

Border Stories: From there to here

How innovative research into personal experiences can help the EU address Intra EU mobility and Third Country Migration.

London House, Brussels
3 February 2016

Programme

09.00- 9.20 - *Registration*

09.20-09.30 - *Welcome and Introduction*

How can we use what we have learned from past and current migrations to craft effective but fair social policy to better manage the current process of migration and ease integration for both the migrant population and their host countries?

09.30-10.30 - **Panel 1: From there- Understanding the journey of migrants**

Professor Ravinder Barn, Centre for Criminology and Sociology Royal Holloway, University of London; **Professor Ann Phoenix**, Thomas Coram Research Unit, UCL Institute of Education University of London, A representative from DG Migration and Home Affairs, European Commission (TBC).

10.30-11.00 - *Break*

11.00-12.30 - **Panel 2: To here - Successfully integrating migrants into EU societies.**

Ana Feder, EUROCITIES; **Yuri Borgmann-Prebil**, Policy Officer, 'Reflective Societies', DG Research & Innovation; **Thomas Huddleston**, Migration Policy Group; **Professor Nira Yuval-Davis**, University of East London; **Professor Sally Mackey**, Royal Central School of Speech & Drama.

12.30-13.00 – *Plenary Discussion.*

13.00-14.00 -Lunch

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Migration - Towards Collaborative Research

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DELEGATES' WORKSHOP

1. Aim of this workshop

Michael Reynier. The aim of this session is to:

- a) To learn about potential sources of funding
- b) To discover areas of comparative expertise among the LHE membership
- c) To discuss potential collaborative projects
- d) To agree any supporting actions

(14.05 - 14.10 hrs)

2. Funding for Migration Studies

Colleagues from LHE. An brief guide to European and UK sources of funding, highlighting in particular: i) how to find out about, and monitor, funding calls;

(14.10 - 14.25 hrs)

3. Expertise across the Consortium (and beyond)

Ray Wilkinson and Ulla Mattl. i) How to discover comparative research expertise; ii) thoughts on what makes a good research partner.

(14.25 – 14.40 hrs)

4. Group Discussion: towards collaborative research

LHE delegates. An open discussion for members to talk about potential research collaborations. Topics to address might include:

- What funding source is most appropriate for me?
- Who might be my research partners?
- What is missing from my proposal? What support/answers do I need?
- What am I going to do next?
- How can LHE help me?

(14.40 – 15.20 hrs)

5. Next Steps.

A summary of actions and next steps.

(15.20 – 15.30 hrs)