



British Sociological Association Human Reproduction Study Group Annual Conference 2019

12th June, 2019
De Montfort University, Leicester
The Venue, Conference Room 1&2

9:30-9:50	Conference registration	
9:50-10:00	Welcome	
10:00-11:00	Plenary: Professor Marcia Inhorn <i>The quest for conception: where has it taken us?</i> Chair: Lorraine Culley	
11:00-11:15	Break (tea and coffee)	
	Stream A	Stream B
	Genetics - pregnancy	Abortion
11:15-11:40	<i>Regulating human germline genome editing: who, how, and why?</i> Amarpreet Kaur	<i>Abortion as a private and public matter at the online/offline nexus</i> Grace Tillyard
11:40-12:05	<i>A pregnant pause: pregnancy, miscarriage and suspended time</i> Victoria Browne	<i>Contested spaces: the role of place in determining encounters with anti-abortion activist outside UK abortion clinics</i> Pam Lowe and Sarah-Jane Page

12:05-12:30	<i>The sins of the fathers: men and new reproductive imaginaries in discourses of epigenetics</i> Aleksandra Stelmach	<i>Abortion pills: in the post and in the past</i> Leah Eades
12:30-12:55	<i>Pregnancy, identity and social media</i> Jessica Turner	<i>A ticking clock: women's abortion trajectories in two districts in India</i> Rishita Nandagiri
12:55-1:30	Lunch	
	Stream A Men, reproduction and reproductive timing	Stream B Donor Conception
1:30-1:55	<i>Male age-related fertility decline and the possibility of sperm freezing: examining men's meanings and perceptions</i> Caroline Law	<i>Imagining missing "kin": the quest for connection in the context of gamete donation</i> Diane Tober
1:55-2:20	<i>Heterosexual partnered men's experiences of becoming fathers through surrogacy</i> Christina Weis and Wendy Norton	<i>Donors, gametes and un/familiar connections: Bringing a sociology of personal life to reproductive donation</i> Petra Nordqvist
2:20-2:45	<i>I need a hero? The (re)production of heteronormative masculine repertoires within family planning research</i> Amanda Wilson and Zoe Richardson	<i>Feelings, figures, and family planning: British egg donors' experiences of fertility 'screening'</i> Lucy Morgan

2:45-3:15	Break (tea and coffee)	
	Stream A	Stream B
	Reproduction under pressure	Inequalities and Stigma
3:15-3:40	<i>By hook or by crook. IVF add-ons and evidence-based medicine</i> Manuella Perrotta	<i>Laborious negotiations: racial disparities in maternity care experiences</i> Katherine Wright
3:40-4:05	<i>Motherhood over 40: "risky" pregnancies, "last chance" babies, and reproductive anxiety</i> Zeynep Gurtin	<i>An anthropological study on menstrual health, beliefs and practices in a Punjabi Village</i> Srishti Bhatnagar
4:05-4:30	<i>My mother's eyes: reproductive technologies and "compulsory biogenetic parenthood" among trans and queer parents.</i> Elgin Pecjak	<i>Accessing sterilization in Brazil: the role of jeitinho 'workarounds' in navigating conditions of legal and procedural ambiguity</i> Aoife Mckenna
4:30-4:40	Closing remarks Wine and Canape Reception (Georgian Rooms and Terrace)	

The conference will take place at De Montfort University, Leicester in The Venue Conference Rooms one and two. A campus map can be found [here](#).

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For more information about the event please contact
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Registration Fees (incl. lunch, refreshments, wine and canape reception):
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BSA member £40 / Non-BSA member £50

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