The sea in the 20th-21st centuries and the "forbidden migrations"

Programme
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November 28

9:00 – Registration

9:30 – 10:30 – Keynote Speaker: Irial Glynn (Institute for History, Leiden University)
- Thinking through oceans and comparing boat refugees across time and space

10:30-10:45 – Break

10:45-12:35 - The sea and migrations in political discourse
Harini Sivalingam (York University) - Waves of Fear: Navigating the Experiences of Maritime Forced Migrants
Bruno Madeira (CITCEM/FLUP) - O mar como devir e obsessão no discurso das Direitas radicais portuguesas (1974-1985)
Graziele Frederico (Università degli Studi di Milano) - Por uma gramática que nos permita ler como nostrum o Mediterrâneo
Sara Hussein (American University in Cairo) - Cross-Mediterranean Egyptian Migrants: A Discursive Analysis

14:30-16:00 - Securitization at the border: Surveillance and Rescue (I)
Celia Miralles Buil (CIUHCT/Universidade de Lisboa) - The sanitary control of migrants in Lisbon’s Port (1901-1947)
Iain Johnston-White (University of Roehampton) - Enforcing a Hostile Environment: The Police and Lascar Immigration to Britain, 1925-40
Mattea Weihe (German Institute of Global and Area Studies (GIGA)/University of Hamburg) - The Vulnerability of Migrants in Libya in Three Stages: From Historical Roots to Current Developments

16:00-16:15 – Break

16:15 -17:45 - Securitization at the border: Surveillance and Rescue (II)
Rafael Peláez Martín (NOVA/FCSH), Dulce Pimentel (CICS.NOVA/FCSH) e Carlos Ribeiro Medeiros (CIEJD) - Repensar o Mare Nostrum: rotas migratórias contemporâneas e a ação política da UE
Chloe Howe Haralambous (Columbia University) - “Playing Politics on the Backs of Migrants”: The Politics of Sea Rescue in the Central Mediterranean Passage
Michael Gordon (McMaster University) - Boats, Borders and Containment at Sea
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10:30-12:20 - Narratives, life stories and trauma
Adriana Marcolini (LEER/Universidade de São Paulo) - Crossings of Italian emigrants: the narrative accounts of ships Remo and Galileo
Mustapha Nasraoui (Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences/University of Tunis) - Individual traumas and irregular emigration
Gerhild Perl (Institute of Social Anthropology/University of Bern) - One death, multiple losses: Everyday mourning in the aftermath of a shipwreck.

14:30-15:30 - Keynote Speaker: Luigi Achilli (Migration Policy Centre/European University Institute) - Chasing the smuggler: new glimpses into the facilitation of irregular migration across the Mediterranean Sea.

15:30-15:45 – Break

15:45-17:35 - Smuggling, irregular migrations and identity building
Maja Grundler (School of Law, Queen Mary University of London) - A Future Fear of Dangerous Journeys? – The Role of “Trafficked” and “Smuggled” Persons’ Vulnerabilities in Establishing Future Risk under Refugee Law
Björn Siegel (Institute for the History of the German Jews) - The Zionist conquest of the Sea: A strategy of Immigration and Survival, 1933–1948
Firoozeh Kashani-Sabet (University of Pennsylvania) - Cascading Currents: Travel and Turmoil Along the Caspian Sea, 1804-1945
Gerald Maher (University of Limerick) - The Revolution at Sea: The Irish Transatlantic Smuggling Network During the Irish Revolutionary Period, 1912-23