

“Name of a Discipline” international online conference

The conference will take place online. If you wish to receive a link to attend the event, please register by noon (Paris time) on Wednesday 27 January 2021 at:
nameofadiscipline@gmail.com

28 January, 2021

From 8:30: Connection to virtual conference room

8:45: Conference opening

9:00 – 10:30

Panel 1: Labels

Chair: Claire OMHOVERE (Montpellier 3-Paul Valéry)

Marilyne BRUN (Université de Lorraine)

“Whose labels? Favouring Agency over Conceptual Dependence”

Jaine CHEMMACHERY (Sorbonne Université)

“What’s in a name? : Commonwealth literature, études postcoloniales et ce que décoloniser veut dire”

Sneharika ROY (The American University of Paris)

“In the Name of the Father: Edward Said’s Foundational Status in Postcolonial Studies”

Break

11:00 – 12:30

Panel 2: World Literature(s)

Chair: Sandrine SOUKAÏ (Université Gustave Eiffel)

Dominic DAVIES (University of London, UK)

“The Weight of World Literature: Notes Toward Terrestrial Reading”

Rashi ROHATGI (Nord University, Norway)

“World Literature: An Inclusive Comparative Literature for Newly-Included Students”

Spencer W SHIN (independent scholar)

“Mimicry and the Subaltern: The Dialectic of Humanism and Hegemony in Post-Independence Indian Shakespeare”

12:30 – 1:30 Break

1:30 – 2:30

Keynote

Chair: Alexis TADIÉ (Sorbonne Université)

Ari GAUTIER, writer (Pondicherry / Oslo) and Professor Ananya Jahanara KABIR (King’s College, London)

“Creolising ‘Commonwealth’: Multilingual Pasts and the Postcolonial Present”

Break

3:00-4:30

Panel 3: Shifting Scales

Chair: Karin FISCHER (Université d'Orléans)

Sandrine SOUKAÏ (Université Gustave Eiffel)

“Regional and Diasporic Mapping of the Postcolonial Field: From an Indian Postcolonial toward a Caribbean Postcolonial”

Manon BOUKHROUFA TRIJAUD (Sorbonne Université)

« Changer d'échelle, partir d'un genre »

P.J. BLOUNT (University of Luxembourg, Luxembourg)

“Postcolonial Nomos”

Break

5:00-7:00

Roundtable 1: Decolonising the curriculum and pedagogies

Moderator: Alexandra POULAIN (Sorbonne Nouvelle)

Sandeep BAKSHI (Université de Paris), Claire GALLIEN (Montpellier 3-Paul Valéry), Jaine CHEMMACHERY (Sorbonne Université), Fiona McCANN (Lille-IUF)

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8-30-10

Roundtable 2: Journals

Moderator: Claire GALLIEN (Montpellier 3-Paul Valéry)

Janet WILSON (*Journal of Postcolonial Writing* / University of Northampton, UK)

Chris RINGROSE (*Journal of Postcolonial Writing* / Monash University)

Anastasia VALASSOPOULOS (*Journal of Postcolonial Writing* / Manchester University)

Christine LORRE-JOHNSTON (*Commonwealth Essays and Studies* / Sorbonne Nouvelle)

Claire OMHOVÈRE (*Commonwealth Essays and Studies* / Montpellier 3-Paul Valéry)

Break

10:30-11:30

Keynote

Chair: Vanessa Guignery (Ecole Normale Supérieure, Lyon)

Pr. Priyamvada GOPAL, University of Cambridge, UK

11:30 – 1:00

Roundtable 3: Social Sciences and History

Moderator: Deirdre Gilfedder (Paris-Dauphine)

Grégory ALBISSON (Grenoble Alpes), Sophie CROISY (UVSQ), Simon DESCHAMPS (Toulouse-Jean Jaurès), Paul HUSBANDS (historian, Waitangi Tribunal, Wellington, New Zealand), Myriam YACOUBI (Toulouse-Jean Jaurès)

1:00-2:00 Break

2:00-3:30

Panel 5: Knowledge Formation

Chair: Cédric COURTOIS (Lille)

Deepa JANI (SUNY Old Westbury, USA)

“Tsitsi Dangarembga’s Nervous Conditions, Fanon, and the *Bildung* of the ‘Native Woman’”

Soiduate OGOYE-ATANGA (The University of Port Harcourt, Nigeria)

“Decolonizing the Cultural Object in an Age of Postcolonial Knowledge Formation”

Ishita ROY (University of Kalyani, India)

“Where is the Dalit? – A Caste Subaltern Critique of the ‘Post-Colonial’”

Break

4:00–6:00

Panel 4: Lines of Oppression

Chair: Marine BELLEGO (Université de Paris)

Anna RINDFLEISCH (King’s College, London, UK)

“The Insidiousness of Gentrification: Reconsidering Attempted Urban-Culture Erasure as a Modern Colonialism”

Swati SIMHA (Jawaharlal Nehru University, Delhi, India)

“Caste and Challenges to ‘Postcolony’ in Karnataka”

Nida SAJID (University of Minnesota, USA)

“‘So what of a tongue beyond English?’: (Post)colonial Theory and the Poetics of Transnational Justice”

6:00-7:00

Closing Debate & Drinks: Re-Naming a Discipline