Friday, November 11
The Neubauer Collegium for Culture and Society
5701 S. Woodlawn Ave.

9:30 a.m.
Coffee and Breakfast

10:00 a.m.
Editors’ Introduction
Prathama Banerjee (Centre for the Study of Developing Societies)
Dipesh Chakrabarty (University of Chicago)
Lisa Wedeen (University of Chicago)

10:15 a.m.
Session 1

Murad Idris (University of Michigan): “Critique, Imperative, Interrogative; or, Diogenes, Erasmus, and Three Questions on Investing in the World”

Sandra Ponzanesi (Utrecht University): “Digital Pathways: Cosmopolitanism, Infrastructure, and Solidarities”
This talk will be presented via Zoom.

Rochona Majumdar (University of Chicago): “Filmic Cosmopolitanisms in the Global South”

12:15 p.m.
Lunch

1:15 p.m.
Session 2

Sophia Rosenfeld (University of Pennsylvania): “Cosmopolitanism/Populism”
This talk will be presented via Zoom.

Anjali Mohan (University of Chicago): “Cosmopolitanism and Statelessness: Citizens of the World, Citizens of Nowhere”

Claire Farago (University of Colorado) and Donald Preziosi (UCLA): “Universalism, Cosmopolitanism, and the Invention of Art”

3:15 p.m.
Break

3:30 p.m.
Wrap-up Discussion
Saturday, November 12
The Chicago Center for Contemporary Theory (3CT)
Foster Hall, 1130 E. 59th St.

8:30 a.m.  
Coffee and Breakfast

9:00 a.m.  
Session 3

Rolien Hoyng (Chinese University of Hong Kong): “Modeling Ecological Crisis: Global Digital Infrastructures and Planetary Entanglements”
This talk will be presented via Zoom.

Debjani Ganguly (University of Virginia): “The Worlding of World Literature”

Svitlana Matviyenko (SFU School of Communication): Title TBD
This talk will be presented via Zoom.

11:00 a.m.  
Break

11:15 a.m.  
Session 4

Emily Apter (New York University): “Planetarity: Concept-Work for a Critical Cosmopolitics”
This talk will be presented via Zoom.

Souleymane Bachir Diagne (Columbia University): “Cosmopolitanism and the ‘Civilization of the Universal’”

Michel Laguerre (University of California Berkeley): “Cosmopolitanism: Digital Connectivity, Cross-border Infrastructure, and Distributed Cosmonation”
This talk will be presented via Zoom.

1:15 p.m.  
Lunch

2:15 p.m.  
Wrap-up Discussion