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1st ANNUAL GRADUATE CONFERENCE

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Programme at a Glance

FRIDAY 7th July 2023	
Jim McMillan Room opens at 8:30 for early arrival, refreshments provided.	
9:00-10:00	Welcome and icebreaker activity: “research speed dating” Jim McMillan Room
10:00-12:00	<u>Panel 1: Labour and Production</u> Maeve Diepenbrock, Emily Fu, Sofiya Romashchenko, Aaron Allen 10:00-10:30 Aidan Ratchford 10:30-11:00 Eliska Bujokova 11:00-11:30 Tom Palmer 11:30-12:00 Meadows Lecture Theatre
12:00-13:00	Lunch provided at Jim McMillan Room
13:00-14:30	<u>Panel 2: Managing Finances</u> Fernando Alejandro Remache Vinueza 13:00-13:30 Shatabdi Mukhopadhyay 13:30-14:00 Tianyu Zhou 14:00-14:30 Meadows Lecture Theatre
14:30-15:00	Tea / Coffee Break Jim McMillan Room
15:00-17:00	<u>Panel 3: Poverty and Inequality</u> Joanne Wallace 15:00-15:30 Qingrou Zhao 15:30-16:00 Tré Ventour-Griffiths 16:00-16:30 Emily Chung 16:30-17:00 Meadows Lecture Theatre
17:00-19:00	Drinks reception till late Jim McMillan Room

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Icebreaker activity: “research speed dating”

In this 45-minute activity, each one of us will have the chance to speak with three different fellow researchers. We hope this could be a nice start to friendship, as well as a chance to learn about each other’s research.

The 45 minutes will be divided into three 15-minute sessions. In each short session, find a person you haven’t spoken with, and find out the answer to the following questions. (These are just hints to begin with!)

What is your name? Your pronouns?

How did you get to Edinburgh today?

How would you explain your research in a couple of sentences?

What would be the title of your biography?

What is the most recent song you listened to?

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Panel 1: Labour and Production

Chair: Siân Davies

Maeve Diepenbrock, Emily Fu, Sofiya Romashchenko, Aaron Allen

The MEFM Project Research Team, University of Edinburgh

Craft Production and Problems of Recovery: Mapping Edinburgh's Furniture Makers (MEFM) Project

Aidan Ratchford

University of Glasgow

'We fight poverty but we also fight alienation' - Ernesto 'Che' Guevara: Labour, Production and Psychology

Eliska Bujokova

University of Glasgow / University of Edinburgh

Care work, human capital investment and political economy in 18th century Scotland

Tom Palmer

University of Oxford

"Yours Fraternally": The British Left and Communist Poland, 1968-1982

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Panel 2: Managing Finances

Chair: Qingrou Zhao

Fernando Alejandro Remache Vinueza

University of Bremen

Protectionism and the implementation of pension schemes in Argentina, 1955-1983

Shatabdi Mukhopadhyay

University of Edinburgh

The Third Pillar: Uncovering The Potential Of Zakat In Addressing Poverty And Inequality In Islamic African Communities

Tianyu Zhou

University of Edinburgh

How Chinese reformist economists interpreted Janos Kornai in the 1980s

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Panel 3: Poverty and Inequality

Chair: Gino Magnini

Joanne Wallace

Campop Group, University of Cambridge

Rural-urban inequality and 19th century spatial mobility in England

Qingrou Zhao

University of Edinburgh

Greener on the other side: What made foreign settlements of Shanghai attractive to Chinese residents?

Tré Ventour-Griffiths

Kingston University

“By the Order of the Peaky Blinders”: Erased White Terror and Black Resistance in UK Period Dramas

Emily Chung

University of Cambridge

'Shapes on the Ground, Shapes in Society': Residential Segregation in Mid-Nineteenth Century Manchester