



The 2013-14 seminar series of the UK Network on Human Rights and Minority Groups
A half day workshop on doctoral research on minority rights

Workshop II: Doctoral Research on Minority Rights

Location: Room G03, School of Law, University of Reading, Foxhill House, Whiteknights Road, RG6 7BA

Date: Wednesday 12 June 2013 1.30-5.15pm

Aim: This workshop enables current doctoral students to showcase the cutting-edge research being undertaken on minority rights across the UK.

This event follows on from 'Workshop I' of this seminar series held in March 2013, where academics, civil society organisations, PhD and other researchers debated the current research directions on minority rights protection within international, European and domestic law.

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Programme

- 1.30.-1.40 Tawhida Ahmed (University of Reading) and Corinne Lennox (School of Advanced Study)
- 1.45-2.15 Counter-terrorism, Multiculturalism and Minority Rights
Nadya Ali, School of Politics and International Relations, University of Reading
Discussant: Ruvi Ziegler, School of Law, University of Reading
- 2.15-2.45 Education for All? *Mestizaje*, "racial democracy" the Right to Education for Afro-Descendants in Latin America
Esther Ojulari, School of Advanced Studies, University of London
Discussant: Dr David Keane, School of Law, University of Middlesex
- 2.45-3.00 *Coffee*
- 3.00-3.30 Accommodating Shariah Law in the UK - Muslim women and their Experiences of Shariah Councils and Civil Courts.
Rehana Parveen, School of Law, University of Birmingham
Discussant: TBC
- 3.30-4.00 Minority Rights Protection in Contemporary Europe: the Double Standards between Member States and Candidate Countries Obligations.
Elyse Wakelin, Department of Politics and International Relations, University of Leicester
Discussant: Dr Tawhida Ahmed, School of Law, University of Reading
- 4.00-4.15 *Coffee*
- 4.15-4.45 Indigenous Peoples' Right to the Environment under the UNDRIP
Adriana Giunta, School of Law, Brunel University
Discussant: Dr Corinne Lennox, School of Advanced Study, University of London
- 4.45-5.15 Close of workshop

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