



**15 & 16
May 2025**

UNIL Géopolis

**Doctoral Seminar
in Urban Political
Ecology**

Learning from Waste and Discard Studies

The seminar engages with key debates in urban political ecology that speak to broader research topics

15 May - Room 2114

9.30 am Registration

10:15 am

Welcome Address and Seminar Overview
Aparna Agarwal, UNIL

10:30 am

Introduction to Urban Political Ecology of Waste
René Véron, UNIL

11:15 am

Economies of Repair and Re-manufacturing in Delhi
Julia Corwin, LSE

12:00 Lunch Break

1:30 pm

Ecologies of Caste and Waste
Aparna Agarwal, UNIL

2:15 pm

Situating UPE of Waste Now and in the Future?
Mary Lawhon, University of Edinburgh

3:00 pm Break

3:15 pm

Field Observation: Seeing Lausanne through Waste

16 May

9:00 am

**PhD Presentations:
Seeing Lausanne through Waste**

10:15 am Break

10:30 am

Seminar: Waste and Discard Studies

12:00 Lunch Break

1:30 pm

Workshop: Lessons Learnt

2:45 pm

Plenary Session

3:30 pm

Closing Remarks

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