

**A Conference
'Behind Many Masks'
Gerald Berreman and
Berkeley Anthropology, 1959-2001**

**Friday, April 6, 2001, 8:30 AM to 5:15 PM
Sibley Auditorium, Bechtel Hall 2nd Floor**

Organized by the Kroeber Anthropological Society and the Anthropology Graduate Organization for Research and Action, with support from the Department of Anthropology, the Hearst Museum of Anthropology, the Center for South Asia Studies, and the Institute for the Study of Social Change.

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

- 8:30am - 9:00am **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST SOCIAL**
- 9:00am - 9:05am **WELCOME BY KATHERINE MACKINNON,
PRESIDENT OF KAS**
- 9:05am - 10:35am **FIRST SESSION: SOUTH ASIAN ANTHROPOLOGY**
Chaired by Triloki Pandey
- 9:05-9:20 Joseph Alter, *Historical Magicalism: Leisure Capitalism,
Commodity Fetishism and the Transformation of Manure into
Milk in the Lower Himalayas*
- 9:20-9:35 Pauline Kolenda, *Premo: Innocent at Home*
- 9:35-9:50 Isabelle Nabokov, *The First Born: An 'Untouchable' Myth of
Origin from South India*
- 9:50-10:05 Erin Moore, *Competing Ideologies: Moral Discourse in a
Rajasthani Village*
- 10:05-10:20 Kamala Viswaswaren, *Toward a Subaltern History of Class*
- 10:20-10:35 Gautam Ghosh, *The India That Should Have Been*
- 10:35am - 10:45am **BREAK**
- 10:45am - 12:00pm **SECOND SESSION: SOCIAL INEQUALITY**
Chaired by Joseph Alter
- 10:45-11:00 Roberto Gonzalez, *Anthropology Departments and
Underrepresented Minorities: Graduate Student Enrollment
and Faculty Hiring at the 'Top Ten'*
- 11:00-11:15 Robert Fletcher Manlove, *Social Inequality in Urban
Phillipines*
- 11:15-11:30 John Ogbu, *Ascribed Inequality and Public Policy*
- 11:30-11:45 Roziah Omar, *Gender and Aging in Malaysia*
- 11:45-12:00 Nancy Scheper-Hughes, *Mixed Feelings: Dealing with
'Spoiled Identities' in the New South Africa—Voices from the
Cape Coloured and Kagga Kamma San Communities*
- 12:00pm - 1:00pm **LUNCH**

1:00pm - 2:15pm

**THIRD SESSION: 'THE POLITICS OF TRUTH':
ETHICS, RESPONSIBILITY AND ACTIVISM**
Chaired by Conn Hallinan

1:00-1:15

Donna Brasset-Shearer, *Go Tell It on the Mountain: Gerry Berreman and the Politics of Truth*

1:15-1:30

Kathryn Forbes, *Hijacking Free Speech in the CSU*

1:30-1:45

Vijaya Nagarajan, *Hugging Trees in North India: The Chipko Movement, The Politics of Truth and Berreman*

1:45-2:00

Deborah Pruitt, *Teaching Introductory Anthropology: Comments on Advocacy and Social Action*

2:00-2:15

Mark Pedelty, *Optimism of the Will: Applying the Work of Gerry Berreman to Questions of Educational Inequality*

2:15-2:30

Charles Underwood and Jelani Mahiri, *Behind the Mask of Technology: Educational Inequality and the Pedagogy of Hope*

2:30pm - 2:45pm

BREAK

2:45pm - 4:15pm

FOURTH SESSION: OTHER REFLECTIONS
Chaired by Lucile Newman

2:45-3:00

Chris Kiefer, *Unmasking Anthropology for Health Professionals*

3:00-3:15

Clark Taylor, *The Social Construction of HIV/STD Prevention Technology: Are Topical Microbicides (Liquid Condoms) Being Poured Down the Drain?*

3:15-3:30

Lisa Handwerker, *Social Inequality Pervades: The Implications of Human Cloning and Germline Therapy for Women and Womens' Health*

3:30-3:45

Terry Haynes, *Ethical Issues and Subsistence Research in Alaska*

3:45-4:00

Keiko Yamanaka, *Transnational Activism for Local Survival: A Nepalese Visa-Overstayers' Community in Japan*

4:00-4:15

John Ratcliffe, *Gerry Berreman: Super Mentor*

4:15pm - 4:30pm

BREAK

4:30pm - 5:15pm

**CONCLUDING SESSION: A PARTICIPATORY
CONVERSATION WITH GERALD BERREMAN**
Mark Pedelty, Interlocutor

5:15pm - 5:30pm

BREAK

5:30pm - 8:15pm

RECEPTION: In the Courtyard of the Phoebe Hearst (formerly Lowie) Museum of Anthropology, 1st Floor Kroeber Hall, If Weather Permits.

If Weather Prohibits, then the 1st Floor Atrium of the red brick 'Archeological Research Facility' building behind Boalt Law School.

Kent Lightfoot, Master of Ceremonies

Music by "Mariachi Oro" (featuring Roberto Gonzalez)!