



## **Global Racisms Conference, Friday October 5<sup>th</sup> Great Woodhouse Room, University House, University of Leeds**

‘There is no region, no continent and no ideology that has automatically insulated itself from racism’, (January-Bardill 2005). The Centre for Ethnicity and Racism Studies is holding this Conference in order to stimulate debate about the increasing racialisation of the world. The systematic geo-mapping of the racialisation of the planet has not been achieved although we do have increasing theory and evidence which leads us towards this goal. We have a patchy, uneven set of accounts across localities, nations and regions which highlight both the interconnectedness and the variation in forms of racist discourse and in the logics of racial regimes. This conference aims to explore these processes and patterns and work towards a deeper and more coherent understanding of the complexity of global racisms.

### **Programme**

9.30 Coffee

10.00 Welcome and introduction Professor Ian Law (Director of CERS)

10.15-11.15 **Global Expressions of Racism and Responsive Mobilisations I**

□ ‘Afro-Descent Politics in Brazil’ Patricia de Santana Pinho, University of Albany

11.15-11.30 Refreshments

11.30-1.30 **Debating World Racisms I**

□ ‘Globalisation and Racialisation’ Gargi Bhattacharya, Centre for Research in Social and Political Sciences, University of Aston

□ ‘Racism in the World, theoretical axes’ Howard Winant, Centre for New Racial Studies, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA

1.30-2.30 Lunch

2.30-4.00 **Global Expressions of Racism and Responsive Mobilisations II**

□ ‘Global Anti-Semitism’ Paul Iganski, University of Lancaster

□ ‘The Measure of Islamophobia’ Salman Sayyid, Centre for Muslim and non-Muslim Understanding, University of South Australia

4.00-4.15 Refreshments

4.15-5.45 **Debating World Racisms II**

□ ‘The Roma and Racialisation in Europe’ Julia Szalai, Centre for Policy Studies, University of Budapest, Hungary

□ ‘Racism in Communist and Post-Communist Contexts’ Ian Law, Centre for Ethnicity and Racism Studies, University of Leeds

5.45-7.00 Reception

**Cost: £100 (waged), £30 students**

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