Romani Discussion Group Workshop
Nationalism, Roma Mobilisation and Belonging: Contemporary and Historical Perspectives

1-2 June 2021 (Online via Zoom)

Tuesday 1 June

Zoom link for Day 1
https://lse.zoom.us/j/88915050066?pwd=TXVMdU9oZG8zSlFQeTIgNTUrK2k0UT09
Meeting ID: 889 1505 0066
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10:00-10:10am
Welcome by Dr Raluca Bianca Roman (University of St Andrews)

10:10-11:10am

Petre Matei (Elie Wiesel Institute for the Study of the Holocaust in Romania/Vienna Wiesenthal Institute): Roma in WWII Romania – Being a Survivor
Manuela Marin (Babeș-Bolyai University): Resisting the State at the Periphery: Roma People in Communist Romania

Discussant: Prof. Elena Marushiakova (School of History, University of St Andrews)

Chair: Can Yildiz

11:20am-12:50pm

Anthony Howarth (University of Oxford): A Travellers’ Sense of Time: Imagining Futures Past in an Urban Camp
Anca Enache (University of Helsinki): Street Works: Economic subjectivities, Dispossession and Futures among Romanian Roma street workers in Helsinki
Antonio Montañés (University of St Andrews): 'This is just another one of God's trials'. Evangelical Gitanos’ reaction to the Covid-19 crisis

Discussant: Dr. Paloma Gay y Blasco (Department of Social Anthropology, University of St Andrews)

Chair: Katya Ivanova
**Wednesday 2 June**

Zoom link for Day 2

[https://lse.zoom.us/j/89632755035?pwd=NDJDZXJ4UzNUcUtRd280ZTVVWTVGUT09](https://lse.zoom.us/j/89632755035?pwd=NDJDZXJ4UzNUcUtRd280ZTVVWTVGUT09)

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9:30-10:30am

Professor Colin Clark (University of the West of Scotland): *Keynote: The place and space of Romani activism in times of COVID-19: remembering the past to protect the future?*

10:40am – 11:40am

Marko Stenroos (University of Helsinki): *The ontological security from Roma perspective*

Martin Fotta (Czech Academy of Sciences): *Romanies as a "Traditional People": Brazilian Ciganos and the Politics of Recognition*

Discussant: Dr. Sofiya Zahova (University of Iceland/University of St Andrews)

Chair: Raluca Bianca Roman

11:50am 12:50pm

Rosa Cisneros (Coventry University): *Anti-Gypsyism & Romaphobia, Fractured Identities and Current Roma Realities*

Jekatyerina Dunajeva (Pázmány Péter Catholic University): *Race and belonging under neoliberal poverty: Case study of Roma in Budapest’s Hős utca ghetto*

Discussant: Dr. Marketa Dolezalova (School of Sociology and Social Policy, University of Leeds)

Chair: Can Yildiz

12:50pm-1:00pm

Concluding remarks by Katya Ivanova