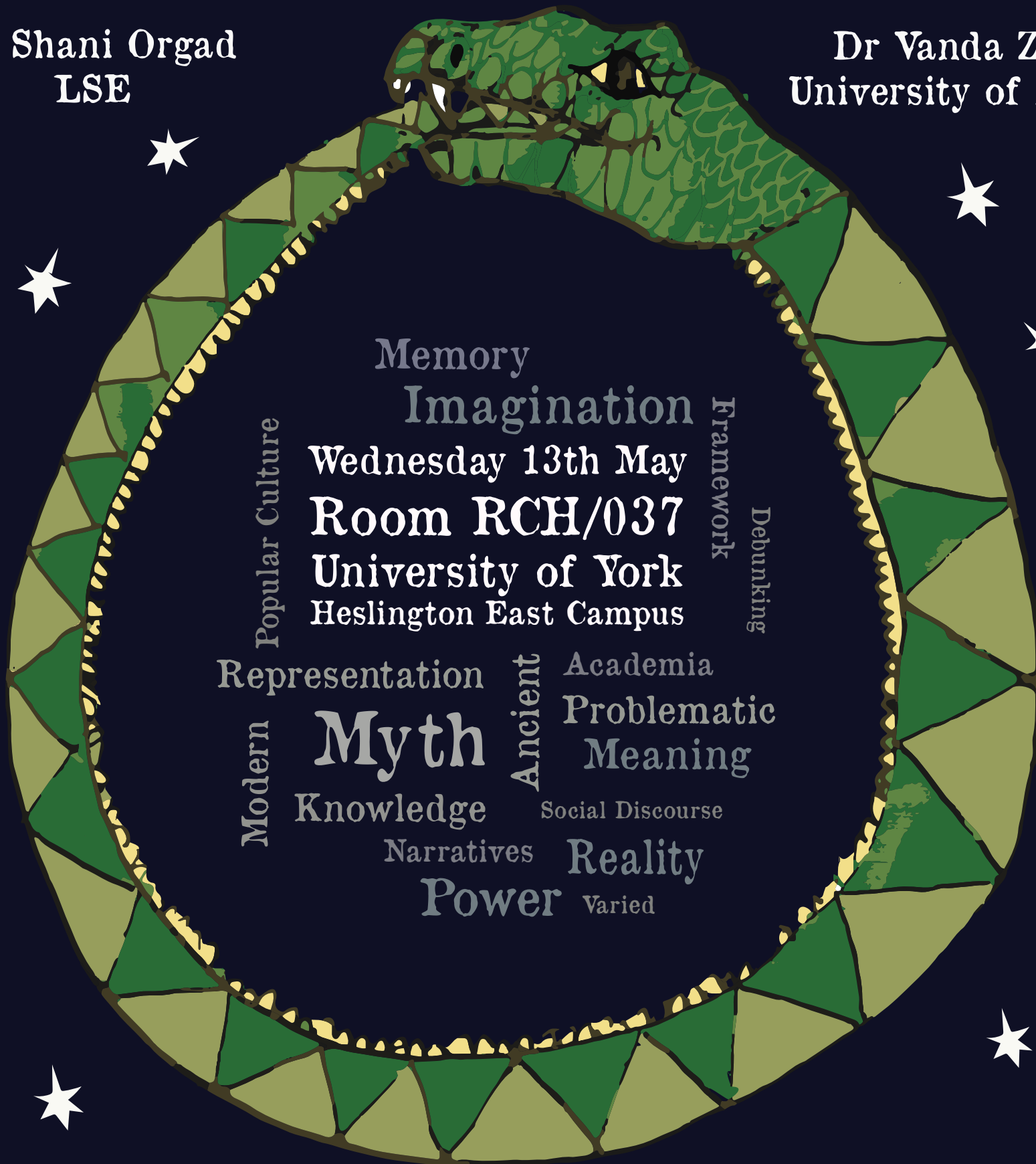


Myth(s) in the Social Sciences and Humanities: 2015 International Postgraduate Conference

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This postgraduate conference aims to explore the variety and richness of the notion of myth.

It seeks to create a space where a multitude of disciplines, perspectives, and methods could be discussed critically. The ambivalence and the ambiguity of 'myth' is intentional. Myth is wide and varied - it can be a problematic social construction; it can be the process of creating meaning; it can even be the myth of meaning itself. Thus this conference plans to provide an opportunity for multi/interdisciplinary perspectives and their critical exploration. We invite papers and panels including, but not limited to the following topics:

- MYTHS AND SOCIAL REPRESENTATIONS
- MYTHIC IMAGINATION
- MYTH IN POPULAR CULTURE
- THE ROLE OF INSTITUTIONS IN THE MYTH MAKING PROCESS
- MYTH, KNOWLEDGE AND REALITY
- NARRATIVES OF MYTHS, MYTHICAL NARRATIVES
- MYTHS AND POWER

- MYTH DEBUNKING IN ACADEMIA
- PROBLEMATIC MYTHS
- MYTH AND SOCIAL DISCOURSE
- MYTH AS A FRAMEWORK FOR UNDERSTANDING SOCIAL LIFE
- MYTHS AND MEMORY
- ANCIENT MYTHS AND/VS MODERN MYTHS

Abstracts should be no longer than 250 words and must be received by 5pm Monday 2nd March. Send to myth-2015@york.ac.uk