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**Progress, Change and Development: Past, Present and Future**

***Progrès et développement : hier, aujourd’hui et demain***

4-6 June 2015, University of Portsmouth

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| **Thursday 4 June**  |  |
| 10.00 – 11.00 | **Registration with tea, coffee** |
| 11.00 – 11.30 | **Opening & Introduction*** **Ann Matear**, Head of the School of Languages and Area Studies, University of Portsmouth
* **Tony Chafer**, Director of the Centre for European and International Studies Research, University of Portsmouth
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| 11.30 – 13.00 | **1. Progress, Change and Modernity*** **Margaret Majumdar** (Portsmouth), ‘Progress, change and development’
* **Samir Amin** (Third World Forum),Title to be confirmed
* **Luis Martinez Andrade** (EHESS), ‘La théologie de la libération : critique de la modernité’
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| 13.00- 14.00 | **Lunch** |
| 14.00 – 15.30 | **2. Colonial Legacies, Progress and Development in Africa:** * **Anna Bocking-Welch** (Liverpool), ‘Set free the hungry half’: Britain, NGOs and the transfer of power in Africa’
* **Charlotte Lydia Riley** (York), ‘A Study in Frustration? British Overseas Aid and Development in the 1960s and Beyond’
* **Joanna Warson** (Portsmouth), ‘France and the development of Anglophone Africa’
 | **3. Alternatives and Disillusion*** **Sharif Gemie** (South Wales), ‘Cross-Cultural Communication and the Hippy Trail, 1957-1978
* **Hemlata Giri** (Paris 3) ‘La décennie de déception (années 60-70) : un paradis perdu chez Houellebecq’
* **Francesco Caddeo** (Jean Moulin Lyon), ‘Se débarrasser de l’identité à l’époque de la résurgence des particularismes’
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| 15.30 – 16.00 | **Tea** |
| 16.00 – 17.30 | **4. Revolutionary & Progressive Movements: International Perspectives*** **Clive Webb** (Sussex), ‘‘We are all one’: The Civil Rights Movement and Global Grassroots Activism’
* **Chris Reynolds** (Nottingham Trent), ‘Northern Ireland’s 1968 in a post-troubles context’
* **Manus McGrogan** (Portsmouth), ‘International impact of the Carnation Revolution 1974-75: radical conceptualisations, then and now’
 | **5. Modernity and Culture** * **Valentina Vardabasso** (UMR IRICE), ‘La stratégie de communication de la Société des Nations: Radio Nation Unies’
* **Patricia Reynaud** (Georgetown, Qatar), ‘Le néolibéralisme dans le miroir cinématographique du réalisme social’
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| 18.30 | **Barbecue dinner, Rees Hall**  |
| **Friday 5 June** |  |
| 9.30 – 11.00 | **6. Revolutionary & Progressive Movements: The Case of France***(sponsored by the Society for the Study of French History)** **Jacques Sauvageot** (École des Beaux-Arts de Rennes), ‘Pour un réformisme révolutionnaire’
* **Andrew Smith** (UCL), ‘The Summer of ’61: Periphery Challenges to the French State and Early Resistance to Globalization’
* **Brian Sudlow** (Aston), ‘The Hopelessness of Progressive Hope: Revisiting *Réflexions pour 1985*’
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| 11.00 - 11.30 | **Coffee** |
| 11.30 – 13.00  | **7. Progress and Political Economic Development*** **Ilias Alami** (Manchester)**,** ‘Post-crisis Capital Controls in Developing Countries: regaining Policy Space?’
* **Vincent Duchaussoy** (Rouen), ‘The Franc Zone in West Africa: a successful delayed decolonisation?’
* **Ralph Wilde** (UCL), ‘Dilemmas in promoting global economic justice through law. A case study of the ‘Maastricht Principles on the Extraterritorial Obligations of States in the Area of Economic, Social and Cultural Rights’ and their associated Commentary’
 | **8. Migration and Diasporic Space** * **Alexandre Faure** (EHESS), ‘La territorialisation des luttes marquent-elles l’abandon de l’universalisme. Le cas de la construction de Plaine Commune’
* **Louisa Zanoun** (Génériques) **& Daniel Gordon** (Edge Hill), ‘Changing Memory, Changing Society? Immigration Public History in France’
* **Ed Naylor** (Portsmouth), ‘The 1975 ‘Arenc Affair’ and the legal turn in pro-immigrant activism in France’
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| 13.00 – 14.00 | **Lunch** |
| 14.00 – 15.30 | **9. Progress and Colonial Relations I*** **Ryo Ikeda** (Kansai Gaidai), Tunisian Internal Autonomy in 1954 and the Dissolution of the French Empire
* **Laetitia Boqui-Queni** (Sorbonne),‘Exploitation et domination coloniale contemporaine à la Réunion’
* **Catherine O’Connell** (Macquarie, Sydney, Australia), ‘Reading Between the Lines: Identity Issues in Kanak Narratives’
 | **10. Progress and Development*** **Yves Montenay** (ICEG), ‘Que reste-t-il de la théorie du pillage du Sud’
* **Oluwatosin S. Orimolade** (Adekunle Ajasin), ‘Re-contextualizing the Discourse on Capitalist Development in Nigeria through the Prism of Uneven and Combined Development’
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| 15.30 – 16.00 | **Tea** |
| 16.00 – 17.30 | **11. National Liberation and Nation-Building: Frantz Fanon*** **Azzedine Haddour** (UCL), ‘Fanon, the *Lumpenproletariat* and Decolonization’
* **Alice Cherki** (Psychoanalyst), ‘Les conséquences des silences de l’histoire coloniale sur les jeunes descendants d’anciens colonisés. Actualité de la pensée de Fanon’
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| 18.00 – 19.00 | **Reception and dinner** |
| 19.00 – 21.00 | **Film screening**: ‘Concerning Violence’ (2014, dir. Goran Olsson) <http://www.imdb.com/title/tt3263690/> Introduced by **Olivia Rutazibwa** (Portsmouth) and followed by a panel discussion |
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| **Saturday 6 June** |  |
| 9.30 – 11.00 | **12. Progress and Colonial Relations II** * **Helen Lackner** (Independent Civic & Social Organisation Professional), ‘The People’s Democratic Republic of Yemen : Revolution, Social Change and Development in a Tribal and Fragmented Society’
* **Courtnay Micots** (Wits Art Museum), ‘Visualizing Nation-Building in African Colonial Architecture in Coastal Ghana’

**Brice Fossard** (Paris I)**,** ‘Sports, youth movements and the liberation of Indochina (1940-1945)’ | **13. Progress and Gender*** **Vera Akhmatova** (EHESS), ‘Motherland, Identity, Politization – MSM in Contemporary Russia’
* **Elisabeth Vasileva** (Loughborough), ‘To Affinity and Beyond. Postanarchism and Radical Ethics’
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| 11.00 - 11.30 | **Coffee** |
| 11.30 – 13.00  | **14. National Liberation and Nation-Building: Algeria in the 1960s** *(sponsored by the Association for the Study of Modern and Contemporary France)*Discussant: **Natalya Vince** (Portsmouth)* **Catherine Lévy** (CNRS), ‘Algérie : libération nationale et construction de la nation, 1962-1965’
* **Beïda Chikhi** (Paris-Sorbonne), ‘Algérie: la postindépendance, l’effervescence cosmopolite, et la littérature’
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| 13.00 – 14.00 | **Lunch** |
| **Close of conference proceedings** |