

LONG TERM DEVELOPMENT IN NEPAL AND ABROAD

Martin Chautari – Stanford Conference 2018

June 11-12, 2018

Martin Chautari Seminar Hall, Thapathali, Kathmandu

Mon, June 11	9:00 – 9:15	Tea & Registration
	9:15 – 9:30	Welcome remarks by Steve Haber & Pratyoush Onta
	9:30 – 10:30	Chaitanya Mishra, Professor, Tribhuvan University Title: “Studying Social Change in Nepal” Discussant: Ken Scheve, Professor, Stanford University
	10:30 – 11:30	Avidit Acharya, Assistant Professor, Stanford University Title: “Economic Foundations of the Territorial State System” Discussant: Bandana Gyawali, Martin Chautari
	11:30pm – 12:30pm	Pratyoush Onta, Lokranjan Parajuli & Devendra Uprety, Martin Chautari Title: “How Not to Make New Universities: Lessons from Post-1990 Nepal” Discussant: Steve Haber, Professor, Stanford University
	12:30 – 1:30pm	Lunch
	1:30 - 2:30pm	Ran Abramitzky, Professor, Stanford University Title: “The Long Term Spillover Effects of Changes in the Return to Schooling” Discussant: Pramod Bhatta, Assistant Professor, Tribhuvan University
	2:30 - 3:00pm	Tea break
	3:00 - 4:00pm	Yogesh Raj, Martin Chautari Title: “Public Enactments of Faith in Nepal” Discussant: Saad Gulzar, Assistant Professor, Stanford University

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Tues, June 12

9:30 – 10:30am

Ian Morris, Professor, Stanford University

Title: “Britain, Europe and the World Over the Last Eight Thousand Years: Why Britain Got Rich and Nepal Didn’t”

Discussant: Mallika Shakya, Assistant Professor, South Asian University

10:30 – 11:30am

Bandana Gyawali, Martin Chautari

Title: “From Development to *Bikas*: Nepal’s Transition to Democracy and the Emergence of a Concept”

Discussant: Avidit Acharya, Assistant Professor, Stanford University

11:30 – 12:30am

Saad Gulzar, Assistant Professor, Stanford University

Title: “Candidate Electability and Party Selection: Experimental Evidence from Kailali, Nepal.”

Discussant: Aditya Adhikari, Independent Writer

12:30pm – 2:00pm

Lunch

5:30pm – 6:30pm

Public Lecture by Steve Haber, Professor, Stanford University

@ Yalamaya Kendra, Patan Dhoka, Lalitpur

Title: “The Ecological Origins of Economic and Political Systems”

Introducing Steve Haber: Avidit Acharya, Assistant Professor, Stanford University

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