

All Welcome!



SCMR (Sussex Centre for Migration Research) Seminars

Co-hosted with Geography and the Sussex Africa Centre

Thursdays 12-1pm, in the Global Studies Resource Centre (unless stated otherwise; Zoom options also available*)

- Wk3: 14th Oct **Social and Meal**, from 5:30pm @ Dhaba Café, Arts C. Welcoming new students, staff and PG researchers to the SCMR community
- Wk4: 20th Oct (WEDNESDAY) **Yasmin Fedda** (Queen Mary University of London): *Documentary film-making and mass displacement in West Asia and the Eastern Mediterranean* (VENUE TBC)
- Wk4: 21st Oct **JoAnn McGregor et al** (speakers tbc) (Sussex) *Making African connections: decolonial futures for colonial collections*
- Wk5: 28th Oct **Nassim Majidi** (Witwatersrand; Tufts; Samuel Hall Social Enterprise) *Before the chaos: lessons learned from June 2021 in Afghanistan*
To be followed at 1pm with a careers Q&A with Nassim, on managing academic research with donor and policy-maker demands (aimed at postgrad students but open to all)
- Wk7: 11th Nov **Andrew Baldwin** (Durham) *The other of climate change: racial futurism, migration, humanism*
- Wk8: 17th Nov (WEDNESDAY) **SCMR-JEMS International Conference**, Bramber House Conference Centre 9.30-4.30pm (All welcome! Eventbrite tickets and registration info to be circulated).
Speakers & topics: Adrian Favell (Leeds) on "critical integration"; Ceri Oeppen (SCMR) & Marta Bivand Erdal (PRIO) on voluntariness in return migration; Jonathan Rigg (Bristol) on migration & development; Elena Fiddian-Qasmiyeh (UCL) on refugees; & Miri Song (Kent) on whitening & race.
- Wk8: 18th Nov **Marta Bivand Erdal (PRIO) & Furrukh Khan (LUMS)** *Understanding the 'denkey' (journey): Migration narratives in the heartland of Punjab*
- Wk9: 25th Nov **Chanda Mfula** (Sussex) *Media, citizenship and democracy in the digital era in postcolonial Africa*
- Wk10: 2nd Dec **Amanda Hammar** (Copenhagen) *Regimes of classification, certification and identification of citizens in Uganda and Ghana*
- Wk11: 9th Dec **Moushumi Bhowmik** (singer-songwriter, writer and researcher) *Sonic topographies in an archive of archives: journeying through Bengal and the diaspora as a listener and song-collector*

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