Workshop Programme

The Politics of Migration: Citizenship, Inclusion and Discourse in Europe

November 10-11, 2011

A Joint Workshop of GCU Institute for Society and Social Justice, PSA Comparative European Politics, and French Politics Specialist Groups

November 10th 2011:

1.00 -1.30: Welcome and introduction Professor Alison Phipps GRAMnet, Glasgow University

1.30 -3.00: Panel 1: Chair: Dr Umut Korkut (GCU)

• Professor Catherine O’Donnell, Professor Frances Mair, Academic Unit of General Practice & Primary Care, University of Glasgow, on behalf of the RESTORE FP7 Consortium.
  RESTORE: REsearch into implementation STrategies to support patients of different ORigins and language background in a variety of European primary care settings.

• Professor Nina Ivashinenko, RCS Haven Glasgow University, Dr. Valentina Shatalina, RCS Haven, CRONEM
  The role of cultural factors in limiting access to medical services among the Russian-speaking community in Scotland

• Dr Ima Jackson Glasgow Caledonian University on behalf of the GRAMnet AHRC project.
  Addressing the increasingly multilingual encounters of Scottish health care providers through the provision of a research informed, effective training model of translation practice for translation providers and users in health care settings in Scotland.

3.00-3.30 Coffee break

3.30- 4.30: Chair: Dr Ima Jackson (GCU)

• Dr Moya Flynn and Prof Rebecca Kay, University of Glasgow
  Experiences of Social Security and Prospects for Long Term Settlement in Scotland amongst Migrants from Central Eastern Europe and Former Soviet Union

• Judit Molnar, Marie Curie Research Fellow University of Glasgow, UK and University of Miskolc, Hungary:
  Understanding immigrants’ adaptation. A lesson from a comparative study about integration of immigrants from the countries of the former Soviet Union in Washington State and Scotland.

• 4.30 – 5.00 concluding discussion

• 20.00: Workshop Dinner

November 11: Workshop day 2

09.30: Welcome Speech: Prof. Ailsa McKay (GCU)

Keynote Speaker:

• Prof. Martin Schain (NYU) – ‘Political Rhetoric on Migrants and Immigration: Framing the Issue in a Transatlantic Comparison’
11.00-11.15: Coffee Break

11.15: Panel 1: Dr Mikko Kuisma (Oxford Brookes University)
- Dr Helen Drake (Loughborough University) – ‘France, Its Immigrants and the Agenda of l’Insecurité’
- Dr Hande Ziya-Eslen (Bahcesehir University, Istanbul) and Dr Umut Korkut (GCU) – ‘Domestic work, gender and migration in Turkey: The clash between legal framework and social reality’
- Sarah Craig (University of Glasgow) - UKBA the impact on migrants within different UK legal systems, where the dominant detention “estate” is viewed as a single entity
- Dr Aidan McGarry (University of Brighton) – “The Construction of Roma as an Ethnic ‘Other’: Political Discourse in the French Roma Crisis”
- Discussant: Dr Barry Levine (GCU)

13.15: Lunch Break

14.00: Panel 2: Dr Ima Jackson (GCU)
- Dr Mikko Kuisma (Oxford Brookes University) – ‘Solidaristic Internationalism meets Welfare State Nationalism: Immigration and the Crisis of Nordic Social Democracy’
- Dr Alexandre Afonso (Max Planck Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Cologne) – ‘National Populists Against the Welfare State? Party Competition and Welfare Reform in Switzerland and Austria’
- Dr Andrea Spehar (University of Gothenburg), Dr Gregg Bucken-Knapp, and Professor Jonas Hinnfors (University of Gothenburg) – ‘Ideology and Entry Policy: Why Non-Socialist Parties in Sweden Support Open Door Migration Policies’
- Dr Peter Scholten (Erasmus University – Rotterdam) – ‘Beyond the Dutch multicultural model? Agenda dynamics and the multi-level governance of immigrant integration in the Netherlands’ (this presentation will either be through skype or pre-recorded).
- Discussant: Dr Aidan McGarry (University of Brighton)

16.00-16.15: Coffee Break

16.15: Panel 3: Dr Helen Drake (Loughborough University)
- Dr Umut Korkut (GCU) – ‘How to Apply Political Rhetoric to Immigration Research?’
- Dr Kesi Mahendran (Open University) – ‘A two-way process of accommodation’ - perceptions of integration along the migration-mobility continuum in Scotland and Sweden.
- Discussant: Dr Alexandre Afonso (Max Planck Institute of Humanities and Social Sciences Cologne)

17.15 -17.30 concluding discussion

20.00: Informal Dinner at Flat 5/3 17 Oswald St.

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