

**Alien Nations: Identity and Empires in Global History**

**Scarman, University of Warwick**

**Programme**  
**Friday 14 March**

**Registration**  
9.30am-10.30am

**Welcome and introductions**  
10.30am-10.45am

**Panel 1**  
10.45am-12.45pm  
*Contested Spaces in the Nineteenth Century*

David Anderson (University of Warwick)  
Loyalist Delhi 1857?

Jacob Wiebel (University of Oxford)  
Regional and Imperial Loyalties in the Emerging Ethiopian Empire

Natalia Sobrevilla-Perea (University of Kent)  
Fighting for the 'Fatherland' in the Andes 1808-1815

**Lunch**  
12.45-2.00

**Panel 2**  
2.00-3.15  
*Migrants in the British World*

Will Jackson (University of Leeds)  
Poor Whites, Failed Whites, Nativised Whites: Deviance and Distress in the British World

Donald MacRaild (University of Ulster)  
Class and Ethnic Conflict in the English Immigrant Experiences of 19<sup>th</sup> Century America

**Refreshments**  
3.15-3.45

**Panel 3**  
3.45-5.45pm  
*Between Nation, Empire and the Globe*

Yasmin Khan (University of Oxford)  
A Global War in Imperial India, 1939-45

William Arthur (University of Oxford)  
At the Borders of Empire: The British Indian Army and the Re-Colonisation of Malaya and Singapore, 1945-6

Christian Hess (Sophia University)  
City Between Empire and Nation: Local Experiences of Decolonization in Postwar Dairen, 1945-1955

**Saturday 15 March**

**Panel 4**

9.00am-10.15am

*Migrants and Settlers*

Isa Blumi (Georgia State University)

Transitional Migrants: The Global Ottoman Refugee and Colonial Terror

Jennifer Sessions (University of Iowa)

Spoilator or Arabophile? An Algerian Settler between Metropole and Colony

**Refreshments**

10.15am-10.30am

**Panel 5**

10.30am-1.00pm

*Borders and Boundaries*

William Bramwell (University of Warwick)

When East Met West: The politics of belonging in a partitioned Pondoland, South Africa, c.1878.

Robert Fletcher (University of Exeter)

Of Nomads and Nationality: the Iraq-Najd borderland, 1914-1930.

Alexander Morrison (Nazarbayev University)

Imperial and Religious Loyalties on the Syr-Darya Line, 1847-1865

Leena Dallasheh (New York University)

Negotiating Exclusion: Drawing the Line of Citizenship in Colonial Transition in Palestine

**Lunch**

1.00pm-2.30pm

**Panel 6**

2.30pm-4.45pm

*Identities and Imagining the World after Empire*

Daniel Branch (University of Warwick)

Empire and Global Lives: Loyalty and British Imperialism in the 20<sup>th</sup> century

Lori Watt (Washington University in St Louis)

Inclusions and Exclusions at the End of the Japanese Empire

Jason Parker (Texas A&M University)

*E Pluribus Nihil*: Layered Identity and the Failure of Federation from East Indies to West

Gerard McCann (University of York)

Paths not Taken?: Rajat Neogy, *Transition Magazine* and the Future in Decolonizing East Africa, 1961-68

4.45

**Concluding remarks**

5.00

**Departures**