

# Wellbeing and Migration: Inter-Asian Perspectives



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## Organisers:

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## Keynote lecture by:

- Brenda Yeoh (Professor of Geography and leader of Asian Migration research, Department of Geography; Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore)

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- Abdullah Mohammadi (MA student in Demography, University of Tehran; Senior Mixed Migration Officer, Central & South West Asia, Danish Refugee Council, Kabul, Afghanistan)
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- Birce Altıok (PhD Candidate, Koç University)
- Damla Aksel Bayraktar (Post-doctoral Researcher, MiReKoc)
- David Henig (Senior Lecturer in Social Anthropology, School of Anthropology and Conservation, University of Kent)
- David Sancho (Postdoctoral Researcher, Department of Anthropology; Sussex Asia Centre, University of Sussex)
- Didem Daniş (Sociology Department, Galatasaray University)
- Dilmurad Yusupov (PhD candidate, Institute of Development Studies (IDS); School of Global Studies, University of Sussex)
- Filippo Osella (Professor of Anthropology and South Asian Studies, Department of Anthropology; Sussex Asia Centre, University of Sussex)
- Hedayat Siddikoglu (Visiting Scholar, Migration Policy Center, Yıldırım Bayezit University, Ankara)
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- Paul Anderson (Faculty of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies; Al Waleed bin Talal Centre for Islamic Studies, University of Cambridge)
- Saideh Saidi, (Research Fellow at Institute for Middle East Strategic Studies in Tehran; Lecturer at Shahid Beheshti University)
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