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Artistic Research into Modern Languages and Cultures conference

Venue: Bangor University Main Buliding & Pontio, Bangor, Gwynedd LL57 2DG

How can the arts and artistic methods transform research, teaching and learning in Modern Languages and Cultures (MLC)?

How can creative practices contribute to understanding languages, translation or to understanding cultures, and generate knowledge that might otherwise remain hidden? More and more artists and scholars are looking into these questions today. However, only few have so far tried to implement theories and practices of artistic research into their teaching and research. Our conference "Artistic Research in Modern Languages & Cultures" held at Bangor University from 16 – 17 April aims to change this, and we hope to initiate nothing short of an overall disciplinary renewal.

The conference will bring together international researchers, practitioners and artists from a range of language backgrounds. We invite all participants to share their insights into and their experiences with the transformative power of creative practices in MLC in unconventional formats: through performances, installations, exhibitions and participatory workshops.

The conference is open to all, and we particularly invite everyone to join us for a live performance of *Home.Run* by Hartmut El Kurdi in the Pontio Studio, 7:30pm Thrusday 16 April. The performance is free of charge for conference attendees and will be followed by a short Q&A session. In case you only wish to join us for the performance, please purchase your £5 ticket directly through www.pontio.co.uk

Thursday 16 April, 2020

11:00-12:30

Arrival, Welcome and Set-Up Pontio/Cledwyn Rooms

12:30-13:30

Opening: Sarah Pogoda: Our daily bread. A three course-lunch piece. Pontio PL2, Lunch will be served

Block 1 Pontio PL2

13:30-14:00

Jen Calleja: How women and non-binary literary translators use creative non-fiction to write about their practice

14:00-14:45

Jen Calleja: Creative Translation Workshop for (monolingual and multilingual) Writers and Translators – a taster session

14:45-15:30

Abby Cook: Monologue and Performance as Artistic Research

15:30-16:15

Coffee Break (Cledwyn Room 2)

Block 2 Cledwyn Room 3

16:15-16:45

Boriana Alexandrova: Storytelling the Unspeakable: Exploring Personal and Historical Trauma Narratives in Caribbean Poetry

16:45-17:30

Mathelinda Nabugodi: Editing Poetic Practice: an example from Percy Bysshe Shelley

Friday 17 April, 2020

Block 3 Pontio PL2

9:30-10:30

Workshop Alex Mangold: Language, Identity and Pace: Translation for Performance

10:30-11:00

Francesca Lewis: *The Sublime Borderline* a short film exploring Clarice Lispector's mirrors as phenomenological portals towards counterdiagnostic meaning

11:00-11:30: Coffee Break

Block 4 Cledwyn Room 3

11:30-12:00

Matthew Cheeseman: Editing and Publishing Artistic Research

12:00-12:30

Natasha Tanna: Curatorial Politics: Healing and/or Puncture

12:30- 14:00: Time for Lunch
Recommendations provided in conference pack

Block 5 Cledwyn Rooms

Installations, Exhibitions and Talks

14:00-14:30

Andrea Milde: Installation: Linguistics in Drama

14:30-15:30

Aurèlia Puigdomènechaup: Installation: Getting to know Mary through Artistic Practice

15:30-16:15

Janet Ruth Davis (in conversation with Eva Bru-Dominguez): *Hidden in Plain Sight: Exploring the Analogic Body in Contemporary Photogra*phy. A workshop.

16:15-16:45: Coffee (Cledwyn Room 2)

16:45-17:15

Initiating Network for Artistic Research in MLC Network and closing remarks (Cledwyn 3)

Afterwards: Option to go out for Dinner in Bangor

(Program subject to changes)

17:45: Conference Dinner – Bangor Tandoori Restaurant, 347 High Street, Bangor, LL57 1YH

19:30

Live Performance: Hartmut El Kurdi: Home.Run Pontio, Studio, followed by Q&A

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