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MODERN LANGUAGES CDRG RESEARCH SHOWCASE
Friday 20 May 2022, Council Chamber and Canada Room, QUB

10-11.15: Plenary lecture by Professor Stephanie Dennison (University of Leeds):
Practising Inclusive Citation in Modern Languages Research: The View from Brazilian Film Studies. Welcome and introduction by Dr Tori Holmes

For as long as I can remember, as Modern Languages researchers and teachers we have (quietly) prided ourselves on our ability to read (and view) material beyond the Anglo-American canon, and we have made use of this ability to argue that we offer fresh perspectives on theory and practice within the broad range of sub-disciplines that our subject area encompasses. As Modern Languages researchers, inclusive citation should, then, be our bread and butter. But to what extent are we really contributing to the advancement of the so-called decolonial classroom? How much attention, for example, are we paying to calls to #CiteBlackWomen? Taking as a case study my recent explorations of race and gender in Brazilian cinema, I offer some reflections on the impact that citing more inclusively has made to my understanding of film culture more broadly.

11.15-11.35: *Morning coffee*

11.35-12.40: A Celebration of recent publications in Modern Languages

- *La Passion de San-Antonio. Frédéric Dard et ses lecteurs* (Presses universitaires Savoie Mont Blanc, 2021) by Dr Dominique Jeannerod with Mark O'Rawe
- *Spiritual wounds. Trauma, testimony & the Irish Civil War* (Irish Academic Press, 2022) by Dr Síobhra Aiken with Katie Mc Namee and Amber Mc Daid
- *Fictions of Whiteness: Imagining the Planter Caste in the French Caribbean Novel* (University of Virginia Press, 2021) by Professor Maeve McCusker with Margaret Cunningham

Chair: Laura Kennedy

12.45-13.45: *Lunch*

13.45-14.45: New directions in research

- Professor Isabel Torres, *Reflections on Relevance [and Kinesis] in Early Modern Spanish Poetry*
- Dr Maria Tavares, *On Heroism*
- Dr Marcos McCoinnigh, *Social Forgetting and the Irish Language*

Chair: Dr Claire Moran

14.45-15.10: *Afternoon tea*

15.10-16.10: **PhD flashtalks** (with Erin McCombe, Sarah O'Neill, Yao Xiao, Lijie Wang)

Chair: Dr Piotr Blumczyński

16.10-16.50: **Women, Religion, and Culture in Spain and Spanish America (1900-2000)**

- Dr Ricki O'Rawe (Spanish and Portuguese Studies)
- Dr Eamon McCarthy (University of Glasgow)

Chair: Dr Anne Holloway

16.50-17.20: **Younger voices closing round table**

Led by PGR students with final reflection from Professor Dennison

17.30: *Wine reception*, Canada Room

19.30: *Dinner* (optional) at Molly's Yard (1 College Green Mews)