

The Ethnography Circle

Understanding the Ethnographic Journey

4th Meeting Thursday 24th February 3:00-4:30pm



Seminar with Jo Setchell, Durham University on Observing primate behaviour

Primatologists observe primate behaviour under various conditions, ranging from the laboratory to the wild. I will describe why and where we observe primates, how we get close to them, how we record their behaviour systematically, how we analyse our data, and how we interpret our findings. I'll present this from an 'objective' natural science point-of-view, which attempts to reduce bias, but of course no science is truly objective, and I'll also discuss the broader context to data collection and interpretation, as well as how close we should get to primates.









Prof Jo Setchell has 25 years of experience studying primate behavioural ecology. Most of her work has focussed on mandrills, the largest and most colourful monkeys in the world. She collaborates with Save Gabon's Primates to promote the conservation and welfare of primates in Gabon. Her book 'Studying Primates' has been described as indispensable.

Admission is free and open to students from other institutions Location Change: Seminar will be hybrid, the in person component will be held at the Warwick Business School, Room 1.001 University of Warwick. The online link will be shared with registered participants

For information and to register please contact: ethnography@wbs.ac.uk



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