

# U-RED19: Undergraduate Research Excellence Day

## Conference Programme

School of Sociology and Social Policy, Law and Social Sciences, 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019

Time	Activity	Location
09:30-10:00	<b>Arrival and refreshments</b> Coffee, tea and pastries available	Atrium, LASS

Time	Activity	Location
10:00-10:15	<b>Welcome</b> <i>Prof. Louise Crewe</i> Faculty APVC for Education and Student Experience	B62, LASS

Time	Activity	Location
10:15-11:15	<b>Session 1: Deviance in the 21st century</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr Andy Henley Presentations: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Déjà Jones:</b> The Prohibition of Pleasure: An Exploration of Barriers Hindering Policy Reform in the Criminalisation of Recreational Drug Users</li> <li><b>Millie Watkins:</b> Born into slavery? A study into the role of agency in the lives of perpetrators and victims of bonded labour in India</li> <li><b>Victoria Ficarra</b> The deviance of the vegan: A contemporary analysis of Othering theory in relation to the growth of veganism in the West</li> </ol>	B18, LASS
	<b>Session 2: Mediated Identities and Intimacies</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr Lisa Warwick Presentations: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Harriet Badley</b> #Brelfies: How Can Breastfeeding Selfies Subvert Discipline of the Maternal Body</li> <li><b>Sian Galsworthy</b> A Cinderella Story?</li> </ol>	B55, LASS

Parallel sessions

3. **Priya Sahota**

'400,000 Men Couldn't Get Home, so Home Came for Them':  
Word War 2 and Collective Memory and Film

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11:15-11:30	<b>Refreshments:</b> coffee, tea and biscuits available	Atrium, LASS

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11:30- 12:00	<b>Keynote</b> <b>'Research, what is it good for? Informing practitioners working with vulnerable people'</b> <i>Dr Sam Weston</i> Senior Lecturer, Keele University	B62, LASS

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12:00-12:45	<b>Lunch:</b> a selection of pizzas	Atrium, LASS

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12:45-13:45	<b>Parallel sessions</b> <b>Session 3: Overcoming Barriers in Education: 'Race', Class and Disability</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr Elena Genova Presentations: <b>1. Jack James</b> If you're a young black man, you're more likely to be in a cell than studying at a top University: exploring the experiences of Black male students at the University of Nottingham <b>2. Anna Du-Mont</b> Autism Spectrum Disorder and Social Isolation: A Positive Coping Mechanism <b>3. Hannah Aldridge</b> "A little bit in-between": an exploration into the changing class identity of university students	B18, LASS
	<b>Session 4: Exploring Practices, Experiences and Behavioural Choices</b> <b>Chair:</b> Dr Lewis Cameron	

Presentations:

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**4. Tiago Machado Costa**

When is the personal problematic? An exploration of race-based sexual discrimination in gay men's casual sex practices

**5. Julia Gunman**

Social Practice theory and climate change

**4. Ashling Akosa**

Exploring the Black student experience of Russell group higher education institutions: A case study

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13:45-14:10

**Refreshments:** coffee, tea and mini muffins available

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14:10-14:35

**Awards**

*Best Abstract and Best Presentation*

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14:35-14:50

**Closing**

*Prof. Bill Dixon*

Director of Undergraduate Programmes

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14:50-15:30

**Dissertations 2019/20**

*Prof. Bill Dixon*

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