

Bridges Between: Intercultural Exchange and the Modern Nordic World

A one-day interdisciplinary conference organised by the Nordic Research Network on 11 November 2016, at the Institute of Modern Languages Research, University of London, Senate House, Malet Street, London WC1E 7HU.

The Nordic Research Network, in collaboration with the Institute for Modern Languages Research, invites contributions to an interdisciplinary day conference, engaging – according to the broadest possible interpretations – with the theme of 'Bridges Between'. At the most basic level, this theme can be read as one of intercultural connection. Accordingly, the conference, which is a counterpart to that of the Nordic Research Network taking place in Glasgow in May 2016 (focusing on the period 500-1500), will explore connections, influences, interplay and networks in modern and contemporary Nordic cultures and cultural production.

Aside from the research focus of the event, a key objective of the Nordic Research Network in holding it is the building of networks and connections within and between the various disciplines represented, as well as between colleagues at various stages of their careers, in particular between graduate students and early career researchers.

Topics may include, but are not limited to:

- Connections between the Nordic countries
- Migratory cultures
- Copies and originals
- Translation
- Intertextualities
- Popular culture and high culture
- Crossing physical and mental borders
- Self and Other
- Collaboration and conflict
- Norms and deviations
- State and individual
- Public and private spheres
- The country and the city
- Home and exile

If you wish to present at this conference, please send a **title, abstract (≤200 words)** and a short **biographical note** including your institutional affiliation (≤50 words) to london@nordicresearchnetwork.co.uk by **15 June 2016**. The organising committee will review all submissions, and you will be notified of the outcome shortly thereafter.

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