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POLSC 618

URBAN POLITICS

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MWF - 11:30-12:20

**WHY DOES A CITY NEVER SLEEP? LEARN ABOUT
THE INTRICATE MECHANISMS THAT KEEP THE
LIGHTS ON.**

**DISCUSS ISSUES SUCH AS HOW POLITICAL
POWER HAS BEEN EXERCISED IN CITIES, THE
IMPACT OF RACE ON URBAN POLITICS AND
POLICY, AND HOW SUB-URBANIZATION AND
GENTRIFICATION HAVE LED TO NEW, PRESSING
PROBLEMS FOR METROPOLITAN AREAS.**

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