



Comparative Colonialisms: An Interdisciplinary Workshop

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10:20-10:30 Introduction/Welcome

10:30-11:00 **Jim Duncan** Colonial Calculations:
'Making Survive' in Colonial South Asian Prisons

11:00-11:30 **Zoe Laidlaw** Understanding Britain's
Empire: historical and contemporary
comparative frameworks

Tea/Coffee 11:30-12:00

12:00-12:30 **Stephen Legg** Intra-Comparative
Colonialism: trafficking and regulating
prostitutes in interwar India

12:30-1:00 **David Lambert** Mr MacQueen's map;
or, geographical comparison and the
politics of Atlantic slavery

Lunch 1:00- 2:00

2:00-2:30 **Philip Howell** Prostitution regulation in
the British Mediterranean: imperial inheritances
and colonial innovations

2:30-3:00 **Tomas Larsson** A "colonial" producer
of race and space? The Siamese state in
comparative perspective

Tea/Coffee 3:00-3:30

3:30-4:00 **Dan Clayton** Impure and worldly
geography": Pierre Gourou and the colonial
genealogy of tropicality

4:00-4:30 **David Nally** Colonial welfare: famine
relief and improvement in India and Ireland

Roundtable 4:30-5:30

Wine reception 5:45-6:45

Please RSVP David Nally (dpn24@cam.ac.uk)
if you are interested in attending

