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## Global Innovation & Regional Development Speaker Series

*Presents*

**Prof. Erica Schoenberger**

(Johns Hopkins University)

***“War and Water: Sources of Urban and  
Regional Creativity and Growth”***

Friday, March 18, 2016

2:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Sidney Smith Hall 3130



**Abstract:** Where do the creative ideas that power urban and regional growth come from? I argue that the big and enduring creative impulses are a response to big problems, and that the biggest, most urgent problems are related to warfare and essential environmental services such as the provision of clean water. I will try to show that each of these is geographically differentiated and underwrites different trajectories of growth.

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