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## ***Rethinking integration.***

# ***New perspectives on adaptation and settlement in the era of superdiversity***

IRiS and SAST Conference

University of Birmingham, Edgbaston Campus, Muirhead Tower, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor (East)

2 July 2015

Time	Programme	Venue
8.00-onward	Registration & Coffee	
9.00-9.15	Welcome Professor Jenny Phillimore, Director of Institute for Research into Superdiversity, University of Birmingham, UK	417
9.15-10.45	Plenary session <b>Keynote speakers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Professor Louise Ryan, Middlesex University London, UK <i>Negotiating Belonging and Attachments: Polish migrants in London and processes of embedding over time</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Alison Strang, Queen Margaret University, UK <i>'Mobility or stability: Must we choose?'</i></li> </ul> Chair: Dr Nando Sigona, University of Birmingham, UK	417
10.45-11.00	Coffee break	
11.00-12.30	Parallel sessions	
	<b>Integration, locality and the city</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Dr Susanne Wessendorf, University of Birmingham, UK, <i>Pathways of settlement among recent migrants in a superdiverse context</i></li> <li>▪ Franz Buhr, University of Lisbon, Portugal, <i>Becoming local: the skilled work of migrant spatial integration</i></li> <li>▪ Farjana Islam, Heriot-Watt University, UK, <i>Right to the city approach to promote social inclusion of ethnic residents in East London</i></li> </ul> Chair: Professor Angela Creese, University of Birmingham, UK	417

	<p><b>Social capital, social networks and life courses</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Dr Laurence Lessard-Phillips, University of Manchester, UK, <i>The dimensionality of immigrant adaptation in Britain: an analysis across generational, ethnic, and gender lines</i></li> <li>▪ Phoebe Griffith, Institute for Public Policy Research, UK, <i>Social relations in an age of super diversity</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Demelza Jones, Aston University, UK and Andrew Smith, Diocese of Birmingham, UK, <i>Anglican congregations in the superdiverse city</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Antje Lindenmeyer, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	415
	<p><b>“Integration for all?”</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Dr Angéla Kóczé, Wake Forest University, USA, <i>Where and how to integrate Roma?: academic and policy discourses on the integration of Roma in the era of superdiversity</i></li> <li>▪ Wajihah Hamid, National University of Singapore, Singapore <i>Integration for all? An exploration of low-waged South Asian workers in Singapore.</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Sheba Saeed, University of Birmingham, UK, <i>Begging activities in Northern Europe: an exploration of migrant rights to social welfare</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Lisa Goodson, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	420
12.30-13.10	Lunch	
13.10-13.50	<p>Dr Aleksandra Kazłowska, <i>Social anchoring: connecting identity, security and integration</i>, University of Birmingham, UK</p> <p>Chair: Professor Jenny Phillimore, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	417
13.50-15.20	Parallel sessions	
	<p><b>Integration policies and civic society</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Lucia Jardon Martinez, University of Zurich, Switzerland, <i>Diffusion of Immigrant Integration Policies in Switzerland</i></li> <li>▪ Richard Stanton, Migrationwork CIC, England and Simona Mattia, Enda Europe, France, <i>Migrant self-organisation and the response to neo-liberalism: ‘fracturing society’ or reclaiming universal values?</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Stephen Larin, European Academy of Bolzano, Italy, <i>Is it really about values? Civic nationalism and immigrant integration</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Lisa Goodson, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	417
	<p><b>Crisis, conflict and (dis)integration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Eefje Vloeberghs, Vrije Universiteit, Belgium, <i>Citizenship and praising conflict in neighbourhoods of arrival</i></li> <li>▪ Tina Magazzini, University of Deusto, Spain &amp; Amandine Desille, University of Poitiers, France and University of Tel Aviv, Israel <i>Integration narratives in times of crisis: an assessment of how the (Spanish) Basque Country and Israel cope with the principle of solidarity</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Lucy Williams, University of Kent, UK, <i>Integrate/Dis-integrate: The effect of immigration control on Integration and citizenship in the UK</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Susanne Wessendorf, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	415

	<p><b>Integration, transnationalism and globalisation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Dr Dogus Simsek, Koc University, Turkey, <i>The limits of ‘transnationalism’: the construction of social space among Syrian refugees in Aksaray district, Istanbul</i></li> <li>▪ Renata Reynaldo, Federal University of Santa Catarina, Brazil, <i>The challenges to transnational feminist movements in a superdiverse global scenario</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Lauren Wagner, Wageningen University, The Netherlands, <i>Flirting diasporically: visits “home” facilitating diasporic encounters and superdiverse communities</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Nando Sigona, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	420
15.20-15.40	Coffee break	
15.40-17.10	Parallel sessions	
	<p><b>Legal status, socio-legal settings and integration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Dr Fran Meissner, European University Institute, Italy, <i>Legal status diversity and adaptations of diversity</i></li> <li>▪ Ceri Butler, UCL, UK, <i>The integration of refugee doctors in the UK</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Katarzyna Gmaj, Lazarski University, Poland &amp; Iwona Babiak, University of Social Science and Humanities, Poland, <i>Namaste Poland. Indian immigrants to Poland</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Susanne Wessendorf, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	417
	<p><b>Culture, community and integration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Dr Sam Yu Wai Kam, Hong Kong Baptist University, China and Dr Ruby C M CHAU, University of Sheffield, UK, <i>Superdiversity and cultural sensitivity: multiple approaches to meeting the diverse health preferences of Chinese people in Britain</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Annavittoria Sarli and Dr Rosangela Lodigiani, the Catholic University of the Sacred Heart, Italy, <i>Migrants' competence recognition systems</i></li> <li>▪ Katherine Swinney, University of Sheffield, UK, <i>Community networks in a superdiverse ward</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Caroline Tagg, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	415
	<p><b>Belonging, emotional support and integration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Kye Askins, University of Glasgow, UK, <i>Emotional citizenry: everyday geographies of befriending, belonging and intercultural encounter</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Ruth Marsden, Red Cross, UK, <i>A family lens on integration: refugee families being reunited in Glasgow</i></li> <li>▪ Anita Brzozowska, University of Warsaw, Poland, <i>Integration and identity. The case of repatriates from the former USSR in Poland</i></li> <li>▪ Dr Silvia Cavasola, Luiss University, Italy, <i>The relationship between citizenship and belonging An empirical study on TCNs in Italy</i></li> </ul> <p>Chair: Dr Aleksandra Kazłowska, University of Birmingham, UK</p>	420
17.10-17.30	Coffee	

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