

# HISTORY WORKSHOP

in **TECHNOLOGY, SOCIETY and CULTURE**

The Department of History  
announces a luncheon talk

by

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## Workers' Movements Face Empires Old and New: The Experience of the Early Twentieth Century

By 1900 trade unions in industrialized countries and the Socialist International had become increasingly concerned with the impact of imperial power and conflicts among Great Powers on the lives and prospects of their own members. Wars and threats of wars among expanding (and collapsing) empires between 1894 and 1914 became crucial issues in debates and mobilizations. After 1905 workers' organizations among subject peoples injected their own demands for national self-determination into the debates, with special importance for the outcome of the revolutionary upheavals that shook the world between 1917 and 1922.

Tuesday, October 27, 2009

12:30-1:45 p.m.

203 John Munroe Hall

This workshop is free and open to the public.

Please come and bring your lunch!