

Faculty & Research Highlights

Summer 2026

A companion to the Summer 2026 newsletter, this brief gathers recent publications, recognitions, and public engagements from Design Lab faculty and affiliates across UC San Diego.

UC San Diego · September 2026 · Months included: 2026-06 · 2026-07 · 2026-08

Featured Research

This quarter's featured research spans accessible 3D interfaces, AI-powered cursor assistance, cardiovascular health implementation science, the social dynamics of fitness apps, and critical perspectives on technological expansion in postsocialist contexts.

CONFERENCE PAPER · DIS 2026

What if your cursor could think? Fairy Cursor explores AI assistance that stays in the flow of work

Paper: Exploring Fairy Cursor as a Form of AI Agent for In-the-Flow Assistance: Design Opportunities and Challenges

Yining Cao, James D. Hollan, Haijun Xia

The work investigates a new paradigm for AI assistance where the cursor itself becomes an intelligent agent that operates near user actions rather than in separate windows, identifying design opportunities and challenges for lightweight, contextual help that does not interrupt the user's workflow.

[Read the paper →](#)

JOURNAL ARTICLE · AAG REVIEW OF BOOKS

Silicon Valley Imperialism traces how tech expansion reshapes postsocialist societies

Paper: Silicon Valley Imperialism: Techno Fantasies & Frictions in Postsocialist Times

Megan Ybarra, Desiree Fields, Liviu Chelcea, Margaret Marietta Ramírez, Ananya Roy, Erin McElroy

The article examines how technological expansion by Silicon Valley companies creates both promises and tensions in postsocialist regions, analyzing the collision between techno-utopian narratives and the lived realities of communities navigating rapid technological change in specific geopolitical contexts.

[Read the paper →](#)

JOURNAL ARTICLE · INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF HUMAN-COMPUTER INTERACTION

SweeperBot makes three-dimensional web content accessible through automated view analysis

Paper: SweeperBot: Making 3D Browsing Accessible Through View Analysis and Visual Question Answering

Chen Chen, Cuong Nguyen, Alexa Siu, Dingzeyu Li, Nadir Weibel

SweeperBot addresses the accessibility barrier that screen readers cannot navigate interactive 3D content by automatically analyzing camera viewpoints and answering questions about spatial relationships in three-dimensional web environments, enabling blind and low-vision users to explore 3D scenes through natural language interaction.

[Read the paper →](#)

JOURNAL ARTICLE · COMPUTERS IN HUMAN BEHAVIOR REPORTS

Qualitative analysis reveals how mental health surfaces in diet and fitness app communities

Paper: Characterizing mental health discussions in an online diet and fitness app community: A qualitative content analysis of users' posts

Oliver Golden, **Elizabeth V. Eikey**

Through qualitative content analysis of user-generated posts, the study identifies patterns in how mental health topics emerge and are discussed within diet and fitness app communities, revealing the complex interplay between physical health tracking technologies and users' psychological wellbeing.

[Read the paper →](#)

JOURNAL ARTICLE · JACC: HEART FAILURE

JACC: Heart Failure examines national impact of optimal heart failure treatment implementation

Paper: National Impact of Optimal Implementation of Guideline-Directed Medical Therapy in Heart Failure With Reduced Ejection Fraction

Mohammad Keykhaei, Alexander T. Sandhu, Priscilla Y. Hsue, Stephen J. Greene, Boback Ziaeeian, Michelle Kittleson, MaryAnn Villarreal-Gonzalez, Shahin Hallaj, **Mattheus Ramsis**, Manyoo A. Agarwal, Gregg C. Fonarow

The study models the national-level health outcomes that could be achieved if guideline-directed medical therapies for heart failure with reduced ejection fraction were implemented optimally across the United States patient population, quantifying the gap between current practice and evidence-based care.

[Read the paper →](#)

Awards & Recognitions

We celebrate Design Lab faculty members who have received named honors, prizes, and awards recognizing their scholarly contributions and leadership in their fields.

Voting Faculty

- The Last Gift documentary, co-produced by Nadir Weibel, wins an Emmy Award**

The Last Gift documentary, which follows the UC San Diego HIV cure study of the same name, won an Emmy Award from the Pacific Southwest chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences. Professor Nadir Weibel is credited as co-producer, alongside director and producer Ryan Neisz. The Last Gift Study is co-founded and co-directed by Davey Smith and Sara Gianella Weibel.

- NIMH awards Professor Nadir Weibel a \$2.1 million R01 for UNDERSTAND**

The National Institute of Mental Health awarded R01 MH140883 to Nadir Weibel as principal investigator for UNDERSTAND: Uplifting the New generation through DBT Education and Resilience for Social Triggers. The award totals \$2,115,893, with the project period beginning 1 August 2026.

- CHRP funds ConversHIVE-Live, bringing AI communication training into HIV clinics**
 The California HIV/AIDS Research Program funded ConversHIVE-Live: Real-World Implementation of Communication Training to Reduce Barriers in HIV Care, with Nadir Weibel as principal investigator. The three-year award of \$376,413 runs from July 2026 to June 2029 as Phase II of CHRP's Low Barrier Technology Interventions for HIV Prevention and Care initiative. The CHRP listing covers the whole Low Barrier Technology Interventions portfolio; ConversHIVE-Live is one of its five Phase II projects.
Also covered: [the ConversHIVE project page](#)
- NSF funds Steven Dow's REU Site on technologies for community-driven design**
 The National Science Foundation awarded a \$489,999 Research Experiences for Undergraduates Site to Steven Dow as principal investigator, for REU Site: Technologies for Community-Driven Design. The award runs from 15 July 2026 to 30 June 2029 and supports undergraduate researchers building tools that help communities understand and address problems such as extreme weather, housing shortages and unequal access to education and healthcare.

Affiliated Faculty

- Alison Moore Elected President of American Geriatrics Society**
 Alison Moore, Professor at UC San Diego, has been elected President of the American Geriatrics Society.
- Mattheus Ramsis awarded NIH/NHLBI K23 grant for digital atherosclerosis biomarker**
 Mattheus Ramsis received a National Institutes of Health/National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute K23 award to validate a digital biomarker for global atherosclerosis over five years. The project aims to develop accessible, scalable

In the News

Design Lab faculty continue to shape public discourse on technology, health, and society through interviews, op-eds, and expert commentary in major media outlets.

Voting Faculty

Eric Hekler

Associate Dean of the School of Public Health; Professor of Public Health & Human Longevity

- Eric Hekler serves as faculty mentor for 2026 mobile Health Technology Innovation program at UCLA**
 The 2026 mHTI program at UCLA concluded with faculty mentors from multiple institutions including Associate Dean Eric Hekler, preparing the next generation of mobile health innovators.
- Eric Hekler co-authors framework conceptualizing settler colonialism and health inequities**
 Associate Dean Eric Hekler co-authored a manuscript proposing a methodological framework to address limitations of conventional epidemiologic approaches in studying health inequities rooted in settler colonialism.

Mai Nguyen

Director of the Design Lab; Professor of Urban Studies & Planning

- **Director Mai Nguyen welcomes Congressman Scott Peters to Design Lab affordable housing discussion**
Congressman Scott Peters visited UC San Diego's Design Lab to discuss San Diego's affordable housing challenges and policy approaches with Director Mai Nguyen and colleagues.
- **Mai Nguyen reappointed as Director of UC San Diego Design Lab for five-year term**
Director Mai Nguyen was reappointed to lead the UC San Diego Design Lab for another five years, continuing her work advancing human-centered design research and practice.
- **Mai Nguyen presents housing policy research at Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia**
Director Mai Nguyen presented research on how housing actors navigate complex policy landscapes in California, with focus on San Diego, at an event hosted by the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia.
- **Mai Nguyen announces launch of UC San Diego Master of Design program**
Director Mai Nguyen announced the launch of a new Master of Design degree at UC San Diego, with applications opening mid-September 2026.

Don Norman

Professor Emeritus of Cognitive Science; Psychology

- **Don Norman to speak at ISSIP Live on design innovation June 19**
Professor Emeritus Don Norman was featured at ISSIP Live on June 19, 2026, discussing design innovation in connection with the Don Norman Design Award and Summit.
- **Don Norman Design Award recognized by International Society for Service Innovation**
The Don Norman Design Award (DNDA), a nonprofit supporting entrepreneurs and designers, received recognition from the International Society for Service Innovation Professionals.

Steven Dow

Professor of Cognitive Science

- **Professor Steven Dow presents on AI ecosystems for community-driven design at ETH AI Center**
Professor Steven Dow delivered a talk at ETH AI Center exploring how AI systems can strengthen team and community collaboration on complex design challenges.

Pinar Yoldas

Associate Professor of Visual Arts

- **Pinar Yoldas Bioarch Studio selected as finalist for California carbon-capture grant**
Pinar Yoldas Bioarch Studio, founded by Associate Professor Pinar Yoldas to develop large-scale carbon-capture solutions using biofacade systems, was selected as a finalist for a California carbon-capture grant.

Keolu Fox

Assistant Professor of Anthropology

- **Keolu Fox publishes blockchain-based research governance study in JMIR Publications**
Assistant Professor Keolu Fox collaborated with Native BioData Consortium on a three-year project developing a blockchain-based approach to research governance aligned with Indigenous Data Sovereignty principles.

Lilly Irani

Professor of Communication

- **Lilly Irani promoted to full professor at UC San Diego**

Lilly Irani was promoted to full professor at UC San Diego as of July 1, 2026. During her associate professor years, she worked on diagnosing issues in Silicon Valley political economies of work and design, and spent the subse

Affiliated Faculty

Bill Fulton

Professor of Practice of Urban Studies & Planning

- **Professor of Practice Bill Fulton hosts U.S. Congressman Scott Peters at Design Lab for affordable housing discussion**

Congressman Scott Peters visited UC San Diego's Design Lab and Center for Housing Policy and Design to discuss the region's affordable housing challenges and policy solutions.

- **Bill Fulton quoted in Los Angeles Times on housing supply and demand mismatch**

Professor of Practice Bill Fulton was quoted in a Los Angeles Times article by Grace Toohey discussing the structural disconnect between housing supply and demand in California.

Michael Kurisu

Clinical Instructor of Family Medicine

- **Michael Kurisu's Measured Wellness names Melissa Grady Dias as chief executive officer**

Measured Wellness, where Clinical Instructor Michael Kurisu is founder and chief medical officer, appointed former Cadillac CMO Melissa Grady Dias as Chief Executive Officer. The company works on integrating wearable health data into patient care and preventive medicine.

- **Michael Kurisu featured in CMO Podcast episode on measured wellness and integrative medicine**

Clinical Instructor Michael Kurisu, who specializes in Family and Integrative Medicine, was featured in a CMO Podcast episode discussing his San Diego-based company's approach to measured wellness.

Mattheus Ramsis

Assistant Professor of Medicine (Cardiology)

- **Mattheus Ramsis presents on equity in clinical trials at BIO2026 in San Diego**

Assistant Professor Mattheus Ramsis participated in the session 'Equity by Design: Reimagining Clinical Trials' at BIO2026 in San Diego on June 23, 2026, addressing equity in clinical trial design.

Michael Yip

Professor of Electrical & Computer Engineering

- **Michael Yip's Channel Robotics secures \$4.6 million in seed funding**

Channel Robotics, co-founded by Professor Michael Yip and Philip A. Weissbrod, MD, secured \$4.6 million in Seed+ funding led by True Ventures to advance surgical robotics technology.

- **Michael Yip's Advanced Robotics and Controls Lab selected for NVIDIA Humanoid Robot Academic Partnership**

UC San Diego's Advanced Robotics and Controls Lab, led by Professor Michael Yip, was selected as an academic partner for NVIDIA's reference humanoid robot initiative.

Alison Moore

Professor of Geriatrics

- **Alison Moore marks 10 years leading UC San Diego Division of Geriatrics, Gerontology and Palliative Care**

Professor Alison Moore acknowledged a decade of leadership of the UC San Diego Division of Geriatrics, Gerontology and Palliative Care.

Recent Publications

Design Lab faculty published 35 peer-reviewed articles, preprints, and conference papers this quarter across venues spanning human-computer interaction, AI, health informatics, cognitive science, sustainability, and education research — a comprehensive view of design research output at UC San Diego.

Faculty × Area overview

Faculty	HCI & Interaction	Health & Wellbeing	AI & Autonomy	Sustainability & Place	Society & Equity
Voting Faculty					
Elijah Aronoff-Spencer		• •			• •
Elizabeth Eikey	•	•	•		
William Griswold	•				
Eric Hekler	•	•			
Jim Hollan	•		•		•
Parinaz Naghizadeh			•		
Laurel Riek	• •	• •	• •		
Edward Wang	•	•	•		
Nadir Weibel	• • • +	• • • +	• • • +		
Haijun Xia	•		•		•
Megan Ybarra					• •
Affiliated Faculty					
Sarah Aarons				• • • +	
Ben Bergen	•				
Michael Coblenz	•				

Haojian Jin	• • •		• • •		
Sam Lau	•		•		
Imani Munyaka	•		•		•
Kevin Patrick	• • •	• • •			
Mirle Rabinowitz-Bussell				•	•
Mattheus Ramsis	•	• • • +	•		
Michael Yip		•	•		

• = 1 publication, •• = 2, ••• = 3, •••+ = 4 or more. Darker shade reinforces the count. Multi-area publications count toward every area their authors' themes cover.

HCI & Interaction · 12 publications

- **FleCSI: Flexible Computational Science Infrastructure**

Benjamin Bergen, Nick Moss, Irina Demeshko, S. Davis Herring, Marc Charest, Julien Loiseau, Navamita Ray, Jonathan Graham, Hartmut Kaiser, Li-Ta Lo, Karen Tsai, Charles Ferenbaugh, Richard Berger, John Wohlbier, Jonas Lippuner, Wei Wu, Andrew Reisner, Scott Pakin, Brendan K. Krueger, Lukas Spies, Sumathi Lakshmiranganatha, Max Ortner, Pascal Grosset, David Gunter, Maxim Moraru, Galen Shipman, Jiajia Waters, Scot A. Halverson, Onur Çaylak, Peter Brady, Philipp V. F. Edelmann, Mason Delan, Brandon Keim, Christopher M. Malone, Alex Villa, Daniel Holladay, Dani Barrack, Nikunj Gupta, Ondřej Čertík, Robert Bird, Melissa Rasmussen, Christoph Junghans

Journal of Open Source Software · August 2026 Other

- **Centering Context in Computing Ethics Education: An Experience Report**

Imani N. S. Munyaka, Alexis Morales Flores, Mya Bolds

RESPECT 2026: Conference on Research on Equity and Sustained Participation in Engineering, Computing, and Technology · June 2026

Conference

- **Frustration as Design Friction: How People with Mild Cognitive Impairment Adapt, Resist, and Redesign Systems**

Anya Bouzida, Michele Murakami, Laurel Riek

ACM Transactions on Computing for Healthcare · June 2026

Conference

- **Editors' Introduction to the Issue, June 2026**

Thomas Ploetz, Lena Mamykina, Varun Mishra, Laura Barnes, Sarah Clinch, Franca Delmastro, Uichin Lee, Alanson Sample, Stephan Sigg, Edison Thomaz, Kristof Van Laerhoven, Nadir Weibel, Chenren Xu, Fusang Zhang

Proceedings of the ACM on Interactive, Mobile, Wearable and Ubiquitous Technologies 2026 · June 2026

Conference

- **Replication Package for 'Code Clones and Mutation in Scientific Programs: An Empirical Study'**

Michael Coblenz

July 2026 Other

- **Using Peer Code Reviews to Scale a Brownfield Software Engineering Course**

Anshul Shah, Thomas Rexin, Andrew Smithwick, Almog Bar-Yossef, Joshua Kave, William G Griswold, Adalbert Gerald Soosai Raj

ITICSE 2026: ACM Conference on Innovation and Technology in Computer Science Education · July 2026

Conference

- **Proactive Robots in Human–Robot Action Teams**

Rabeya Jamshad, Susan Simkins, Laurel D. Riek

AI in Teams · July 2026 Other

- **GenAI and Synthetic Data in Healthcare: Exploring the Design and Use of AI-Generated Data for Interactive Health Systems**

Steven R Rick, Manas Satish Bedmutha, Rosa I. Arriaga, Munmun De Choudhury, Charles Goldberg, Azra Ismail, Neha Kumar, Hyeokhyen Kwon, Wanda Pratt, Angad Singh, Andrew Wong, Xuhai Xu, Nadir Weibel

IH '26: Interactive Health Conference 2026 · July 2026

Conference

- **Designing for College Mental Health: We Have Resources; We Lack the Reach**

Manas Satish Bedmutha, Poorva Satish Bedmutha, Amparo Averbuj, Varun Pillai, Sahithi Karumudi, Nicole May, Heidi Rataj, Nadir Weibel

IH '26: Interactive Health Conference 2026 · July 2026

Conference

- **[NSF: EES CAREER] Computational Ethnic Studies: Building More Equitable Pedagogies**

Holly Okonkwo, Victoria Siaumau, Sam Lau, Yasmin Kabir, Star Nkemere, Parla Buyruk

2026 ASEE Annual Conference & Exposition Proceedings · August 2026 Other

- **Exploring Fairy Cursor as a Form of AI Agent for In-the-Flow Assistance: Design Opportunities and Challenges**

Yining Cao, James D. Hollan, Haijun Xia

Proceedings of the 2026 Designing Interactive Systems Conference

Conference

- **SweeperBot: Making 3D Browsing Accessible Through View Analysis and Visual Question Answering**

Chen Chen, Cuong Nguyen, Alexa Siu, Dingzeyu Li, Nadir Weibel

International Journal of Human–Computer Interaction

Journal

Health & Wellbeing · 11 publications

- Marked underutilization of lipoprotein(a) testing in peripheral artery disease: a national analysis of 8.3 million patients**
*Mustafa Naguib, Ava J. Fascetti, Elsie G. Ross, **Edward J. Wang**, Michael Wilkinson, Ehtisham Mahmud, Pam Taub, Harpreet S. Bhatia, **Mattheus Ramsis***
 American Journal of Preventive Cardiology · June 2026 Journal
- AI-Informed 30-Day MACE Risk Predictions in ED Arrivals**
*Ben J. Gross, M.D. Radha Patel, Kai Zheng, Shamim Nemati, **M.D. Mattheus Ramsis***
 Lecture Notes in Computer Science · July 2026 Other
- Moderate-to-Vigorous Physical Activity Is Not a Unitary Construct: Comparing MVPA based on Physiological Effort and Mechanical Movement Using Fitbit and ActiGraph (Preprint)**
*David Wing, Meelim Kim, Michael Higgins, Junghwan Park, Job G. Godino, Pedja Klasnja, Steven De La Torre, Mohammed Elmistri, Daniel E. Rivera, **Eric Hekler***
 August 2026 Journal
- Performance, Generalizability, and Fairness of a Peripheral Artery Disease Detection Model Across Patient Phenotypes and Health Systems**
*Karoline Kallis, Chyler Quitevis, **Mattheus Ramsis**, Nii-Kabu Kabutey, Michael S. Conte, Vincent L. Rowe, Misty D. Humphries, Tina Hernandez-Boussard, Mahmoud B. Malas, Elsie G. Ross*
 August 2026 Other
- Data Sheet 1_Automating infectious disease surveillance and public health reporting.pdf**
Elijah Aronoff-Spencer
 June 2026 Journal
- 1893-P: High Parental Satisfaction and Enhanced Quality of Life with Tandem Control-IQ+ in Very Young Children**
*CHARLES S. RUMSEY, RISHI GRAHAM, KAREN D. CARMELO, YVONNE WILEY, BREANA WILBON, NIKKI KREBS, KIRSTIN N. WHITE, ALEX WHEATCROFT, NICOLE PIQUETTE, RAVID KATCHALSKI, MICHELLE MANNING, LARS MUELLER, ENZA MOZZILLO, GNANAGURUDASAN PRAKASAM, **ELIAH ARONOFF-SPENCER**, JORDAN E. PINSKER*
 Diabetes · June 2026 Other
- Movement-Based Low Back Pain Subgroups Using Motion Tape Strain Data with Biomechanical and Causal Feature Engineering**
*Aarti Lalwani, Sara P. Gombatto, Yasmin Velazquez, Elijah Wyckoff, Pratham Yashwante, **Kevin Patrick**, Kenneth J. Loh, Rose Yu, Emilia Farcas*
 Sensors · June 2026 Other
- Wellness Prescribed: Activating Holistic Care through EHR-embedded SmartPhrases**
*Rebe James, Manas Satish Bedmutha, Sneha Lakshmanan, Maryam Gholami, David Wing, **Kevin Patrick**, **Nadir Weibel**, Heidi Rataj*
 IH '26: Interactive Health Conference 2026 · July 2026 Conference
- A Multi-Sensor, Multi-Movement Exploratory Study of Motion Tape Strain Data for Low Back Pain Classification**
*Pratham Yashwante, Sara P. Gombatto, Yasmín Velázquez, Elijah Wyckoff, Aarti Lalwani, **Kevin Patrick**, Kenneth J. Loh, Emilia Farcas, Rose Yu*
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 Computers in Human Behavior Reports Journal

AI & Autonomy · 5 publications

- Exploring Privacy Negotiation Strategies for Camera-Equipped Smart Home Devices in Airbnb**
Haojian Jin
 August 2026 Other
- Naghizadeh studies decision-focused learning in network interdiction games**
Luca M. Hartmann, Parinaz Naghizadeh
 arXiv preprint · August 2026 arXiv
- Privacy Detective: A Narrative Game that Cultivates Student Developers' Privacy Awareness by Harnessing Legal Documents**
Shao-Yu Chu, Jennifer Forsyth, Xu Wang, Haojian Jin
 arXiv preprint · July 2026 arXiv
- OAuthHub: Mitigating OAuth Data Overaccess through a Local Data Hub**
Qiyu Li, Yuhe Tian, Haojian Jin
 Proceedings on Privacy Enhancing Technologies 2026 · July 2026 Other
- Toward autonomous robotic-assisted and microrobotic surgery**
Sungyun Yang, Byung Ha Kang, Hyeongho Min, Juan P. Wachs, Farshid Alambeigi, Jaydev P. Desai, Pierre E. Dupont, Kurt Yaeger, Katherine Anderson, Alan Kuntz, Ron Alterovitz, Robert J. Webster, Nobuhiko Hata, Janani S. Reisenauer, McKenna Clinch, Alex Abramson, Jie Ying Wu, Tommaso Ranzani, Peter C. Kim, Alex S. Huang, Cheng Sun, Hao F. Zhang, Cameron N. Riviere, Eric R. Henderson, Michael Yip, Xiaoguang Dong, Daniel A. Wollin, David H. Gracias, Lamar O. Mair, Michael Karpelson, Robert J. Wood, Itai Cohen, Michael S. Strano
 Science Advances · July 2026 Journal

Sustainability & Place · 4 publications

- Dust Record from Allan Hills Blue Ice: Towards Extending the Archive to 4000 ka**
Alissa Choi, Austin J. Carter, Julia Marks-Peterson, Sarah Shackleton, John A. Higgins, Edward J. Brook, Liam Kirkpatrick, Jacob I. Chalif, Sarah M. Aarons
 June 2026 Other
- Differential Health Impacts of Short-Term Particulate Matter Exposure in Arid and Semi-Arid Regions: A Scoping Review**
Emmet Norris, Jennifer Bailey, Yiqun Ma, Anusha Goswami, Sarah Aarons, Tarik Benmarhnia
 GeoHealth · June 2026 Other
- Sensitivity of Soil Chemical Erosion Rate to Climate and Dust Along a 2.8-km Elevation Transect at San Jacinto Mountain, California**
Kai Hu, Ken L. Ferrier, Sarah M. Aarons, Emmet Norris, Rain Blankenship, Shaun Marcott, Rachel Breunig, Gregory Ruetenik, Ian Peters, Elizabeth Ceperley
 Journal of Geophysical Research: Earth Surface · June 2026 Other
- Supplementary material to "Dust Record from Allan Hills Blue Ice: Towards Extending the Archive to 4000 ka"**
Alissa Choi, Austin J. Carter, Julia Marks-Peterson, Sarah Shackleton, John A. Higgins, Edward J. Brook, Liam Kirkpatrick, Jacob I. Chalif, Sarah M. Aarons
 June 2026 Other

Society & Equity · 3 publications

- **Radical placemaking is a verb**

Megan Ybarra

Dialogues in Human Geography · July 2026 **Other**

- **Explaining the health benefits of place attachment for formerly unhoused clients of a furniture assistance program**

Stacey Livingstone, Leslie R. Lewis, Mirle Rabinowitz-Bussell

Wellbeing, Space and Society · August 2026 **Journal**

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The AAG Review of Books **Journal**

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