Society for Caribbean Studies
38th Annual Conference

University of Glasgow
2nd-4th July

Provisional Programme

Please note that this programme is provisional and subject to change. The final programme will be posted after the speaker registration deadline of 1st May. You are advised to check the programme in the final weeks before the conference in case of any last minute changes.

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PROVISIONAL PANELS

Wednesday 2nd July: 2.15-4.15

Irish/British/Caribbean Connections

Chair: TBC

SMITH, RICHARD
Loss, longing and fear: emotional responses to West Indian soldiers during the Great War

HANDLER, JEROME
Enslaved and Indentured: Africans and Irish in 17th century Barbados

MCGUIRE, RICHARD THOMAS IVAN
Shadow Kings: George Lamming’s In The Castle of My Skin (1953) and Michael Farrell’s Thy Tears Might Cease (1963)

Caribbean Migrations

Chair: TBC

BADELLA, ALESSANDRO
The new Cuban migration policy one year later

GRAHAIME, KAMINI MARAJ and PETER
Reconfiguring Identity in a Transnational World: Becoming Indo-Trinidadian
MUJCINOVIC, FATIMA
At the Frontiers of Nations and Cultures: Reimagining Space and Self in Caribbean Women

**Material Culture**

**Chair: Janelle Rodriques**

MCMLLAN, MICHAEL
The ‘West Indian’ Front Room: Migrant Aesthetics in the Home

PETLEY, Christer
The Material Life of the Planter Class

SHERRATT-BADO, DAWN MIRANDA
‘Modern-Day Magic in the French Antilles: Quimbois and Creole Garden Space in Gisèle Pineau’s The Drifting of Spirits’

FULANI, IFEONA
Travel, self-discovery and self-confrontation in Audre Lorde’s Zami and Ana Castillo’s The Mixquiahuala Letters

*Wednesday 2nd June: 4.30-6.00*

**New York/Caribbean Connections**

**Chair: Janelle Rodriques**

HULME, PETER
Tropical Town: Caribbean Writers in New York 1915-1920

PEAKE, Jak
Caribbean Contacts: New York Networks, 1905-1927

**Education**

**Chair: TBC**

CATTerson, JADE
The Relational Networks of Street-Connected Young People in Hazard Prone Areas – A Contextualised Discussion on Jamaica

COLEMAN, NATHANIEL ADAM TOBIAS
Michael Gove, William Wilberforce, and the defect of durable degradation

MINOTT EGGLESTONE, Ruth Elizabeth
Examining the Refractive Impact of a Jamaican Educational Perspective when viewed through the Lens of "Beyond a Boundary" by CLR James

**Gendered Stories**

**Chair: TBC**

DEAR, LOU
Sylvia Wynter’s decolonial horizons
THOMPSON, RACHEL GRACE
The Chronology of Storytelling: Problematizing the Return in Julia Alvarez’s 'How the Garcia Girls Lost their Accents'

YOSHIDA, YUTAKA
Shame, recognition, and the psychic afterlife of colonialism: In the Castle of My Skin and The Pleasures of Exile

Thursday 3rd July: 9.30-11.30
Glasgow/Caribbean Connections

Chair: TBC

HOPCROFT, MICHAEL
‘Discovering Scotland’s West India Gentry: the Economic and Social Networks of the Cuninghames of Craigends’

MORRIS, MICHAEL
‘Glasgow and Slavery: Memory and Amnesia’

MULLEN, STEPHEN
‘Glasgow’s West India merchants and planters, 1776-1838: Sic Transit Gloria Mundi?’

O'BRIEN, IRENE
‘The Glasgow-West India collection in Glasgow City Archives’

Wednesday 3rd July: 11.45-1.15
Research Approaches: Migrated Archives and Ethnographic Gazes

Chair: TBC

BANTON, MANDY
Secrecy and Disclosure: FCO ‘migrated archives’ and ‘special collections’

QUINN, KATE
Revisiting the Anguilla Crisis in the light of the Migrated Archives

Returning Terms: Post-colonial Subjectivities in Caribbean Literature and Culture

Chairs: Malachi McIntosh and Jonathan Pugh

KNEPPER, Wendy
Moving Worlds and “The Immigrant Artist at Work”: Translational Literacies in a Globalizing World

MCINTOSH, MALACHI AND PUGH, JONATHAN
Fighting for the Authentic Voice in Post-Independence Caribbean Literature and Politics
NOXOLO, PATRICIA
‘Concrete poetry’: Wilson Harris’s ‘The Eye of the Scarecrow’, materiality and language in the taskscape

Politics of Representation: Seeing and Believing

Chair: Gemma Robinson

WESTMAAS, NIGEL
Repatriation and Resistance: An assessment of the cultural and political legacy of Rastafarianism and Ethiopianism

ROMAIN, GEMMA
Ronald Moody: geographies of art and black life in interwar London

SMYTH, HEATHER
Decolonizing the Eye in Michelle Mohabeer’s film Blu in You

Wednesday 3rd July: 2.15-3.45

Social In/Securities

Chair: Pat Noxolo

ANIM-ADDO, ANYAA
Maritime securities, maritime spaces in the post-emancipation era

FEATHERSTONE, DAVID
Maritime Networks, Anti-Colonial Politics and Spaces of Security/ Insecurity

JAFFE, RIVKE
Speculative Policing: Securing Bodies and Buildings in Downtown Kingston, Jamaica

Gender and Sexuality

Chair: Patricia Saunders

BOBB, DANIELE
Capitalism, Work and Mothers: Negotiating the Terrain in a Developing Country

ONO-GEORGE, MELEISA
‘To be despised’: Concubines, Respectability, and the Free Community of Colour in early Nineteenth-century Jamaica

PARAVASINI-GEBERT, LIZABETH
Phyllis Shand Allfrey: The Forgotten Poet

Language and Broadcasting

Chair: Jonathan Pugh

MALCOLM, MARCIA
Language gendering in the Caribbean: The case of Jamaica
SELASSIE, DANA
The Emergence of Broadcasting in Bermuda

Friday 4th July: 9.30-11

Caribbean Labour

Chair: TBC

ALTINK, HENRICE
Race at Work: racial inequality and the Jamaican labour market, c. 1918-1980

HØGBJERG, CHRISTIAN
Mariners, Renegades and Castaways: Chris Braithwaite and the Colonial Seaman’s Association

KALADEEN, MARIA
Letters to the Editor: Indian-Guianese Dissent in British Guiana, 1896-1917

Representing Postwar Caribbean Lives: Families, Communities and Rituals

Chair: Gemma Robinson

PATON, DIANA
Obeah on the Post-war Caribbean Stage

PERRY, KENNETTA
Imaging and Imagining Black Britain: Family Photography and Afro-Caribbean Cultural Practices of Belonging

PUTNAM, LARA
T.S. Simey’s Anonymous Interlocutors: Local Intelligentsia and the Transnational Pathologization of the Black Family

Transport in the Caribbean

Chair: TBC

CUSHION, STEVE
The Havana Tramway Scandal of 1950: Cold War murder and corruption

MORRIS, EMILY
Money, power and urban transport policy: the Havana exception

Friday 4th July: 11.15-1.15

Environment

Chair: TBC

LAST, ANGELA
Attention Smoke Screen! The geopoetics/geopolitics of Suzanne Césaire & Simone Weil
LEE, LEE
Living in the Shadow of Giants: Food Justice Collisions between Haiti and the US

RANGUIN, JOSIANE
Nesting in Fabula : Les Neufs Consciences du Malfini and Le papillon et la Lumière by Patrick Chamoiseau

PRAGG, KARIMA,
Mandela, Melman and Trinidadian Student Attitudes Toward Animal Welfare

Religion

Chair: TBC

GEORGE, SHANTEL
Grenada’s Orisha Work: Examining South-South Transnationalism

RODRIQUES, JANELLE
"It is impossible for a serious, honest, earnest writer to avoid giving an abundance of local colour to his stories:" Obeah, "Local Colour," and the (Anglo)Caribbean Short Story

TURNER, CARLTON
Rhythm, worship and war(rior): colonial myth and the theological methodology of Junkanoo

GOSSE, DAVE
Marcus Garvey's Black Theology and its Impact on the UNIA

Music and Performance

Chair: Gemma Robinson

SANATAN, AMILCAR
Capitalism, Corporations, and Gender Ideologies in Soca Fetes

DURKIN, HANNAH
Pearl Primus, Trinidadian Dance and U.S. Cold War Culture

ETHERINGTON, BEN
On Scanning Louise Bennett Seriously

GIBBS, BETH
The Influence of Cuban Music on Genres of the Hispanic Caribbean

Friday 4th July, 2.00-4.00

Cultural In/Securities

Chair: Pat Noxolo

ADEWOLE, 'FUNMI
Addressing socio-cultural and artistic insecurities: Irie! dance theatre’s theatrical productions and education programmes

MAINS, SUSAN
Archipelagic Anxieties: Familiarity and Borders in the Context of Caribbean Security

PATTEN, 'H'
Dancehall and its sartorial and social insecurities

SALT, KAREN
Haiti, Credit and Culture at the World’s Fair of 1893

**Memory and Commemoration**

**Chair:** TBC

SMITH, KARINA
No Maps or Flags: Curating Callaloo: the Caribbean Mix in Victoria exhibition at Melbourne Immigration Museum

VIALA, FABIENNE
Memory and Reparations in the Caribbean Archipelagos: From Competing Memory to Multidirectional Memory

HOWARD, David
Caribbean topographies: creating durable memories of nation in Jamaica and Martinique

HOERMANN, RAPHAEL
"Break up those accursed big plantations": The Continuation of Unfree Labour in Plays about the Haitian Revolution

**Utopian/Dystopian Visions**

**Chair:** TBC

ALONSO ALONSO, MARIA
Diasporic Marvelous Realism in Transcultural Caribbean Fiction

FUMAGALLI, MARIA CRISTINA
‘Borderland Utopia: Hispaniola before the 1937 massacre’

ROBINSON, GEMMA
Revisiting "Atlantic Fire" in Martin Carter, Wilson Harris and Aubrey Williams

SANSAVIOR, Eva
‘Mapping New Worlds: The Essay as a Utopian Space of Encounters from Montaigne to Condé’