A perennial concern of the discipline, the issue of public engagement is particularly timely now, as anthropologists help spawn multi-city protest movements and contemplate the future of open access publication.

In this year’s Roundtable, GBAC members and colleagues will share their own innovations in reaching beyond academia to engage with multiple publics through such practices as collaboration in the field, activism, alternative modes of publication, teaching and institution-building. We will also consider the promises, responsibilities, and challenges this sort of endeavor presents.

Presentations will be made by:

**Amahl Bishara, Tufts University**
*Degrees of Proximity: Shared Anthropology on Contested Terrain*

**Jeff Juris, Northeastern University**
*Occupy Everything and the 2011 Global Uprisings*

**Caitrin Lynch, Olin College**
*Reconceiving Publics: The View from an Engineering School*

**Cathy Stanton, Tufts University**
*When the Critical Turn Met the Federal Government: Doing Ethnography for the National Park Service*

**Chris Walley, MIT**
*Exit Zero: Exploring Social Class and Deindustrialization in Diverse Media*

Followed by a general discussion. Refreshments will be provided.

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