



Language and Onward Migration: Bridging Applied Linguistics with Migration Studies

A BAAL/CUP Seminar

13–14 February 2024

University of Westminster – Cavendish Campus

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Programme

DAY 1: 13 February 2024, room C1.03		
09:30	Registration	
10:15 - 10:30	Welcome from the seminar organisers and the BAAL Executive Committee	
10:30 - 11:30	Rosina Márquez Reiter and Catherine McIlwaine in conversation Chair: Adriana Patiño-Santos	
11:30 – 12:30	Chair: Peter Browning Rexhina Ndoci and Petros Karatsareas <i>Trajectories of vulnerability: situating Albanian onward migration in the</i> <i>UK</i> Marianna Patrick <i>Narratives of serial migration: constructing identities and places</i>	
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch break	
13:30 – 15:00	Chair: Petros Karatsareas Francesco Della Puppa and Valeria Tonioli Rethinking strategies to promote the education, and the linguistic and the social inclusion of children living in transnational and migrant families: the case of Bangladeshis in Italy	

	Vally Lytra, Giulia Pepe, and Yara Evans
	Problematising language as ethnonational identity marker in onward
	migrant narratives of citizenship and belonging
	Becky Wistanley "The new people just come straight away and ask you questions in Bengali": reciprocal sociolinguistic experiences of onward Bangladeshi migration in east London
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee break
45 00 40 00	Prue Holmes and Manolis Pratsinakis in conversation
15:30 - 16:30	Chair: Vally Lytra
16:30 - 17:00	Coffee break
17:30 – 18:30	Chair: Giulia Pepe
	Peter Browning and Adriana Patiño-Santos
	"Who are you laughing at?": laughter and reflexivity in onward migrants'
	narratives of linguistic challenge, discrimination and ethnicization
	Domiziana Turcatti
	"¡Los niños se cansan!": the vital yet contested language brokering
	practices of onward migrant youths of Colombian descent in London
18:30 - 19:30	Wine reception

DAY 2: 14 February 2024, room C1.04		
09:30 - 10:30	Methodology workshop led by Prue Holmes Researching in multilingual environments of onward migration: Negotiating positions of linguistic power Chair: Vally Lytra	
10:30 – 12:00	Chair: Petros Karatsareas May Rostom Arabic acquisition and use during irregular mobilities from West Africa northwards Lavanya Sankaran Sri Lankan Tamil onward migration to the UK and its influence on language socialisation and communicative practices in the diaspora	

	Clara Holzinger, Anna-Katharina Draxl, and Elisabeth Scheibelhofer
	How highly qualified migrants from CEE-countries experience the
	importance of language skills on the labour market
12:00 - 13:00	Lunch break
	Chair: Rexhina Ndoci
13:00 – 14:00	Ildegrada da Costa Cabral
	"Documentos português mas ha'u Maubere to'o mate" (I have
	Portuguese documents but I'm East Timorese until I die): an
	ethnographic study of multilingual hip hop practices and construction of
	identities in different time-spaces
	Katie Wright Early childhood education and care for Syrian refugees in Lebanon: exploring language equity via an intersectional human wellbeing approach
14:00 - 14:30	Coffee break
14:30 – 15:30	Methodology workshop led by Manolis Pratsinakis
	Mixed methods and sampling techniques in the study of language and
	onward migration
	Chair: Adriana Patiño-Santos
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 - 17:00	Collaborative ways forward
18:00	Close