



Legacies of Forced Migration

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Queen Mary,
University of London

Interdisciplinary Workshop Event

Forced migration is a timely subject as millions of refugees flee conflicts in Ukraine, Syria, Venezuela, Afghanistan and South Sudan, to name just a few. This interdisciplinary workshop brings together postgraduate and early career researchers who study forced migration in varied contexts and from different disciplinary perspectives. It hopes to facilitate a better understanding of the trajectories, responses to, and legacies of displacement and exile in a global context.

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Workshop Schedule

09:20 – 10:00	Opening Remarks & Coffee
10:00 – 11:00	<p>Panel 1: Empirical Research Exploring Practical Implications of Hostile Immigration Policies</p> <p>Chair: Joseph Cronin (School of History)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ayesha Riaz (School of Law) – Exploring the Vulnerabilities of the Legal Aid System in Relation to Asylum Seekers and Undocumented Migrants in the UK • Ellen Allde (School of Law) – Empirical Disruptions: Theorising with people (im)mobilised and by doing legal advocacy • Nuni Vieira Jorgensen (School of Geography) – Who stays and who goes? Exploring Family Separation at Origin in crisis-ridden Venezuela
11:30 – 12:00	Coffee Break
12:00 – 13:00	<p>Panel 2: On Humanitarianism and its Limits in Southern Europe</p> <p>Chair: Ayesha Riaz (School of Law)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meena Masood (School of Politics) – Deservingness Reinvented: Vulnerability and Humanitarianism in Greece • Paola Zichi (School of History) – The Italian Committee for the Assistance of Jewish Emigrants at crossroads between transnational Jewish Relief Associationism, Fascism and Women’s Anti-trafficking Networks (1920–1927)
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:00	<p>Panel 3: Exploring the EU’s Hostility towards Asylum Seekers</p> <p>Chair: Meena Masood (School of Politics)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aleksandra Jolkina (School of Law) – Beyond the ‘Hybrid Threat’ Paradigm: EU-Belarus Border Crisis and the Erosion of Asylum-Seeker Rights in a Comparative Perspective • Vasiliki Apatzidou (School of Law) – Seeking Asylum at the EU’s Borders: The (In) Significance of Territorial Presence
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee Break
15:30 – 16:50	Roundtable discussion: Methods and methodology in researching forced migration
16:50 – 17:00	Concluding Remarks

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