Open University Law School Symposium

Belonging
Dominance, Governance, Identity, Memory

The Open University, Library Presentation Room (Ground Floor)

Day 1 – Wednesday 18th April 2018

Programme

0930-1030   Registration
1030-1100   Welcome – Paul Catley, Head of The Open University Law School
1100-1230   Panel I - Public Performance of Belonging
Panel Chair: Simon Lavis, The Open University Law School

1.  Arenas of performance: Belonging as a radical act
Tim Butcher

2.  “Shame on you for being ashamed!” Feelings as reasons for and instruments of exclusion from the polity
Lisa S. Villadsen

3.  Anzac Day, elasticity, and the enactment of ‘unbelonging’
Matt Howard

1230-1330   Lunch

1330-1500   Panel II - Constructing Citizenship and National Identity
Panel Chair: Keren Lloyd Bright, The Open University Law School

1.  The Unbearable Lightness of Being Swedish? Naturalization and Integration in a Liberal Citizenship Regime
Christian Fernandez

2.  Exclusion and belonging in the Georgian Period
Amanda Goodrich

Dimitris Christopoulos

1500-1600   **Panel III – Reflections on Belonging**

Panel Chair: Simon Lavis, The Open University Law School

1.  *A Reflection on reading English Belonging*

Leslie Budd

2.  *Belonging by the Book & Images of Belonging*

Simon Lee

1600-1630   **Coffee Break**

1630-1800   **Panel IV - Communities of Belonging: Politics, Ideology, Exclusion**

Panel Chair: Matt Howard, The Open University Law School

1.  *Class, change and community: the politics of belonging*

Harriet Bradley

2.  *Hitler’s ‘National Community’: Inclusion and Exclusion, Germany 1933-1945*

Lisa Pine

3.  *The Role of Law in the Construction of Belonging in Nazi Germany*

Simon Lavis

1845 – Transport to *The Wavendon Arms* (pick up at The Open University and Hilton Hotel)

1915 – Dinner
Day 2 – Thursday 19th April 2018

0900-0930    Registration and Coffee

0930-1100    Panel V - Religion, Faith and Belonging
Panel Chair: Carol Howells, The Open University Law School

1.  *Accommodation of Religion in the Public Sphere*
Hugh Mcfaul

2.  *Citizenship, Religion, Gender and the Politics of Belonging: A Case Study of White, Middle-Class Christian Men in the East Midlands, United Kingdom*
Line Nyhagen

3.  *Tradition: a tool for fostering a sense of belonging*
Jessica Giles

1100-1115    Coffee

1115-1215    Panel VI - Contesting Narratives of Belonging
Panel Chair: Jessica Giles, The Open University Law School

1.  *Does Coercion Change our Sense of Agency?*
Lisa Claydon

2.  *Belonging in a Post-national World*
Marjan Ajevski

1215-1300    Lunch

1300-1430    Panel VII - Belonging, Migrants and Migration
Panel Chair: Marjan Ajevski, The Open University Law School

1.  *Belonging on the battlefield, exclusion from the nation?*
Sara de Jong

2.  *Neighbourhood watch: The institutionalisation of exclusion in the public sphere through the Immigration Act 2014 and the Immigration Act 2016*
Neil Graffin

3.  *“I belong here”: on the personal, the political and the scales of belonging in the age of migration*
Marco Antonsich
1430-1600  Panel VIII - Belonging, Nationalism, Integration

Panel Chair: Hugh Mcfaul, The Open University Law School

1.  Are well all like Denmark now? The Nordic welfare state and convergence on nationalism and refugees
   Clara Sandelind

2.  Belonging: cultural property and national identity
   Keren Lloyd Bright

3.  Devolution: a new sense of belonging?
   Carol Howells and Edwin Parks

1600-1615  Coffee

1615-1700  Future Plans and Close