



TALKING IDEAS

WINTER - SPRING 2014 – NEW RESEARCH SERIES

As part of the Talking Ideas season conceived and curated by Professor Juliet Simpson

IDRICS presents

A half-day Symposium entitled '**Moving Stories: Migrant Communities in transit**', led by Professor Margaret Greenfields, Professor of Social Policy and Community Engagement, with guest speakers (ranging from senior academics to ECRs and Doctoral students).

Wednesday 12th March, 1.00-5.00pm. High Wycombe Campus, Room N3.08

'Finnish Roma Home: cultural space and a private place' Jennie Berlin, Doctoral Student University of Eastern Finland/IDRICS.

'Moving Images Why and How' Mary Humphrey, Cambridge School of Art, Anglia Ruskin University emerging international photographer of migrant populations: presents on the philosophy and personal narratives underpinning her portfolio of work (www.maryhumphrey.co.uk)

'A 3,000 Linear Village' – Britain's Water Gypsies: Temporal Lives and Communities on the Cut' Dr HollyGale Millette, University of Southampton.

'Move on but don't let go...' the emotionality of space and place, Carol Rogers, Bucks New University/IDRICS.

'Alternative media representations of Roma people: building community and fighting Romaphobia through digital storytelling' Violeta Vajda, Doctoral Student, University of Sussex and Institute of Development Studies.

'The New Romani Visual Artists and the deconstruction of space' Professor Thomas Acton, Emeritus Professor from the University of Greenwich, Senior Visiting Research Fellow, IDRICS

"Like Birds in a Cage": the impact of enforced sedentarism and the movement from Gypsy/Traveller sites to Housing' Professor Margaret Greenfields, Director of IDRICS

Abstracts (and Professor Acton's background paper) will be made available on the IDRICS events webpage two weeks prior to the event.

Members of the broader University research community, external academics and guests; alumni and students are most welcome.

In this new 2014 seminar season '**Mobile and Rooted Worlds**' curated by Professor Juliet Simpson, Professor of Art History and Visual Culture; "Talking Ideas" extends to a fully cross-disciplinary cutting-edge research engagement with its core theme of 'mobility' and 'rootedness' across new science technologies of sound; sites of conflict and war; the ethics of cosmopolitanism; mobile and rooted landscapes; mobile communities; migration; mobile belonging; dance and mobile well-being.

There are six scheduled events running through February to May 2014, comprising two multi-speaker panels with external speakers and guest chairs. For further information on the full seminar series; travel arrangements, and to confirm attendance please contact idrics@bucks.ac.uk



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