

Marginal Death Research: Doing Edgework symposium

Wednesday 2nd December 2015
Department of Sociology, University of York

9.30-9.45	Welcome in Ron Cook Hub RCH/039
9.45-10.30	Death and Consumption
	<i>Being, buying and dying: consumption experiences towards the end of life</i> Prof Stephanie O'Donohoe, University of Edinburgh Business School Prof Darach Turley, Dublin City University Business School <i>New clothes for the afterlife?</i> Judith Simpson, University of Leeds
10.30-10.45	Coffee break
10.45-11.30	Connecting the living and the dead
	<i>Continuing Bonds: Images of the dead</i> Dr Karina Croucher, University of Bradford <i>Death-Brides in Early Greece</i> Dr Ellie Mackin, King's College London
11.30-12.30	Lunch & research posters in the Lakehouse

12.30-13.30	<p>Keynote speaker: Prof Craig Young, Manchester Metropolitan University</p> <p><i>A place for the dead?: socio-cultural approaches in death, dying and disposal - marginal or moving to the centre</i></p>
13.30-14.15	<p>Bereavement and Memorialisation</p>
	<p><i>Visual and Virtual Memorialisation Following Perinatal Death</i></p> <p>Dr Kerry Jones, University of Exeter Medical School</p> <p><i>Death commemoration through food rituals in contemporary Greece as a multi/inter-sensorial experience against the Greek, private and public, decadence</i></p> <p>Danai Konstanta, Goldsmith, University of London</p>
14.15-14.30	Coffee break & research posters
14.30-15.15	<p>Death Imagery</p>
	<p><i>Thwarted Pastoral - The Aesthetics of Death in Williams Orpen's War Pictures</i></p> <p>Dr Miruna Cuzman, The University of Edinburgh</p> <p><i>Baby, I'm the walking dead: Psychobilly & the Dance of Death</i></p> <p>Lucy Talbot, Independent academic & blogger</p>
15.20-16.05	<p>Sex and Death</p>
	<p><i>Death & Eroticism: The Darker Side of Desire</i></p> <p>Romany Reagan, Royal Holloway, University of London</p> <p><i>Dead Inside: Female Necrophilia, UK Law and the Penetration Paradox</i></p> <p>Carla Valentine, Birbeck, University of London, Museum curator & blogger</p>
16.05-16.15	Break & research posters
16.15-16.45	Marginal Death Research: Discussion & closing remarks