



# Migration & Diversity Centre

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## MDC events

**Tuesday 21 May 2013, Metropolitan building Z009**, [Efe Kerem Sözeri](#) presents his paper on “National connectedness and political identities” with [Liza M. Mügge](#) (UvA) as discussant

**Tuesday 25 June 2013** Feedback forum with legal researcher at the Dutch Supreme Court **Heleen de Jonge van Elmeest** presents “Crimmigration: the convergence of criminal law and immigration policy reflected in the case law of the Dutch Supreme Court” (Discussant: TBA).

### ••• Call for papers

**What:** GLOTHRO Workshop ‘Human rights and the dark side of globalization: Transnational law enforcement and migration control

**When:** 9-10 December 2013

**Where:** Copenhagen, Denmark

**Deadline abstract submission:** Submission of abstracts of max. 500 words by 1 September 2013 to [Thomas Gammeltoft-Hansen](#) and [Jens Vedsted-Hansen](#)

More information & program: [GLOTHRO website](#)

**What:** International conference ‘Gender and migration: Changes and challenges’ organized by Gender Research Centre (GRC) & Gender Studies Program (GRS) at The Chinese University of Hong Kong, co-organized by Women's Studies Centre at Peking University, and Institute for Women's Studies at Keimyung University.

**When:** 9-11 December 2013

**Where:** The Chinese University of Hong Kong, China

**Deadline abstract submission:** 17 June 2013

**More information & abstract submission form:** [Conference website](#)

### ••• Events

**What:** Global Encounters research seminar: ‘(Trans)local ties of Nigerian migrants in Amsterdam Southeast: Social roles and reactions towards deviant behaviour’ by [Medea Schijndel](#) and discussant [Stephen Ellis](#).

**When:** 16 May 2013, 16:00 - 17:30



**Where:** Metropolitan Z009, VU Amsterdam

**More information:** [Website Global Encounters](#)

**What:** 'The UvA a white university? In conversation with Ahmed Marcouch about diversity at the university' (in Dutch).

**When:** Thursday 16 May, 17.00

**Where:** Doelenzaal, University Library UvA

**What:** PhD defense Melanie Eijberts 'Migrant women shout it out aloud: The integration/participation strategies and sense of home of first- and second-generation women of Moroccan and Turkish Descent'.

**When:** Friday 24 May 2013 at 11.45

**Where:** VU Amsterdam

**More information:** [VU Website](#)

**What:** KNAW Academy Colloquium 'Advances in research on social integration and cultural diversity: An interdisciplinary approach' with a special morning session for PhD Candidates.

**When:** 5-7 June 2013

**Where:** KNAW, Kloveniersburgwal 29, Amsterdam

**Information & Registration:** [KNAW website](#)

**What:** IMES Podium Presents 'Good and bad diversity: The crisis of multiculturalism as a crisis of politics' by prof. Alana Lentin (University of Western Sydney).

**When:** 21 June 2013, 15.00-17.00

**Where:** Room BG5 2.13, Oudezijds Achterburgwal 233-237 Amsterdam

**What:** Summer school in European Union Law and Policy on Immigration and Asylum

**When:** 1-12 July 2013

**Where:** Free University of Brussels, Belgium

**More information:** [Here](#)

**What:** Certificate in European Law on Immigration and Asylum

**When:** 6 September 2013 – 11 July 2014

**Where:** The Free University of Brussels

**More information:** [Here](#)

### ••• Conferences

**What:** Conference on '[\(Il\)legitimate differential treatment](#)'

**When:** 27-28 June 2013

**Where:** Maastricht Centre for European Law & Maastricht Centre for Human Rights

**Registration:** Attendance is free, register [here](#)

**What:** Conference '20 Years after the German asylum law reform: Demise or transformation on refugee protection?' Its purpose is to shed light on the history and present of political asylum in Germany and Europe. The speakers will discuss the development of political asylum in Germany, the current state of the politics of asylum in Europe as well as the experiences and situations of refugees.

**When:** 28 June 2013

**Where:** German Historical Museum, Berlin, Auditorium I.M. Pei Building



**More information & complete program:** [Here](#)

**What:** PICUM's Annual International Workshop exploring the housing situation of undocumented migrants in terms of 1) access and protection of rights within the private market, and 2) access to shelter provided by the state.

**When:** Friday 28 June 2013

**Where:** International Auditorium in Brussels, Belgium

**More information:** [Here](#) or e-mail [alex@picum.org](mailto:alex@picum.org)

**What:** [MANCEPT Workshop in Political Theory](#) multiple workshops covering a wide variety of topics, including [non-citizenship](#).

**When:** 4 – 6 September 2013

**Where:** University of Manchester, UK

**Registration:** [Here](#)

**What:** 2013 International Metropolis Conference, a forum for discussing and developing research, policy and practice on migration and integration. The Conference offers a versatile programme in Tampere, Finland from 9<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> of September 2013.

**When:** 9-13 September 2013

**Where:** Tampere, Finland

**Deadline registration:** Normal registration before June 30 2013, late registration before August 30.

**More information:** [Conference website](#)

**What:** [International Research Conference Family Life in the Age of Migration and Mobility: Theory, Policy and Practice](#) with key themes (1) multi-local family lives in national and transnational contexts, (2) the globalization of reproduction and social reproduction across the family-life cycle, and (3) national, supranational and transnational policies and laws relating to family life in an age of migration and mobility.

**When:** 16-20 September 2013

**Where:** Linköping University in Norrköping, Sweden

**Registration:** [Online registration form](#) deadline 15 July 2013 for participants applying for a research grant, 1 September 2013 for all other participants

**Submission of abstracts:** Abstracts of max. 250 words should be submitted through the [website](#) by 1 June 2013

### ••• *News*

**What:** Recently launched blog by the University of Oxford on border criminalities.

**More information:** [Website blog](#)

**What:** Online consultation on how to shape the roles of the Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH) in "Horizon 2020" in order to identify the needs and structural problems of specific fields. This online consultation is organized in concordance with the Lithuanian EU Presidency's Conference, September 23-24 2013.

**Deadline for submission:** 15 June 2013

**More information:** [Website SSH](#)

### ••• *Opportunities*

**What:** Macquarie University Postdoctoral Fellowship Program in the department of Sociology, full-time



for 3 years commencing in 2014.

**Application deadline:** 14 May 2013

**More information:** [Here](#)

**What:** The Perelman Centre for Legal Philosophy and the Legal Section of the Institute of European Studies (ULB) are looking for a PhD researcher and an international postdoctoral fellow in fundamental rights research, both to start from 1 October 2013 in Brussels.

**Application deadline:** 31 May 2013

**More information:** [Here](#)

**What:** Postdoctoral research position at the African Centre for Migration & Society, University of the Witwatersrand (July 2013 – July 2015) to join its 'Illness, Boundaries and Health Systems' team. The research will contribute to a project exploring the impact of migration legislation, trafficking discourses and transnational networks on the feelings of belonging of migrant sex workers (MSWs) in The Netherlands and South Africa.

**Application deadline:** 31 May 2013

**More information:** E-mail Dr. Jo Vearey at [jo.vearey@wits.ac.za](mailto:jo.vearey@wits.ac.za)

**What:** Postdoctoral research fellow in comparative public policy starting before 30 September 2013 University of Oxford (Blavatnik School of Government).

**Application deadline:** 3 June 2013

**More information:** [Website University of Oxford](#)

**What:** PhD and post-doc positions The Institute for European Studies and the Department of Political Science of the Vrije Universiteit Brussel for the research programmes 'Evaluating Democratic Governance in Europe' (EDGE) and 'Participation and Representation in Modern Democracies' (PARTIREP) starting 1 October 2013. Two PhD positions concern for example:

- 1) 'The Europeanization of equality policies for ethnic minority men and women'
- 2) 'The substantive representation of women and ethnic minorities in Belgian politics'

Application deadline: 10 June 2013

**More information:** Contact Prof. Dr. Kris Deschouwer at [kris.deschouwer@vub.ac.be](mailto:kris.deschouwer@vub.ac.be) or Prof. Dr. Sebastian Oberthür at [Sebastian.oberthuer@vub.ac.be](mailto:Sebastian.oberthuer@vub.ac.be)

**What:** IMES seed-grant competition, the aim of the IMES seed grant is to support research initiatives of the members of IMES, and to stimulate original research in the area of human mobility.

**Application deadline:** 30 June 2013

**Application information:** To be considered, please send a project description of approximately 1,000 words to: [imes@uva.nl](mailto:imes@uva.nl) The description should clearly explain the goal(s) of the project, its timeline, including the expected completion date, and how its results/outcome will be presented to the IMES community (and possibly beyond). A project budget should also be included.