

# Histories of HIVs: Social Contexts of the Emergence of HIV/AIDS

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## American Museum of Natural History

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### Friday May 20, 2016

6:00-6:30pm **Registration**

6:30-6:40pm **Welcome**

Jacklyn Lacey (American Museum of Natural History: African Ethnology and Anthropology)

6:30-8:00pm **Keynote**

Ian Lipkin (John Snow Professor of Epidemiology and Distinguished Researcher in Emerging Disease, Columbia University)

### Saturday May 21, 2016

8:00–9:00am **Registration**

8:00–9:00am **Continental Breakfast Service**

9:10-9:25am **Welcome**

Stephanie Rupp (Lehman College, City University of New York and American Museum of Natural History), William Schneider (Indiana University), and Preston A. Marx (Tulane University)

9:30-12:00pm **SIVs and Human Crossovers in West and Central Africa**

Moderator: Mark Siddall (Division of Invertebrate Zoology, American Museum of Natural History)

- Beatrice Hahn (University of Pennsylvania), “Origins of HIV-1 in the Congo River Basin”
- Preston Marx (Tulane University), “Serial Passage 15 years later”

#### **Coffee Break**

Moderators: George Amato (Director, Sackler Institute for Comparative Genomics, American Museum of Natural History) and Rob DeSalle (Molecular Systematics, American Museum of Natural History)

- François Simon, (Hôpital St. Louis, Paris), “HIV-1 Group N Is Back”
- Guillaume Lachenal (University of Paris-Diderot), “Historical Reflections on the HIV and HCV Epidemics in Cameroon”

12:00-1:30pm **Lunch** (Participants eat on their own)

1:30-3:00pm

**Historical and Social Contexts of HIV-1 Emergence**

Moderator: Janet Roitman (New School for Social Research – provisional)

- Tamara Giles-Vernick (Institut Pasteur), “Rethinking the Early Emergence of HIV-1 in Central Africa: Why We Need to Consider the Nineteenth Century Sangha Basin”
- Stephanie Rupp (Lehman College, City University of New York and the American Museum of Natural History) and Philippe Ambata (Historian), “Social and Historical Contexts of HIV-1 Emergence in Southeastern Cameroon”

3:00-3:30pm

**Coffee Break**

3:30-5:30pm

**HIV-2: Emergence and Epidemiology**

Moderator: Susan Perkins (Sackler Institute for Comparative Genomics, American Museum of Natural History)

- Nuno Faria (University of Oxford), “Establishment and Early Spread of HIV Lineages”
- Jorge Varanda (Coimbra University, Portugal), “HIV-2 in Guinea-Bissau”
- Catherine Bolten (University of Notre Dame), “Disease Emergence through Material Proximity: Mapping Zoonosis in Multi-Species Research”

6:00-8:30pm

**Conference dinner, for presenters and moderators**

**Sunday, May 22, 2016**

8:00-9:00am

**Continental breakfast**

9:00-12:00pm

**Cities and Networks of Viral Epidemics; Responses to HIV-1 in Congo Basin**

Moderator: Paige West (Barnard College, Columbia University), provisional

- Didier Gondola (Indiana University), “The Making of a Social Disease: How Violence, Migration, and Gender Revolution Contributed to the Emergence of HIV-1 in Equatorial Africa”
- Amandine Lauro (Univerité Libre de Bruxelles), “Prostitution, Gender Imbalance and HIV-1 Emergence in Colonial Kinshasa”

**Coffee Break**

Moderator: Didier Gondola (Indiana University)

- Munayeno Muvova (Montreal, Canada) “Sexually Transmitted Infections and Public Health in Congo, 1885-1960”
- Scholastique Dianzinga (Marien Ngouabi University of Brazzaville), “AIDS in Congo from 1983 to 2002: A Contribution to the History of Sickness”

12:00-1:30pm

**Lunch (Participants eat lunch on their own)**

1:30-3:00pm

**Lessons of Emergence: HIV, Ebola, Zika, and infectious Diseases of the Future**

Moderator: Eleanor Sterling (Center for Biology and Conservation, American Museum of Natural History)

- William H. Schneider (Indiana University), "The Appearance of HIV in Africa: the First Published Reports of Prevalence"
- Jacklyn Lacey (American Museum of Natural History), "Stigma, Anxiety, and Resistance in Social Perceptions of Disease Emergence: HIVs, Ebola, and Zika."
- Ernie Drucker (John Jay College, City University of New York), "The Continued Role of Unsterile Injections in the Adaptation and Dissemination of Emerging Viruses"

3:00-3:30pm

**Coffee Break**

3:30-5:30pm

**Final Round Table Discussion**

Facilitated by Preston Marx, William Schneider, Stephanie Rupp

6:00-8:30pm

**Final conference dinner, for presenters and moderators**

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