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Workshop in Urban Ethnography
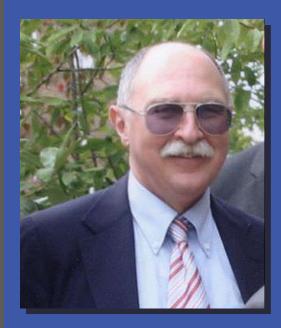*The Ethnographic Interpretation of Urban Life and Culture*

Monday, September 9, 11:30am-1:20pm

210 Prospect Street, Room 203

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Solving the Mona Lisa Smile, and Other Developments in Visual Micro-Sociology

We are in the age of micro-sociology, as visual and auditory detail become increasingly available from videos, photos, and other recordings. The mystery of the Mona Lisa smile provides an introduction to how to analyze emotional expressions on different zones of the face. The second half of the presentation will overview some recent research using video and other methods to show the micro-conditions when violence does or does not break out in protest demonstrations.

Lunch Served - All Welcome

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