

11-14 AUG

Distinguished Visiting Professor

Javier Auyero

Urban magininality

4 lectures

*The Practical Logic
of Clientelist Domination*

11 | 08

*The Gray Zones of
Politics*

12 | 08

*Environmental Suffering in
the Americas*

13 | 08

*In Harm's Way. Towards a Political
Sociology of Urban Marginality*

14 | 08

Prof Auyero is one of the world's foremost sociologists of the grey zones of informal politics. His textured analysis of power, domination and the politics of the poor in the urban margins of Argentina resonate across the global South. On his first visit to South Africa, he delivers four lectures based on two decades of ethnographic work. In them, he seeks to sketch an

outline of a political sociology of urban marginality through a close inspection of the objective and subjective dimensions of the double life of clientelist politics, insurgent collective action, environmental contamination and interpersonal violence.

VENUE

Graduate seminar room,
South-West Engineering Building

TIME

4pm - 6pm



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