

**PRELIMINARY ARRANGEMENT OF PAPER PROPOSALS IN PANELS, VERSION  
21 APRIL**

**Notification:**

Please note that this is not the final arrangement in panels. We expect some changes, because some papers cannot be presented due to last minute withdrawals or no-shows of the authors

**Panel 1. Historiography, Theory and philosophical aspects of slavery and Indenture I**

1. Basu, Rajsekhar. Searching for commonalities between the Black experience in the Atlantic and the Indentured labour migration to British Colonies
2. Leeuwen, Marco Van. Studying social inequalities and status attainment in the contexts of colonialism and free and unfree labour
3. Donk , Orpheo Shifting perspectives on Slavery
4. Khal Torabully. Slavery and Indenture , a shared narrative

**Panel 2. Transnationalism and identity I**

1. Jones, Guno Shifting politics of Citizenship and belonging
2. Bardwaj, Sweta, Transnational identities in Indian Diaspora to Suriname
3. Flores , W. Caribbean Transnationalism by Surinamese and Antillean Student migrants
4. Gautam, M.K. Ethnic identity amongst Hindustanis as Twice Migrants
5. Malheiros, Jorge Hindustani migrants and their descendants in Lisbon and Rotterdam Hindustani migrants and their descendants in Lisbon and Rotterdam

**Panel 3: Slavery and its legacy in the Americas and Africa I**

1. Gaddy, Kristina. Playing Banya. The Evidence and Legacy of Shared Cultural Practice Among Enslaved Africans throughout the Americas
2. Van Stipriaan, Alex the contested African body. Historical paradoxes and contemporary legacies among Afro-Surinamese
3. Kenny, Mary: Quilombolas in Brazil. Conflicting perspectives over identity
4. Choenni, Chan Afro-Surinamese 1863 – 1963
5. Loswijk, Edgar The role of the enslaved Africans in the development of the agricultural sector mainly rice-growing

**Panel 4. Historiography, Theory and philosophical aspects of slavery and Indenture II**

1. Mishra, Amitkumar Managed Mobilities, Imperial Durabilities, Indian Labour Diaspora Beyond the Confines of Indentured Labour Regime
2. Kumar, Ashutosh. Girit peasants understanding of the indenture system
3. Mansi, Kumari Indenture in French colonies of North America and Caribbean
4. Ramracha, Nisha Proliferating History Studies for Stronger Identity Formation within the Indo-Caribbean Diaspora

### **Panel 5. Transnationalism and identity II**

1. Timothy, Peter. Carnival in Crisis, abstract
2. Sengupta, Roshni. Interrogating the myth of ideal Hindu
3. Ghan Shyam, A Comparative Study of Indo-Caribbean and Indian Immigrants in the United States since 1965
4. Thomas-Brown, Karen . Migrant transnational citizenships and black identity. The perspectives of Jamaican migrant teachers in America
5. Ramracha, Vassan Logie Socialism

### **Panel 6: Slavery and its legacy in the Americas , Africa and Asia II**

1. Fatah-Black, Karwan The first steps out of slavery. Analyzing the last wills of former slaves in Paramaribo.
2. Van Galen , Coen Slave registers as a first step to the development of a Historical Database of Suriname
3. Njenga Karugia, John . Suriname in Afrabian Memory Politics
4. Ki Zerbo, Lazare Elliott P. Skinner's xenology, an existential and academic contribution to Pan-African studies
5. Kurian , Rachel Influences of Slavery on Ceylon Plantations

### **Panel 7: Saint-Laurent du Maroni and the Maroni river basin: spaces of transnational encounters (4 papers, 6 deelnemers) Discussant: Jack Menke**

1. Comptour, Marion and Vezzoli,, Simona . *Saint Laurent du Maroni: a space of transnational encounters and rapid social change,*
2. Garraoui, Ines. *Changing family structures in Saint-Laurent du Maroni,*
3. Comptour, Marion and Sylvie Kwasiba. *Transnational connections in Saint-Laurent du Maroni: agriculture, access to jobs and financial exchanges,*
4. Leobal, Clémence. *Inhabiting the Marowijne river: Multiple residences and mobility on both sides of the French Guiana-Suriname border,*

### **Panel 8. Language and literature in Diaspora I**

1. Joshi & Kaushal. From Sugar to Snow. Reflections and refractions on Indo Caribbean literature in Canada
2. Karmakar, Chandrima . Home, Roots and Memory in Naipaul's Oeuvre.
3. Mohkamsing, Narinder. MRK revisited
4. Sen, Nandini. A saga of travel, love and loss , Divakaruni
5. Rambaran, M. & Safdar Zaidi Can a historical novel be a bridge between transnational identities

### **Panel 9: Ethnic relations and ethnocentrism in Suriname.**

1. Rene Bilkerdijk; The relations between the Creoles other ethnic r ethnic groups
2. Ramon Cumberbatch: The Maroons and their relations with other groups.
3. Rita Punwasi: Ethnic relations and ethnocentrism: How do Indians think about other ethnic groups?
4. Ingrid Roemer: The perception of Javanese in Suriname on other groups. And their contribution to building a nation of Suriname

**Panel 10: Historical Aspects of Indian Indenture and Migration I**

1. Gooptar, Pramanath. The legacy of Indian Indentureship in the Caribbean 1838 - 1920.
2. Nandmehar, S. The victims of historical exploitation. Bonded labour in Nepal.
3. Nandram, Sharda, Bindlish, P and A. Nandram . A Glocal Fundamental Research (GFR) perspective to Indian Diaspora's Social Identity formation
4. Mishra, Amitkumar Managed Mobilities, Imperial Durabilities, Indian Labour Diaspora Beyond the Confines of Indentured Labour Regime

**Panel 11: Tangible and intangible heritage of slavery and indenture I**

1. Meyer, Marcel and Hildebrand Ehrenburg Plantations on the Wild Coast
2. McKee, Helen abstract Legal History of Land Ownership in Post-Emancipation Jamaica.
3. Mahabir, Kumar. From Barracks to Bungalows
4. Gaddy, Kristina. Playing Banya. The Evidence and Legacy of Shared Cultural Practice Among Enslaved Africans throughout the Americas
5. Clenem, Sandra: Creative Industries

**Panel 12. Localization and globalization of religions session II: Hinduism in the Caribbean**

1. Tiwari, Kaushlendra Kumar , Hinduism in Suriname
2. Sherry-Ann Singh: Coming full circle. Hinduism in Trinidad
3. Bakker, Freek. New Temples in New Land
4. Jagbandhan , Nitin and Kirtie Algoe Luck Vendors . Experiences with Foreign Vedic atrolgers in Suriname

**Panel 13; Historical Aspects of Indian Indenture and Migration II**

1. Moschetta , Louise The legacies of bureaucratic practices: paper and identity among Indian indentured migrants in British Guiana
2. Gupta , Charu Indentured Women and Hindi Print Public Sphere in Early Twentieth Century India
3. Pande, Amba India's Engagement with Giritmit Diaspora. Prejudices and prospects
4. Mohanty, Siba S. The Role of Indian National Congress and NGO's in the Abolition of Indian Indentureship
5. Tiwari, Badri Narayan.. Those Who Returned. A Story which is Untold

**Panel 14: Tangible and intangible heritage of slavery and indenture II**

1. Goffe, Tao Leigh . Theorizing a gastropoetics of Coolitude
2. Nanhoe, Anita & Hoekstra., Laura Honour is negotiable.
3. Mustapha, Nasser , Creolization and the Evolution of Indo-Trinidadian Cuisine
4. Mohammed, Shalima. Fasting Practices of interfaith-families
5. Ramsukul, Ratnadebie. Dance culture of the Hindustanis in Suriname. A research on the dynamics regarding the conservation and vitality of londá ke nác

**Panel 15: Islam and identity**

1. Samaroo, Brinsley: The Ummah in the Caribbean: African and Asian Origins of multinational Islam in the Caribbean
2. Rahman, Karimah . -Politcization of cultural memory and Marginalization of South Asian Muslims
3. Kassim , Halima and Polar, Perry. The Muslims who came Trinidad 1885-1891 A Preliminary Assessment.

**Panel 16: *The legacies of slave trade and slavery in post slavery societies in the West Indies***

1. Gougeon, Adelaide M. Emancipation and identity construction of the White creoles in Martinique after 1848":
2. Leconte, David. The free and regulated migration: the legacies from slave trade and slavery to the indenture
3. Marie-Rose, Noémie The emergence of « attached worker » in Martinique between 1848 and 1880

**Panel 17. Language and literature in Diaspora A**

1. Bhimul, Visham. The Fate of Caribbean Hindustani
2. Balkaransingh, Satnarine. The Contribution of Indian Languages in the Shaping of an Indo-Caribbean Ethos
3. Mishra, Hariram.; Yogendra Bhardwaj and Anima Sonkar. Cultural and linguistic preservation of Hindustani Community in Suriname

**Panel 18. Localization and globalization of religions session II**

1. Algoe, Kirtie: Interreligious cooperation in Guyana and Suriname.
2. Marshall, Edwin . The influence of slavery on the Afro-Surinamese religion system
3. Jabini, Samunda Rastafarians in Suriname and Guyana
4. Breeveld, Hans: Moravian church as a cornerstone of the Surinamese society

**Panel 19. : Surinamese in diaspora: health, strength and resilience**

1. Indra Boedjarath: Suicidal bahaviour among Hindustani men
2. Cynthia Blanker:Diagnostic depression disorder among Surinamese in the Netherlands
3. Ayfara S. Leenderste-Herbonnet: Attitude of Hindustani mothers towards child labour: The case of Nickerie, Surname

**Panel 20: Reparations for injustice to subjugated people, including slavery and indenture**

1. Gordyn, Ary. Raising Awareness about Reparations for Slavery in Jamaica
2. Naik, K. and David Pradhan. Sweat Blood and Tears: Reparations for Historical Contribution of Indentured Labour to Colonial Economic Growth
3. Torpey, John. Towards a more perfect union: An Approach to Rectifying Racial Inequality in American Life.

### **Panel 21: Chinese indenture and diaspora I**

1. Peterson, Glen. Long shadow of Indentured Labour
2. Gyssels, Kathleen, Leon Damas facing Sinography in Pigments and Nevralgies.
3. Tjon Sie Fat, Paul and Ranu Abhelak: Tjon Sie Fat, Paul and Ranu Abhelak. No Longer New. Chinese Migrants in Suriname Ten years on.

### **Panel 22. Ethnic Identity, memory and commemoration I**

1. Brereton, Bridget Emancipation and Arrival
2. Akung, Manorama Contested visions, memory and commemoration , Mauritius
3. Singh, Vashti , The Indian Diaspora in Trinidad. Cultural resilience, Political Activism and representation in Education 1900 -1938
4. Ballengee, Christopher- Contesting Tradition
5. Gowricharn, Ruben: Doglarization of the Hindustani stuff. Evidence from Suriname.

### **Panel 23: Ethnic relations and position of ethnic groups in plural societies. I**

1. Hassankhan, Maurits and Raghoebarsing, K. S. Ethnic relations and the position of Indians in Suriname
2. Vahed, Goolam. Afro-Indian relations in South Africa
3. Sno, Tamira, E.; Harry BG Ganzeboom and , John Schuster. Ethnic diversity and Social Stratification in.
4. Chand , Satish Indentured Indians and social mobility

### **Panel 24: Reterritorialization processes and social challenges of immigrant groups: experiences from the Lusophone World. (4 papers, 6 deelnemers)**

1. Malheiros, Jorge Reterritorialization opportunities of immigrants in Lisbon
2. Dadalto, Maria C. Identities in Transit in the Territorialisation Processes
3. Rodrigues, Francilene S. Migration, Gender and Violence: experiences of Venezuelan women in Roraima
4. Siqueia, Sueli; Assis, Glaucia; Genovez, Patricia: reterritorialization processes of women migrants involved in transnational marriages

### **Panel 25. Ethnic Identity, memory and commemoration IIB**

1. Raghoobar, Hein. Identity shaping and integration of African and Asian diasporas in Suriname.
2. Rai, Rajeev . Civilizational Disjuncture and Harmony.
3. Reddy, Movindry . Ethnic erasure and indigenous identity: Indian Diaspora identity in South Africa and Fiji
4. Redjopawio, Eddy. The Process of Emancipation, Integration and Nation building of Javanese in Suriname

### **Panel 26. Ethnic relations and position of ethnic groups in plural societies. II**

1. Gupta, Munnalal. Impact of State Policies on Indian Diaspora
2. Makdoembaks, Nasaar. - From the margins to the center
3. Prasad, Tribhuwan Social and Cultural Problems of Indian Diaspora in Suriname.
4. Sno, Tamira and B.G. Ganzeboom: Status acquisition when entering the labour market

**Panel 27; Jewish Diaspora in the Caribbean**

1. Rosenblatt, Eli. Between two Seas. the Jewish Diaspora and the Black Atlantic
2. Jessica Roitman : Majority and Minorities. Jews, Afro-Curacaoans, and the politics of participation
3. Gyssels, Kathleen A Diaspora in a Diaspora. the West Indian Jew in recent Fictions

**Panel 28: Ethnic Identity, memory and commemoration C**

1. Pratap, Ajay. From India's East to World's South: Surinamese Prehistory and Colonial Manipulation of Ethnic Identity
2. Swamy, Parya. Constructing Visual archives of indentured Labour
3. Egger, Jerome. Sitalpersad, a British Indian interpreter in colonial Suriname
4. Raghoebarsingh, Kermechand. The life story of an Indian Indenture family in Suriname 1873- 2010

**Panel 29: Politics in plural societies I**

1. Brij Lal. Political leadership in the Indian indentured Diaspora
2. Bisram, Vishnu The Need for Power Sharing in Ethnically Divided Guyana
3. Meel , Peter. Managing ethnic diversity in Surinamese politics
4. Ramsoedh, Hans: Jagernath Lachmon from political leader of the Hindustanis to national leader of Suriname

**Panel 30: Chinese indenture and Diaspora II**

1. Tumbridge, Mark Indenture, Opium and the China Trade: Tracing the Connections between Networks
2. Dewnarain, Jerry. The immigration of Chinese contract workers in the Caribbean, in particular in Suriname and Guyana
3. Huyn, Tui , The Chinese Indentured Laborers from Shandong Province, 1904 – 1910

**Panel 31: Medical history: health and diseases I.**

1. Snelders, Stephen Leprosy and Labour Management. Fears and Responses of the Colonial Regime in Suriname
2. Menke, Henk; Leprosy, Colonialism and Slavery in Suriname; a triangular approach.
3. Buckingham, , Jane Leprosy in Fiji/Pacific ocean
4. Edward van Eer: Van Eer, Edward. Health Struggles on the Upper Suriname river

**Panel 32: Politics in plural societies II**

1. Thakur, Rishee. Ethnicity and the Alibi of Class in Guyana
2. Ravi Dev: The Politics of Entitlement in a Bi-communal Polity
3. Schalkwijk, Marten: The relation between ethnicity and the voting behavior in Suriname, 1949 – 2017
4. Hanoomansingh, Peter. The self-concept of interloper

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**Panel 33: Women, Gender and the Legacy of Slavery and Indenture**

1. Gounder, Farzana . Gender performativity 2018 in indenture life narratives
2. Hiralal, Kalpana: Votti , Veeramah and Muniyammah: Biographical narratives of indentured women in colonial Natal
3. Neus, Hilde: 70 coloured women against an authority of men
4. Terborg, Julia Marriage, Concubinage and Extramarital relations in the Caribbean. Continuity and Change.

**Panel 34: Aspects of Women and Gender in the Indian Diaspora**

1. Wickramasinghe, Nira and Carter, Marina Unsettling Diasporas Diasporas negotiation of identities and Subversion of Categories. Asian Women Migrant genealogies 1750 – 1950
2. Choenni, Chan Hindostani indentured female labourers in Suriname
3. Rai, Neha: Women in Search of Identity
4. Bhoola, Sheetal: Gujerati women migrants in the early 1920
5. Singh, Archana: Mapping Invisible lives. Possibility of a new form of social archive

**Panel 35: Medical history: health and diseases: II**

1. Marthelise Eersel: Health economics then and now: revisiting F.A. Kuhn's 'Reflection on the situation of the Surinamese plantation slaves; an economic-medical contribution to its improvement (1828)'.  
2. Mans, Dennis: The use of medicinal plants from a Historical poin of view  
3. Aaron-Denz, Marlyn Na koni fu fesiten ini wan nyun ten  
4. Ramdas, Sahiensa Seeking health in multiple ways. Medical pluralism in the treatment of cutaneous leishmaniasis among Saramacca and Ndjuka Maroons in Suriname

**Panel 36; Diaspora and development**

1. Rambaran Jwala Unlocking the Investment Potential of the Caribbean Diaspora.
2. Sibanda, Sabelo - Role of people in Diaspora for the development of their country of origin
3. Tewari, Archana INDO-Surinami relations
4. Soeropawiro, S. Economic development among the Javanese Muslims in Suriname

**Panel 37: Identity Formation and Circuits of Mobility in the Age of Post-Slavery Indenture. Chair; Virginia Dominguez; Discussant: Brackette Williams**

1. Cristiana Bastos: “Latitudes of Indenture: Portuguese Islanders in Post-Abolition Guiana Plantations and in Hawai’i”
2. Marcelo Moura Mello: “Servitude, Emancipation and Plantation Life in Guyana”
3. Nicholas B. Miller: “Indentured Education: Portuguese Children and Schooling Policy in the Nineteenth-Century Caribbean and Hawai’i”
4. Andre Novoa: “Whalers & Sailors: Forerunners of Portuguese indentured migration?”

5. Cynthia Brandflu: Experiments with Indentured Labour 1853 - 1866: the Portuguese from Madeira and their descendants in Suriname.

**Panel 38: African Diaspora heritage management in Suriname.**

1. Paula Royster: The Role of Cultural Memory in the Legitimization of African Diaspora History
2. Cheryl White: The Slaves Route to Freedom how and where was the route made
3. Gosnell Yorke: The Disambiguation of the Cimplex Language of African Diaspora
4. Onajide Shabaka: Seeds of the Diaspora

**Panel 39: ROUND TABLE:**

**Archives and the Legacy Slavery and Indentured Labour: Their contribution to the Indentured Labour Route Project**