



Refugee Studies 20th Anniversary University of East London

Wednesday 21st June, 2017

UEL Campus in University Stratford Square, room USG.19

2pm: **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

Tea and coffee will be served from 1.30pm.

2.15pm to 3pm: **MA Refugee Studies-20 Years on: Panel and Discussion**

Panel reflects on how the Programme has grown over the last two decades.

3pm to 3.45pm **Educating Without Borders**

Exploring the groundbreaking work undertaken by UEL offering access to University education to refugees and asylum seekers in the former Calais Jungle and in the UK through the Open Learning Initiative (OLive) course.

3.45pm to 4.15pm – **Break & networking sessions**

Tea and coffee will be served.

4.15pm to 5pm: **“Voices from the Jungle: Stories from the Calais Refugee Camp”**

Extracts of “Voices” will be read during this session combined with a wider discussion on refugee narratives.

5pm to 5.45pm: **Where do we go from here? Research, Teaching and Practice**

Shaping the future with and for refugees. Alumni working in the sector, staff, refugees and students in conversation. Exploring best practices in responding to refugee issues and what lessons can be learnt in helping to improve current studies, advocacy and practice.

5.45pm to 6pm: **Building Bridges via Arts, Culture and Solidarity**

Introduction to the Exhibitions, Civic Engagement projects and further discussion opportunities awaiting your investigation in the foyer outside.

6pm Onwards **Reception**

Please feel free to bring any literature to share and discuss during the break and reception.

Register your place(s) via Eventbrite: https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/uel-refugee-studies-20th-anniversary-event-for-refugee-week-2017-tickets-34315039206?utm_term=eventurl_text

Read more about:

[MA Refugee Studies](#)

[MA Conflict, Displacement and Human Security](#)

[Refugee Council Archive](#)

[OLive](#)

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