



PROGRAM IN IRANIAN STUDIES  
**IRAN COLLOQUIUM**  
FALL 2017

## Special Focus: Afghanistan

Fridays at 12:00pm | Room B012, ISPS, 77 Prospect Street

### 29 September

**Thomas Barfield**, Department of Anthropology, Boston University  
“Poor Design, Poor Outcome: Post 2001 State Building in Afghanistan and Its Consequences”

### 13 October

**Charlie Gammell**, Independent Scholar  
“Questions of Identity in Herat’s Past, Present and Future: 800 Years of Confusion and Change”

### 3 November

**Noah Coburn**, Political Anthropology, Bennington College  
“Derailing Democracy: How Elections Made Afghanistan Less Democratic”

### 1 December

**M. Nazif Shahrani**, School of Global and International Studies, Indiana University Bloomington  
“Afghanistan’s Future After U.S.-NATO Intervention: More of the Same?”



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