

**CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN SOCIAL SCIENCES, CALCUTTA,
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GENERAL SEMINAR

Elisa T. Bertuzzo
Guest Professor, MA programme in “Spatial Strategies”
Weißensee Academy of Arts, Berlin

will give a talk titled:

“Archipelagos: Harnessing the Power of Everyday-Life–Stories of Movement”

Elisa T. Bertuzzo's recently published monograph, *Archipelagos. From Urbanisation to Translocalisation*, is a remarkable collection of storytellings: in nine *jatra pala*, enriched with graphs, diagrams, mental maps and a number of *bangla probad*, nine people-on-the-move tell about the multi-level effects of translocalisation. Through a 15-month-long fieldwork spanning three years, the author accompanied circular migrants on their journeys between *desh* and *bidesh*, from home places experienced as increasingly temporary and fluctuating to varied worksites in towns, cities, agricultural areas, mines, etc., of Bangladesh, West Bengal and Kerala. Their artfully assembled everyday–life–stories of movement are witnesses to translocalised livelihoods, practices, representations, and mediate haunting lessons of resistance in transforming landscapes. In her lecture, Elisa T. Bertuzzo will present a radical way of mediating anthropological cognition and offer glimpses of translocalised everyday life.

Date: Friday, 8th March, 2019 Time: 3 – 5 pm.
Venue: CSSSC's Seminar Room, Patuli Campus.

Trina Nileena Banerjee
(Member, Seminar Committee)
All are welcome to attend.