

#### **URBAN STUDIES**

### Seminar Series: January - March 2011

Seminars are held in **The Teaching Room** (unless otherwise stated), Urban Studies, 25 Bute Gardens, commencing at 3.30 p.m. (unless otherwise stated) and concluding at 5.00-5.15 p.m. Following the Seminar, refreshments are served in the Coffee area of 25 Bute Gardens.

# The paradox of urban informality: the case of land formalisation processes in the peri-urban zone of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania

Libby Porter (Lecturer School of Social and Political Sciences) and John Briggs (Professor School of Geographical and Earth Sciences) Friday 21 January 2011 at 3.30 pm.

### Towards Critical Pedagogies: learning and teaching the politics of visual communication in urban studies

Michelle Letowska (Artist and Writer) with Libby Porter (Lecturer School of Social and Political Sciences)

Friday 4 February 2011 at 3.30pm

#### Title to be confirmed

Ann Markuson (UK Fulbright Distinguished Chair, Mackintosh School of Architecture, Glasgow School of Art and Professor, Urban and Regional Planning, University of Minnesota)

Joint seminar with School of Geographical and Earth Sciences Friday 11 February 2011 at 4.00pm Venue to be confirmed.

### Study on Housing Exclusion: Welfare Policies, Housing Provision and Labour Markets

Mark Stephens (Professor of Urban Economics, University of Glasgow) and Suzanne Fitzpatrick (Professor of Housing and Social Policy, Herriot Watt University) Friday, 25 February 2011 at 3.30 p.m.

### How neighbourhoods change ethnicity and what this means for segregation and community cohesion

Nissa Finney (ESRC Research Fellow, CCSR, School of Social Sciences, University of Manchester)

Friday 4 March 2011 at 3.30pm



## Violence, victimisation and vulnerability: Exploring hidden elements of youth engagement in offending.

Susan McVie (Professor of Quantitative Criminology, School of Law, University of Edinburgh)

Lesley McAra (Professor of Penology, School of Law, University of Edinburgh) Joint seminar with the Scottish Centre for Crime and Justice Research Friday 18 March 2011 at 3.30pm

This Series is open to all students and staff of the University and to people from outside the University. An abstract is usually circulated via e-mail several days before each Seminar. For further information and final confirmation of any Seminar, please contact Mark Livingston on (0141) 330 6162 or mark.livingston@glasgow.ac.uk