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POScolonial and Decolonial Reception of European Thought

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Thursday, 6 June

Panel 1: Decolonising Classics
10.00-10.40  Facing the Human: David Malouf’s Ransom and the Rejection of Categories. (Valeria Spacciante, Scuola Normale Superiore)
10.45-11.25  Traveling Ideas Across Postcolonialism and Romanization. (Dr. Danielle Hyeon, King’s College London)
11.25-11.40  Break
11.40-12.30  Keynote- Classics at the Borderlands: How to Decolonize a Discipline. (Dr. Mathura Umachandran, University of Oxford)

Panel 2: Decolonising Movements in Africa, South Asia, and Oceania
14.30-15.20  Keynote-The Meanings of ‘Decolonisation’ within African Legal Thought. (Dr. Foluke Adebisi, University of Bristol)
15.25-16.15  Keynote-Afro-Asian Solidarity Networks in the Decolonising World. (Dr. Su Lin Lewis, University of Bristol)
16.15-16.30  Break
16.30-17.10  Between Worlds: J.L. Mehta’s Postcolonial Hermeneutics. (Dr. Evgenia Ilieva, Ithaca College, USA).
17.15-17.55  Maori philosophy, Heidegger and the Tempo of the Earth. (Professor Ruth Irwin, University of Aberdeen)

Friday, 7 June

Panel 3: Enlightenment revisited
10.00-10.40  The Treat of European, Enlightenment Thinking in (Post)colonial Spaces. (Kate Holland, Humboldt University, Germany)
10.45-11.25  Enlightenment: A Subversive Reading from The Hugo Zemelman’s Thoughts. (Hugo Parra, University of Bristol)
11.25-11.40  Break
11.40-12.20  The Paradoxical Localization of Philosophy and Hegel’s Paradoxical Engagement with Chinese Philosophy. (Lea Cantor, University of Oxford)
12.25-13.15  Keynote-Hegel in Beijing: Debating the Science of Logic during the Cultural Revolution. (Dr. Tzu Chien Tho, University of Bristol)

Final Talk
16.15-17.15  Keynote-From Effective Altruism to Effective Empowerment. (Dr. Joanna Burch-Brown, University of Bristol)