16d7e6&cndid=58270143&esrc=&mbid=CRMNYR062419&utm_term=TNY_Daily</p>
Wk 15		
Mon 13Apr	<p>Global resistances Seattle to Arab Spring to Occupy Wall Street</p> <p>Discussion: How does/should resistance look like?</p>	<p>How the Arab Spring and occupy Wall Street started with one Tunisian man http://www.motherjones.com/politics/2011/10/arab-spring-occupy-wall-street-protests/</p> <p>The Environment as freedom: A decolonial reimagining http://items.ssrc.org/the-environment-as-freedom-a-decolonial-reimagining/</p>
Wed 15Apr	Group presentation	
Wk 16		
Mon 20Apr	Group presentations	
Wed 22Apr	Group presentations Last day of class	
Wk 17	Final Week	
Fri 1 May	**Research Paper due in Carmen by 5 pm	

Course requirements

Participation and attendance	10%
Memos	20%
Take-home midterm essay	20%
Presentation	10%
Research paper	
Topic	5%
***Reference list with summary	10%
Final paper	25%

*Group work discussion: As discussed on 23rd March (Zoom meeting), people can work in groups of two or individually to research a topic and present to the class for discussion. The topic should integrate the current situation with Covid-19 and connect it with the course, e.g: labor, work, economy, inequality, production network, agriculture, justice, racism, 'social distancing', discourse, ecology, climate change/environmental transformation etc. You can get some ideas from the readings listed for 8th April.

**Research paper: People who are planning to do collaborative research paper, will need to write individual sections of the paper, demonstrating clearly their contribution to the research.

*** You will not need to submit separate reference list. You will include your references in the research paper.