



RELATIONAL DIS/LOCATIONS: MEDITERRANEAN CULTURES IN TRANSLOCAL AND TRANSNATIONAL CONTEXTS

Date: Friday 28 November 2008

Venue: Whiteley Room, U@Macquarie, Macquarie University, Sydney

Symposium Program

9.00-9.30: Welcome and Introduction

9.30-11.00: Sandro Mezzadra, “A Contested Space: Border Crossings and Border Reinforcing In and Around the Mediterranean”

Lara Palombo, “Transnational Sovereignities at War: Subversive (White) Diasporic Women”

Noah Bassil, “Exploring the Legacy of Colonial Racism in the Conflict in Darfur”

11.00-11.30: Morning Tea

11.30-1.00: Maria Giannacopoulos, “‘Alien’ Conscriptio, Australian Sovereignty and the Vietnam War”

Gennaro Gervasio, “Subaltern Voices and the ‘War on Terror’: Contesting Representations from the British Media”

Ihab Shalbak, “Edward Said and the Palestinians: Reappraisal”

1.00-2.00: Lunch

2.00-3.00: Ilaria Vanni and Antonella Biscaro, “Imagining ‘Italians in the World’: Italian Elections Abroad, Media and Gossip”

Gaia Giuliani, “Selecting Whites: The Sovereign Subject in Early Independent Australia”

3.00-3.30: Afternoon Tea

3.30-5.00: Petro Alexiou, “A Dis-Located Life in the Shifting Terrain of the Eastern Mediterranean”

Lisa Wynn, “‘I’ll Give You 100 Camels for Your Daughter’: Mimesis, Mockery, and Joking in a Trans-Mediterranean Arab Tourist Circuit”

Farid Farid, “Between the Vagabond and the Fortune Teller: Haunting Memories and Landscape in Egypt”

5.00-5.30: Conclusion

Admission is FREE. For further information, contact: Joseph Pugliese, Department of Critical and Cultural Studies, Macquarie University, Sydney. Joseph.Pugliese@scmp.mq.edu.au

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