BORDERING SOCIETY

understanding and reimagining migration, displacement and diversity in an age of rapid transformations

All times are UTC+1/British Summer time. * online presentation

Wednesday, 4 SEPTEMBER – PHD DAY – Edgbaston Campus

Time		Venue
13.00-13.30	Registration, light refreshments, coffee & tea	Training Room, Main Library (ML)
13.30-13.50	Welcome & introduction by Prof Nicola Gale, Head of Birmingham School of Social Policy and Society, and Prof Nando Sigona, Director of IRIS	Training Room, ML
14.00-15.30	Panel 1 | **Borders and place making** Chair: Prof Claudia Rocha, Universidade Estadual de Campinas (UNICAMP) • Stefano Mastromarino (UCL), *Shelter Multiple. Architectures on hold across EU internal borders* • Karolina Lebek (Umeå University), *Exploration of migration and place nexus through affect and emotions* • Rémy-Paulin Twahirwa (LSE), *'Can't help myself!': on the migrant and afterlife of man*	Training Room, ML
	Panel 2 | **Asylum, precarity and the state** Chair: Prof Jenny Phillimore (University of Birmingham) • Giorgia Mirto (Columbia University), *The Political Life of Border Death in Sicily* • Olivia Petie (University of Birmingham), *"I'm very afraid of the process because I'm most likely to end up homeless": the changing precarity of hotel accommodation for asylum seekers in the UK* • Claudia Peroni (Trinity College Dublin), *Managing complexity: Asylum policy implementation and local context in urban vs rural Italy*	Room 1150, Muirhead Tower (MHT)
	Panel 3 |**Narratives and networks of solidarity** Chair: Dr Jenny Allsopp (University of Birmingham) • Subhadip Mukherjee (University of Kent), *Building Solidarities Amidst Precarity: Foregrounding Refugee-Indigenous Relations in Behrouz Boochani's Writings* • Irene Praga Guerro (Birkbeck College), *Re-Defining and Re-Constructing the Narrative of Global Mobility Through Journalistic Collaborative Writing in the 'New Migration Crónica'*	Room 112, MHT | Zoom: https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/89583158555

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	• Stephanie Rivera-Kumar *(University of Pennsylvania), *Multinational Latinx Narratives and the Economic Contributions of Immigrants in Philadelphia: Integrating Multidisciplinary Research and Epistemic Network Analysis* • Erasmo Sossich *(Universities Turin and Milan Statale), *Endless displacement. Migration governance, containment strategies and segregation in Athens.*	
15.30-16.00	Coffee & tea	Training Room, ML
16.00-17.30	Panel 4-5 | **Reimagining the border and navigating power** Chair: Dr Laurence Lessard Phillips and Prof Nasar Meer • Rupal Bansal (Nottingham Trent University), *Reimagining borders and migration through the critical phenomenology of the night* • Manjot Dhaliwal (Sussex University), *Nationalism, categorisation and gendered lived experiences of identity and family history* • Kirsty Nicole Hearn (University of Birmingham), *Sudanese diaspora humanitarianism in contexts of crisis and forced displacement across Sudan.* • Natasha Nicholls* (University of Birmingham), *Negotiating power within private hospitality* • Megan Crossley (Lancaster University), *Visualising borders: Negotiating power and representation in photovoice research on migration*	Training Room, ML
17.30-17.40	Comfort break (no coffee)	
17.40-18.30	Discussion and feedback with Prof Nasar Meer, Prof Claudia Rocha, Dr Jenny Allsopp and Prof Jenny Phillimore.	Training Room, ML
19.00-20.30	**Welcome drink reception with light refreshments for conference delegates**	Atrium, Alan Walters Building

Thursday, 5 SEPTEMBER – The Exchange[1], Birmingham

Time		Venue
8.30-9.15	Registration	Atrium, The Exchange
9.15-9.30	Welcome and introduction by Prof Nando Sigona, Director of IRIS.	Assembly
9.30-10.30	**Keynote 1: Prof Nasar Meer (University of Glasgow) On leaving 'Omelas' – Asylum and the social production of moral indifference** Chair: Prof Jenny Phillimore, University of Birmingham	Assembly	[Zoom](https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/83681482156) https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/83681482156
10.30-11.00	Coffee break	Atrium
11.00-12.30	Panel 6	**Migrant experiences of health access and discrimination** Chair: Dr Irina Kuznetsova, University of Birmingham • Prof Sin Yi Cheung *(Cardiff University), Tilman Brand (Leibniz Institute), Prof Hannah Bradby (Uppsala University), Dr Sarah Hamed (Stockholm University), Prof Jenny Phillimore (University of Birmingham), *Experience of subjective discrimination in healthcare service usage in superdiverse areas: evidence in four European countries* • Dr Lisa Goodson (University of Birmingham), Dave Newall, Dr Marisol Reyes, Sarah Taal, Espoir Njei and Shabana Qureshi *Exploring cultural competence in migrant health – tales from the UK.* • Dr Antje Lindenmeyer, Dr Laurence Lessard-Phillips, Prof Jenny Phillimore (University of Birmingham), *Vulnerable migrants' access to primary healthcare: findings from a qualitative analysis of caseworker notes* • Dr Glenys Frank (La Trobe University, Melbourne), *The wellbeing of women seeking asylum who are accessing maternity care, in Australia*	Assembly	[Zoom](https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/85078498600) https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/85078498600
	Panel 7	**New contours of migrant labour in post-Brexit Britain** Convenor and Chair: Dr Seb Rumsby • Dr Ying Fuk Tse (University of Birmingham), *Migration status as a façade: Insecurity of recent Hong Kong immigrants in the neoliberal UK* • Dr Oana Burcu (University of Nottingham), *Exploring the Work and Life of Migrant Laborers in the UK Agricultural Industry* • Dr Benjamin Hopkins (University of Birmingham) *Migrant Workers and Employer-Provided Accommodation in UK Agriculture* • Dr Seb Rumsby (University of Birmingham), *The everyday political economy of recent Vietnamese migrant labour to/in the UK*	Stuart Hall
	Panel 8	**Health, mental health and reproductive justice beyond borders** Chair: Dr Jenny Allsopp (University of Birmingham)	Benjamin Zephaniah

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[1] Room location| **Ground Floor**: Mary Sturge and Dhani Prem; **1st Floor**: Benjamin Zephaniah, Winifred Hacket and Stuart Hall; **2nd Floor**: Assembly; Atrium and Registration Desk.

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	- Dr Karolina Follis (Lancaster University), *Debordering healthcare? The political determinants of health in hostile environments* - Dr Gwyneth Lonergan (Northumbria University), *Bordering Reproduction/Bordering Through Reproduction* - Dr Gianmaria Lenti (La Trobe University), *"As if entering Europe wasn't difficult enough": On stuckedness and bordering in Turkey*	
	Panel 9 | Integration, irregularity and assimilation in the mobile workforce Chair: Dr Angelo Martins Jr (University of Birmingham) - Dr Ana Santos, Dr André Saramago and Dr Inês Lourenço (Independent researcher, University of Lisbon, University Institute of Lisbon), *Stuck in irregularity – priority views of Southeast Asian farmworkers in Portugal* - Dr Analisa Smythe and Daphne Laing (The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust), *The challenges and needs of international nurses who are assimilating to new healthcare systems: Experience from the field* - Prof Hideki Tarumoto (Waseda University), *Bordering Japan and Western Immigrant Integration* - Dr Kamil Matuszczyk (University of Warsaw) *Not only specialists in crossing borders? The role of private intermediaries in organising the mobility of young doctors in Poland*	Mary Sturge
	Panel 10 |Taking root: The role of reception, relationships and community in refugee integration Chair: Dr Sandra Pertek (University of Birmingham) - Dr Gabriella D'Avino (University of Birmingham), *Building caring relationships and the effects of emotional support on refugee integration* - Dr Robert Larruina (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam), *The Winding Road to Meaningful Integration: A Ten-Year Multi-Perspective Approach to Unravelling Refugee Reception and Integration in the Netherlands* - Prof Aleksandra Grzymala-Kazlowska (University of Warsaw), *Challenges and opportunities of agency: the perspectives of Afghan refugees, supporting organisations and individuals* - Prof Mette Louise Berg (UCL) *Homes for Ukraine: new geographies of settlement and arrival in the UK*	Dhani Prem
12.30-13.30	Lunch	Atrium
13.30-15.00	**Semi-plenary 1: Borders, time and displacement** Chair: Dr Jenny Allsopp, University of Birmingham - Prof Lyndsey Stonebridge, University of Birmingham, *The times of powerlessness: Statelessness and the human condition* - Prof Nira Yuval Davis, University of East London, *Bordering and necropolitics* - Dr Melanie Griffiths, University of Birmingham, *Riots: Roots and Reflections*	Assembly | [Zoom](https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/83231059998) https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/83231059998
	Semi-plenary 2: Gender violence and forced displacement Chair: Dr Lisa Goodson, University of Birmingham	Stuart Hall | [Zoom](#)

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	- Prof Jane Freedman, University of Paris 8, *The Production of Gendered and Racist Violence at European borders* - Dr Evgenia Iliadou, Independent Researcher, *"Torturing Environments": Violence and Abandonment in Refugee camps on Lesvos, Greece* - Prof Jenny Phillimore, University of Birmingham, *Sexual and gender-based violence, forced migration and structural violence in immigration and asylum systems* - Alphonsine Kabagabo, Women for Refugee Women, *Women for Refugee Women: a space to heal, connect and rebuild*	https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/81947691361
15.00-15.15	Comfort break (no coffee)	
15.15-16.45	Panel 11 |**Methodology Matters: Situating Agency and Ethical Responsibilities in Migration Studies** Chair: Dr Jennifer Allsopp - Dr Annie Webster (University of Edinburgh) *Following 'Little Amal' from The Jungle (2017) to The Walk (2021): Community Performance and Puppetry as Creative Placemaking Practices* - Prof Alessio D'Angelo (University of Derby) *Revisiting the 'networked migrant'. Methodological reflections on migrants' journeys, agency and narratives* - Dr Agnieszka Radziwinowiczówna (University of Warsaw), *Power-knowledge approach to research migrations* - Dr Jennifer Allsopp (University of Birmingham), *The Journey as Method: Towards A Dantean Ethics and Epistemology in Migration Research with Refugee Youth*	Assembly
	Panel 12 | **Time and the Other revisited: temporality, control and resistance in contexts of displacement in postcolonial Middle East and Europe** Convenors and Chairs: Dr Melissa Gatter and Dr Paladia Ziss - Dr Charlotte Al-Khalili, *Times of displacement / displacement of time: an ethnography of Syrians displaced in Turkey* - Dr Paladia Ziss, *Chronotopes of in/exclusion: temporal governance in the Germany-Turkey refugee regime* - Dr Melissa Gatter, *The age of the camp: locating the refugee camp in a coloniality of time* - Dr Maria-Nerina Boursinou, Dr Anna Papoutsi, Lukas Adel Riad, *Between the camp and the makerspace: commoning practices, temporal autonomy and care*	Stuart Hall
	Panel 13 | **Comparative Analysis of Logics, Practices, and Transfer Mechanisms in Migration Research** Convenor and Chair: Dr Yolanda López García* (Chemnitz University of Technology) - Dr Asmara González Rojas* (University of Guadalajara), *Doing research in contradictory contexts: (the unbridgeable) gap of the migration issue in Mexico.* - Prof Maria Catarina Chitolina Zanini* (University of Santa Maria - UFSM), *Can interlocutors disagree? Reflections on the potential of collaborative*	Dhani Prem | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/85137912367

	anthropologies in migration studies. Perspectives from Brazil • Dr Luisa Conti (University of Jena) and Dr Mustafa Aksakal (Bielefeld University), *Leaving the Ivory Tower: Preparing for a Political Earthquake and Striving for a Sustainable Future – Reflections on the German Context* • Dr Virginia Signorini (University of Jena) and Dr Francesca Scarselli (University of Siena), *Are you activist enough to do research in politicised contexts? Uncomfortable positionalities and possible solutions in refugee research in Italy*	
	Panel 14 | **Bordering and Debordering in the Americas: Located knowledge, global discussions** Convenor and Chair: Dr Esteban Devis-Amaya (Oxford Brookes University) • Dr Erika Herrera Rosales (University of Warwick) *Migrant advocacy, doubt, and silences: migration infrastructures in Mexico during the emergence of the migrant caravans* • Dr Natalia Cintra (University of Southampton), *Racialising the Venezuelan Displacement in Latin America: Mestizaje vs Creolization* • Mauricio Palma-Gutiérrez (University of Warwick) *The Shifting Political Geography of the Darién Gap amid Recent Cross-Border Migration* • Dr Esteban Devis-Amaya (Oxford Brookes University), *Racialisation and Aporophobia in South-South migration: the case of Colombia as a migrant receiving county*	Mary Sturge
	Panel 15 | **Immigration Detention: Investigating the Persistence of a Failed Project** Convenor and Chair: Dr Ċetta Mainwaring (University of Edinburgh) • Dr Ċetta Mainwaring (University of Edinburgh), *Immigration Detention and Racial Capitalism* • Dr Thom Tyerman (University of Edinburgh), *Webs of carcerality: transnational economies of immigration detention and resistance* • Dr Andonea Dickson* (University of Edinburgh) *Recycled Sites of Incarceration* • Dr Saskia Smellie (University of Edinburgh), *Justifying a Failed Policy Approach: Prevailing Narratives on Immigration Detention in the UK* Discussant: Dr Maurice Stierl (Osnabrück University)	Benjamin Zephaniah | [Zoom](https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/89965391193) https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/89965391193
16.45-17.15	Coffee break	Atrium
17.15-18.45	Panel 16 |**Coloniality of migration and citizenship** Chair: Prof Nando Sigona • Prof Michaela Benson and Prof Nando Sigona (Lancaster University and University of Birmingham), *Reimagining, rebordering, repositioning: intersections of the biopolitical and geopolitical in the UK's post-Brexit migration regime* • Dr Agnieszka Radziwinowiczówna (University of Warsaw), *'Nobody had their back': the differentiated*	Assembly

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	deportability of racialised Central and Eastern Europeans in the UK before Brexit • Dr Aleksandra Lewicki (University of Sussex), *Coloniality, Race and Europeanness: Britain's Borders after Brexit* • Dr Kate Botterill, Dr David McCollum Prof Daniela Sime, Dr Bozena Sojka (University of Glasgow, University of St. Andrews, University of Strathclyde, Swansea University), *Geopolitics as 'background noise': emotional labours and future proofing among young Europeans in post-Brexit Britain*	
	Panel 17 | Queering the UK Border Convenors: Dr Patrick Vernon (Chair) and Pip McKnight • Dr Patrick J. Vernon (King's College London), *Queerying Carcerality: A Study of Media Representations of Trans and Migrant Communities* • Pip McKnight and Dawn River (University of Birmingham), *Between a rock and a hard place: expectations of performance and participation in SOGI asylum claims* • Dr Claire Fletcher (Solent University), *Heteronormative Accommodations: asylum policy making and the creation of hostile spaces for LGBTQ+ people in the asylum process* • Dr Nat Arias *(University of Sussex), *'Humanitarian Relocations' as Colonial Violence? Examining the Colonialities of Mobilities in the Spanish Red Cross Emergency Refugee Accommodation*	Stuart Hall | [Zoom](https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/85785222093) https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/85785222093
	Panel 18 |'Migranticizations' in an Aging Demographic Context: Intersectional Perspectives on the Social Construction of Migrants Chair: Dr Andy Jolly, University of Birmingham • Johanna Bastian (DeZIM-Institute), *What makes a labour migrant? Young migrants positioning in neoliberal work and life worlds* • Dr Emmanuel Charmillot (University of Neuchâtel), *Filling labour shortages in aging societies through international mobility? Ethics and governance of migration in the Swiss case* • Melanie Fleisch (MCI Innsbruck) and Dr Lukas Kerschbaumer (MCI Innsbruck), *Categorization and Differentiation Strategies among Young Labor Migrants in an Aging Austria: An Intersectional Perspective* • Dr Camilla Spadavecchia and Dr Juan Sebastian Olier (Tilburg University), *Visual Narratives of Migration: A Comparative Analysis Unveiling Emotional Depictions and Socioeconomic Influences Across Countries*	Mary Sturge
	Panel 19 | Narrating migration, writing journeys, mobilising identities Chair: Prof Claudia Rocha (Universidade Estadual de Campinas) • Dr Peter Auger (University of Birmingham), *Foreign-Language Publication and the History of Migration*	Dhani Prem

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	• Dr Chrysi Kyratsou (Mary Immaculate College, University of Limerick), *Mobilising Identities through Music: Performance of (Forced) Migration Narratives as a Means to Establish Selfhood across Borders* • Dr Abida Younas (University of Warwick), *Narrating the Less-than-Human Journey of Refugees in Refugee Literature* • Dr Núria Codina (KU Leuven) and Anna Sofia Churchill (KU Leuven), *Writing With and Writing Against: Political Effects of Transnational and In-Group Collaboration in Contexts of Migration*	
	Panel 20 | **Civil society actors and actions in SD neighbourhoods and arrival areas: inclusion and integration in conditions of superdiversity and socioeconomic marginalization** Chair: Dr Laurence Lessard-Phillips • Prof Gabriella Elgenius (University of Gothenburg) (with Prof Jenny Phillimore), *How and why do civil society support integration in SD neighbourhoods support integration* • Prof Jenny Phillimore (University of Birmingham), *Small scale civil society activity in superdiverse areas: uncovering actions and resources* • Prof Susanne Wessendorf and Dr Tamlyn Monson (Coventry University), *Infrastructures of Care in the Context of Migrant Arrival*	Benjamin Zephaniah
	Panel 21 |**Climate security, human mobility and the coloniality of humanitarianism** Chair: Dr Marie Godin, Leicester University • Bia Silveira Carneiro* and Dr Giulia Tucci (Alliance of Bioversity International and CIAT), *Mapping public debates about the climate security-human mobility nexus in Mozambique: a social media analysis* • Dr Andrea Maria Calazans Pacheco Pacífico (Paraiba State University), *Environmentally displaced persons in Brazil: The Case of the drowning of Maceio, Brazil (2018-2023)* • Dr Pilar Luz Rodrigues (University of Galway), *From Rural Brazil to Rural Ireland: Place-Making Among Brazilian Migrants in the Town of Gort.* • Fazila Bhimji (Independent Researcher) *Who are the 'real' refugees? Blacks and people of colour from Ukraine encounter discriminatory policies and housing challenges in Berlin*	Winifred Hackett | Zoom https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/83461102572
20.00-22.30	**Conference Dinner at Austin Court**	80 Cambridge Street, B1 2NP Birmingham

Friday, 6 SEPTEMBER – The Exchange, Birmingham

Time		Venue
8.30-9.00	Registration	Atrium
9.00-10.30	Panel 22 | **Spaces of Resistance: Migration and Solidarity** Convenor: Dr Maurice Stierl (University of Osnabrueck) Discussant: Dr Joe Turner (University of York) • Dr Pierre Monforte (University of Leicester) and Dr Elias Steinhilper (German Center for Integration and Migration Research), *Fragile Solidarities:*	Assembly

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	Contestation and Ambiguity at European Border zones • Dr Lucy Kneebone (Queen Mary University of London), *Carceral islands and archipelagic struggle: Acts of resistance on Manus Island and beyond* • Dr Maurice Stierl (Osnabrück University) and Dr Cetta Mainwaring (Edinburgh University), *Islands of Solidarity: Migration and Resistance at EUrope's Edge*	
	Panel 23 | **Migration and racialisation: intergenerational dynamics** Chair: Dr Stefano Piemontese, University of Birmingham • Dr Giulia Marroccoli (University of Turin), *Immigrants descendants in Italy between labelling processes and discriminatory narratives* • Dr Annavittoria Sarli and Dr Kombola T. Ramadhani Mussa (University of Parma), *Reproducing or contesting difference in everyday interaction: a multi-voice reflection among racialized and non racialized Italians.* • Dr Stefano Piemontese (University of Birmingham), *Balancing Self and Society: The "Politics of the Personal" among Racially Minoritised Italians in the United Kingdom* • Grace Chimela Eze Nwoke (Independent researcher), *The Black communities in Greece and the project "the AfroGreeks"*	Stuart Hall
	Panel 24 |**Intersectionality, gender, family, and youth** Chair: Pip McKnight, University of Birmingham • Dr Andrea Verdasco (UCL), *Distancing and digitalisation: how refugee mothers (mis)communicate with the welfare state, the case of England* • Prof Dirk Geldof, Kathleen Emmery and Silke Peeters (University of Antwerp & Centre for Family Policies Odisee), *When the family becomes superdiverse. How bi-cultural couples challenge categorisations* • Dr Nicola Burns (University of Glasgow), *Lost at the intersection: looking for disability in migration studies*	Mary Sturge
	Panel 25 | **Situating racialization and othering** Chair: Prof Claudia Rocha, Universidade Estadual de Campinas (UNICAMP) • Dr Bernardo López Marin (Durham University) *Racialization and internalised racism among NGOs and humanitarian workers: The case of Ceuta* • Prof Bernadette Nadya Jaworsky (Masaryk University) *'People like us?' Tensions and Transformations in Racialization and Othering in a New Immigration Context* • Dr Hannah Ryan (University of Birmingham) *White Saviours versus White Borders: Constructions of Race in the Visual Representations of Refugees in UK Newspapers* • Prof Hannah Jones (University of Warwick) *Belonging and ownership: 'family' as a stand-in for*	Benjamin Zephaniah

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	'race' in settler-colonial identity claims possibilities for new politics of solidarity.	
	Panel 26 | **Everyday negotiations between borders and place, self-governance and leisure in the asylum system** Chair: Olivia Petie, University of Birmingham • Dr Marnie Howlett and Dr Daryna Dvornichenko (University of Oxford), *Without a Home: Belonging for Ukraine's Twice Internally Displaced Women* • Prof Christy Kulz*, Dr Christine Barwick-Gross* (Technical University Berlin and Humboldt University), *Making borders through the senses: everyday experiences of diversity in two Berlin neighbourhoods* • Dr Marzana Kamal (Liverpool Hope University) *Race and Migration in Contemporary Liverpool*	Dhani Prem | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/82977670760
	Panel 27 | **Connected migration histories: Brazilian colonial and post-colonial projects and legacies shaping contemporary migration journeys** Convenor: Dr Angelo Martins Jr • Dr Angelo Martins Jr (University of Birmingham) *Reflections on the coloniality of migration: Brazilians in London & Africans in São Paulo* • Prof Angelo Ishi* (Musashi University), *Media, memory and migration: How Brazilians in Japan are writing their history(ies)* • Dr Amanda Fernandes Guerreiro* (University of Lisbon) *Acting through music: Brazilianess, agency and musical practices among migrants in Lisbon, Portugal* • Dr Julio Davies*, *'Making Progress' at home and abroad: journeys of Brazilian queer sex workers in their pursuit of freedom*	Winifred Hackett | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/82385352553
10.30-11.00	Coffee break	
11.00-12.30	**Semi-plenary 3: Irregularised migration and irregularised migrants** Chair: Dr Laurence Lessard-Phillips, University of Birmingham • Dr Ilse van Liempt, Utrecht University (co-authored with Minke Hajer (UU), Maria Bruquetas and Anna Ensing (Fairwork) *Exclusion as Default: The legal and policy dynamics around the production of irregular migration in the Netherlands* • Dr Miryam Cherti, University of Oxford, *Cities as sites of bordering and un-bordering for irregular migrants* • Dr Blanca Garcés Mascareñas, CIDOB, *Contradictions behind the moral economy of irregularity in Europe* • Prof Nando Sigona, University of Birmingham, *Times and temporalities of irregular migration*	Assembly | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/86487544859
	Semi-plenary 4: Thinking borders and mobility with Stuart Hall Chair: Dr Angelo Martins Jr, University of Birmingham • Dr Sanjay Sharma, Warwick University, *Techno-Surveillance and Production of Identity* • Dr Nick Beech, University of Birmingham, *Voices of the Future: Registering cosmopolitism from below in Stuart Hall's archive*	Stuart Hall | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/85434853247

	• Dr Nirmal Puwar, Goldsmiths, University of London, *Soundz of Stuart Hall: an aurality of border crossings.*	
12.30-1.15	Lunch	Atrium
13.15-14.15	**Keynote 2: Prof Nandita Sharma (University of Hawai'i) Border Abolition is a Freedom Struggle** Chair: Prof Nando Sigona, University of Birmingham	Assembly | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/82159552343
14.15-14.45	Coffee break	Atrium
14.45-15.45	Workshop 1 | **Podcasting amidst the politics of migration** Convenor: Prof Michaela Benson (Lancaster University) Speakers: • Rob McNeil (Migration Observatory) • Mukti Jain Campion (Founder of Culture Wise, BBC radio documentary maker and podcast producer) • Prof Michaela Benson (Lancaster University) • Prof Nando Sigona (University of Birmingham)	Assembly
	Workshop 2 | **Understanding and reimagining migration through its asynchronous, conflicting and contested times and temporalities** Convenor: Dr Maria Luisa Caputo (University of Parma) Chair: Prof Anna Krasteva (CERMES/New Bulgarian University) Speakers: • Başak Yavçan (Migration Policy Group) • Dr Maria Luisa Caputo (University of Parma) • Dr Michela Semprebon (University of Parma) • Dr Olga Gheorghiev* (Czech Academy of Sciences) • Soazig Dollet (SciencesPo)	Stuart Hall | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/88033049473
	Workshop 3 | **A critical exploration of migrant students, carceral borders and universities in the Global North** Convenor: Sanaz Raji* (Northumbria University) Speakers: • Shahd Al-Hadid* (University of Sheffield) • Sanaz Raji* (Unis Resist Border Controls; Northumbria University) • Lili Schwoerer* (Oxford Brookes University) • Momodou Taal* (Cornell University) • Unis Resist Border Controls*	Mary Sturge | **Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/89241034742
	Workshop 4 ! **Methodological perspectives on researching difference and belonging in the European South** Chair: Dr Giulia Marroccoli (University of Turin) Speakers: • Dr Annavittoria Sarli (University of Parma) • Grace Chimela Eze Nwoke (independent researcher) • Dr Paladia Ziss (University of Bristol) • Dr Charline Kanza • Dr Stefano Piemontese (University of Birmingham)	Benjamin Zephaniah
	Workshop 5 | **Enabling support for refugees** Chair: Dr Elizabeth Mavroudi Loughborough University • Anastazie Toros (School of Design and Creative Arts) • Evariste Tshindo (Africa Innovation Group) • Dr Alena Pfoser (Loughborough University) • Dr Irina Kuznetsova (University of Birmingham)	Dhani Prem

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	• Dr Natalia Kogut (University of Birmingham)	
15.45-16.00	Comfort break	
16.00-17.30	**Panel 28	Channel Crossings: Criminalised Mobility, Racism and Imperial Fantasies in Postcolonial Britain** Chair: Dr Lucy Mayblin (University of Sheffield) • Dr Tesfalem Yemane (University of Liverpool), *"Dismantling Smuggling Networks, Saving Lives": Necropolitical empathy as a technology of 'borderization' in the English Channel.* • Dr Joe Turner (University of York), *The Border-Security Economy in the English Channel: Small Boats, Racism and the Shifting Dynamics of Imperialism* • Dr Thom Davies (University of Nottingham), *Eco-coloniality and the Violent Environmentalism of the UK-France Border* • Dr Lucy Mayblin (University of Sheffield) and Dr Arshad Isakjee, *"Bringing Order to the Border": (Il)liberal Racism, Technocratic Fantasies, and Postcolonial Borders*	Assembly
	Panel 29| Security utopias and resistance Chair: Dr Jenny Allsopp • Dr Nina Perkowski (University of Hamburg), *From Existential Unease to Security Utopias* • Dr Federica Mazzara (University of Westminster), *Borders as Playscapes of Resistance* • Dr Luke Nwibo Eda University of the West of England (UWE), *The Search for Order in a Migration Crisis World: On the EU's Biopolitics of Racialised Bordering and Everyday Struggles of Migrants at Europe's Spaces (Geographies) of Exception*	Stuart Hall
	**Panel 30	Epistemic and Pedagogical Approaches to Border and Migration Studies** Chair: Dr Stefano Piemontese • Dr Katy Budge (Aberystwyth University), *Acknowledging and articulating 'epistemic ignorance' in Critical Border Studies* • Dr Mirian Alves Souza* (University Federal Fluminense) *Marronage Meets Theatre of the Oppressed: Counter-Narratives Through Participatory Art with Migrants and Refugees in Brazil* • Dr Asli Kandemir (University of Birmingham), *Spatiality of Populism: Discourse of Tolerance as Symbolic Border*	**Mary Sturge	Zoom** https://bham-ac-uk.zoom.us/j/84016372648
	**Panel 31	Emergent bordering practices and everyday imaginaries as horizons** Convenors: Dr Aila Spathopoulou (University of Stirling), Dr Isabel Meier (Northumbria University) Chair/discussant: Dr Paladia Ziss (University of Bristol) • Dr Aila Spathopoulou (University of Stirling) *Displacing border violence: Floating detention, everyday incarcerations and abolitionist journeys and horizons*	Benjamin Zephaniah

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	• Dr Isabel Meier (Northumbria University) *Beyond citizenship: Engagements with borders and belongings through relational imaginaries* • Sophie Capicchiano Young (Independent legal consultant) *The End of Asylum in the United States*	
	Panel 32 | Thinking Through 'Pathways': Exploring the Everyday Navigation of Migration and Integration Bordering Regimes in Belgium Discussant: Dr Ilse Van Liempt (Utrecht University) Convenors: Dr Mieke Groeninck, Prof Dirk Geldof • Prof Dirk Geldof, Katja Fournier, Dr Kaat Van Acker, Pathways on Hold? *Asylum Centers in Belgium as Liminal Spaces* • Dr Mieke Groeninck, *Pathways Towards 'Well-being Re-invented'* • Dr Pascal Debruyne, Dr Sylvie Van Dam, Elsemieke Van Osch, *A Life Course Approach to Undocumented Families; Pathways to Other Futures* • Aliki Tzouvara, Shila Anaraki, Dr Elisabeth Mareels, Dr Bruno Meeus, Prof Luce Beeckmans, Dr Mieke Groeninck, Karel Arnaut, *Mapping Pathways Out of Precarious Citizenship*	Dhani Prem
	Panel 33 | Asylum, identity and bureaucratic hurdles Chair: Pip McKnight • Dr Caroline Oliver (UCL), Prof María E. López and Prof Louise Ryan (London Metropolitan), Afghan resettlement in England: initial findings • Dr Liza Dumovich (KU Leuven), *Searching for a new identity: negotiations of belonging among two Turkish Muslim women refugees in Europe* • Dr Hanain Brohi (University of Manchester), Dr Sara Ganassin (Newcastle University), *"We came to the UK to find safety, not to be dumped in Rwanda": exploring the edges of vulnerability in refugee women in the UK.*	Winifred Hackett
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