

ABS Summer Virtual Seminars
June 3-4, 2020

Borders in the time of COVID-19

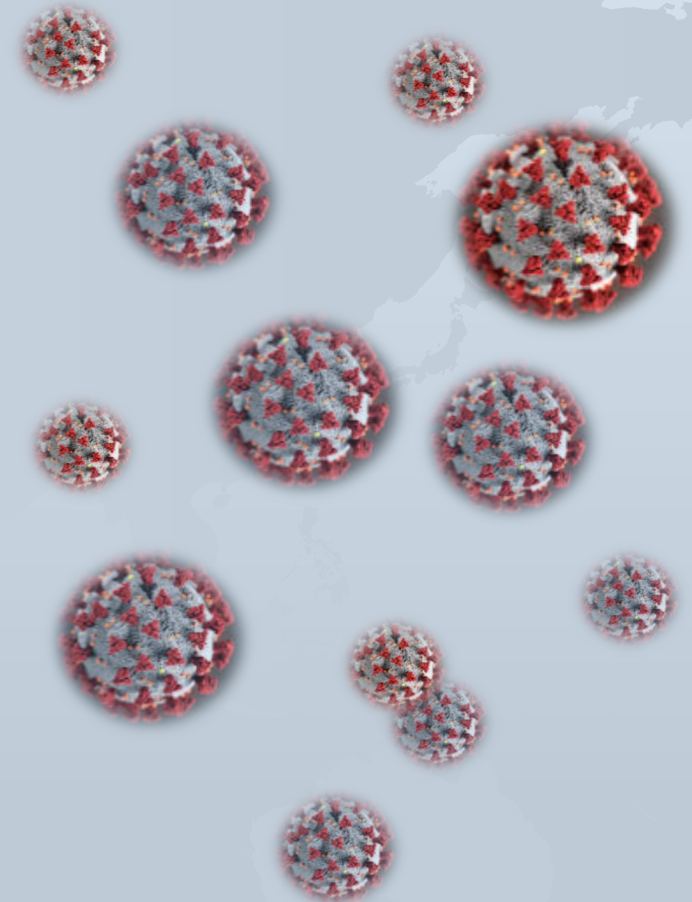
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Join a community of border scholars and practitioners committed to the interdisciplinary understanding of borders and transborder communities

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AFRICAN SESSION: Panel
Ibadan, Nigeria • 2:00-3:30 pm WAT

EUROPEAN SESSION I: Panel
Sonderborg, Denmark • 5:00-6:30 pm CEST

NORTH AMERICAN SESSION I: Panel
Tempe, USA • 10:00-11:30 am MST

THEME: The challenges of borders and migration in Africa

Moderator/discussant: TBD

Presenters:

The Dynamics of International Migration in Corona virus 19 Era • **Godwin O. Ikwuyatum**, University of Ibadan, Ibadan Nigeria

Climate and migration: A case study of the Migrant Caravan Phenomenon • **Felix Kwabena Donkor**, University of South Africa (UNISA)

The question of ownership of artifacts, threat/issues in Nigerian border region • **Ogunsusi, Cecilia Enitan, Adewumi Oluwadare Benedict**, (University of Ibadan) and **Oluwadare Adewumi**, (Fire Service agency), Nigeria

THEME: Border building and bordering narratives

Moderator/discussant: TBD

Presenters:

Theorizing Border Narratives as seen through the eyes of Caricatures • **David Newman**, Ben-Gurion University

The internal Schengen border in distress: Security negotiations between state and citizens • **Kristine Beurskens, Judith Miggelbrink** and **Nona Renner**

Borders resurgent: towards a post-Covid-19 global border regime? • **Jaume Castan Pinos**, University of Southern Denmark; Steven Radil (Idaho) and Thomas Ptak (Idaho)

Borderland Rhythms in Refugee-themed Literature. Terry Farish's The Good Braider • **Stella Mililli**, NTNU

THEME: Borders in/as education

Moderator/discussant: TBD

Presenters:

Ground-truthing the border • **Daniel Furnish** and **Francisco Lara**, Arizona State University, USA

First-gen journeys: crossing academic borderlands • **T. Mark Montoya**, Northern Arizona University

Intercultural Border Schools and Identity (De)Construction in Ambás Aceguás (BRA/URU) • **Edgar Garcia Velozo** and **Adriana Dorfman**, Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul

Wednesday, June 3

EUROPEAN SESSION II: Roundtable

Sonderborg, Denmark • 5:00-6:30 pm CEST

THEME: The Corona crisis and European cross-border regions

Moderator: **Indrani Das Schmidt** (Assoc. for Cross-border Cooperation; Switzerland)

Discussant: **Martin Guillermo Ramirez**, Secretary General of the Association of European Border Regions, Gronau/Berlin, Germany

Speakers:

Annika Jaansoo (Assoc. of European Border Regions/U. of Twente; Netherlands)

Florian Schmidt (Assoc. for Cross-border Cooperation, Switzerland)

Hynek Böhm (Technical University of Liberec; Liberec, Czechia)

Martin Klatt (University of Southern Denmark)

Neza Čebtron Lipovec (University of Primorska; Koper, Slovenia)

NORTH AMERICAN SESSION II: Panel

Ciudad Juárez, México • 11:00a-12:30p MDT

THEME: Contested impacts of Borders

Moderator/discussant: **Francisco Lara**, Arizona State University

Presenters:

The intersect of biopolitics, borders, and the underground economy • **Sergio Peña**, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Ciudad Juárez

Does the Border Wall Matter? An Analysis of U.S.-Mexico Economic Integration • **Sylvia Gonzalez-Gorman**, University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

El impacto del Protocolo de Protección a Migrantes en la salud de los solicitantes de asilo • **Alejandra Rojero** and **Hilda García-Pérez**, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte

Public Policies for Forcibly Displaced People • **David Schlinkert**, Arizona State University

Thursday, June 4

ASIAN SESSION: Panel
Beersheva, Israel • 9:00-10:30 am IDT

SOUTH AMERICAN SESSION: Panel
Porto Alegre, Brasil • 12:00-1:30 pm BRT

NORTH AMERICAN SESSION III: Panel
Tempe, USA • 10:00-11:30 am MST

**Friday,
June 5**

THEME: Borders, discourses and cooperation

Moderator/discussant: TBD

Presenters:

Trumps "Deal of the century": Changing Territorial and Border Discourses in Israel-Palestine • **David Newman**, Ben-Gurion University; Beersheba, Israel 9-10:30 am

Teaching geographical boundaries: from challenge to model • **Tal Yaar Waisel**, Oranim College of Education; Kiryat Tiv'on, Israel, 9-10:30 am

Cross-Border Cooperation at India's Border • **Krishnendra Meena**, Jawaharlal Nehru University; New Delhi, India 11:30-12 am

An International Airport as a Border and National Security Apparatus: A Case Study of Kota Kinabalu International Airport, Sabah, Malaysia • **Ramlah Binti Daud**, Bonn Universität / University Malaysia

THEME: Debating the 'normal': spaces, territorial fragmentations and borderlands in post-covid-19 Latin America

Moderator: **Adriana Dorfman**, UFRGS, Brasil

Discussant: **Gisela Guevara**, Universidad del Externado, Colombia: comentarista

Speakers:

Una pandemia en Foz: el confinamiento fronterizo en el Hinterland sudamericano • **Juan Agulló**, UNILA, Brasil

Movilidad, frontera y prácticas sociales en el Norte de Chile • **Marcela Tapia**, UAP, Chile

Ciudadanía, cuidadanía, cuirdadanía y fronteras en el escenario del Covid-19 • **Sayak Valencia**, COLEF, México

De los controles fronterizos a la gestión de poblaciones y territorios en el espacio nacional • **Licio Monteiro**, UFF, Brazil.

THEME: *Celebration, resistance and identity in the borderlands*

Moderator/discussant: TBD

Presenters:

Celebration and resistance at the boundary. Findings from the Mexico-US border • **Xavier Oliveras González**; El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Matamoros

The Intersections and Developmental Processes of a Transborder Identity: A Photovoice Constructivist Grounded Theory Study of Transfronterizx Students in Postsecondary and Higher Education Institutions in the San Diego-Tijuana Border Region • **Vannessa Falcón Orta**, San Diego State University & Claremont Graduate University

Urban violence as predictor of substance abuse among transborder youth in the Arizona-Sonora region • **Hilda García-Pérez**, El Colegio de la Frontera Norte; **Flavio F. Marsiglia**, Arizona State University, **Stephen Kulis**, Arizona State University

The Power of Documentation in German Literature of Migration • **Joscha Klueppel**; Department of German and Scandinavian, University of Oregon

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