SCMR Migration Seminar Series, Wednesdays, Arts C C333, 3.30pm-5pm

3rd October Professor Paul Statham – SCMR, University of Sussex: Why all “Muslims” should not be lumped together as a ‘group’ and we need more cultural explanations than “religiosity” for so-called “liberal democratic values”.

11th October Dr Priya Deshingkar – Migrating Out of Poverty and SCMR, University of Sussex: Migration Industries in the Global South. Joint seminar with Sussex Africa Centre. *Note: THURSDAY, 4-6pm, C333*

17th October Professor Nuno Ferreira and Dr Moira Dustin – Law and Sussex Centre for Human Rights Research, University of Sussex. Queering asylum across Europe: Some preliminary comparative findings.

18th October Dr Robtel Neajai Pailey – Oxford Department of Development, University of Oxford, Between Rootedness and Rootlessness: (dual) Citizenship in Liberia. Joint seminar with Sussex Africa Centre. *Note: THURSDAY, 4-6pm, C333*

22nd October Professor Henry Veltmeyer – Saint Mary’s University, Nova Scotia, Canada: Agrarian Change, Migration and Development. Joint seminar with Centre for Global Political Economy *Note: MONDAY, 3.30-5pm, C333*

7th November Professor Tony Fielding – SCMR, University of Sussex: Not ‘The Age of Migration’: Declines in Internal Migration (Case Study Japan), and Reasons for a Decline in Global International Migration.


19th November Professor Peo Hansen, Institute for Research on Migration, Ethnicity and Society, Linköping University: Sound Finance, Toxic Politics: Why we ask how much the reception of refugees will cost, but not how it will impact on economic activity. Joint seminar with Centre for Colonial and Postcolonial Studies. *Note: Monday, 3-5pm, C333*

21st November – SCMR/JEMS FULL DAY MIGRATION CONFERENCE, Attenborough Centre (ACCA), University of Sussex: Confirmed speakers, so far: Professor David S. FitzGerald (Co-Director, Center for Comparative Immigration Studies, University of San Diego, US); Dr Sirijit Sunanta (RILCA, Mahidol University, Thailand); Professor Nicola Piper (Director, Sydney Asia Pacific Migration Centre (SAPMiC), University of Sydney, Australia); Dr Ilse Van Luiempt (Utrecht, NL)

28th November Professor Mike Collyer – SCMR, Sussex: Naturalising: resettled refugees in the UK search for ‘normality’. ALL WELCOME!!