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**Immigration,
Ethnic Mobilities,
and Diasporic
Communities in a
Transnational World**

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2018

REGISTRATION

3:00 - 6:00 PM
OAK

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2018

BREAKFAST AND REGISTRATION

8:00 – 9:00 AM
ALHAMBRA

WELCOMING REMARKS

9:00 – 9:15 AM
ALHAMBRA

Lloyd Wong and Shibao Guo, Conference Co-chairs

PLENARY SESSION 1

9:15 – 10:30 AM
ALHAMBRA

**Moderator: John Biles, Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship
Canada/Government of Canada**

**Jeffrey Reitz, Munk School of Global Affairs & Public Policy, University of
Toronto**

Behind Immigration Debates: Discourse, Policy and Reality of Muslim Integration in
Western Societies

Vic Satzewich, Department of Sociology, McMaster University

In Between Push/Pull and Macro/Micro: Migrant and Immigrant Mobility, Third
Parties and the Process of Border Crossing

Lori Wilkinson, Department of Sociology, University of Manitoba

Communal Tragedy, Suffering and Loss: Observations on Trauma and Resettlement
among Yazidi families in Canada

Min Zhou, Department of Sociology, University of California, Los Angeles

Immigrant Selectivity, Economic Integration, Diasporic Formation: Chinese and
Indians in the United States

COFFEE BREAK

10:30 – 10:45 AM

PARALLEL SESSION A:

10:45 – 12:00 PM

**Session A-1: Citizenship and Integration: Recent Trends and
Lessons** **CHAMPLAIN**

Chair: Yasmeen Abu-Laban, University of Alberta

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Diversity is Our Strength: Multiculturalism, Immigration and the Trudeau Liberal

Sandeep Agrawal, University of Alberta

Settlement Experience of Syrian Refugees in Alberta

Michael Frishkopf, University of Alberta

Music for Global Human Development: Giving Voice to Refugees in Canada and Globally

Reza Hasmath, University of Alberta

The (Dis)Integration of Ethnic Minorities in Contemporary China, and the Lessons Learned for Canada

Session A-2: Multiculturalism in an International Context **NORQUAY**

Chair: Shibao Guo

Ratna Ghosh, McGill University

Multiculturalism in a Comparative Perspective: Australia, Canada and India

Yanzhong Wang and Jijiao Zhang, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences

Constructing Multiculturalism in China: Emerging Debates and Challenges

Augie Fleras, University of Waterloo

Canadian Multiculturalism: Accounting for its Durability, Preparing for its Future

Session A-3: Immigrant and Refugee Integration

LACOMBE

Chair: Mabel Ho, University of British Columbia

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Multicultural Mosaic: How Ethnic Organizations Facilitates Transnational Practices and Integration in Canada

Christine Walsh, University of Calgary

Housing Insecurity Among Newcomer Women: Examining Intersections of Class, Gender, and Migrant Status

Vibha Kaushik, University of Calgary

Barriers to Successful Socioeconomic Integration of Skilled Immigrant Women in Canada: Insights from Calgary

Aziz Rahman, University of Manitoba

Understanding the Economic Integration of Refugees in Canada

Jacky Ka Kei Liu, University of Calgary

Capitalizing Volunteerism for Visible Minority Newcomers Re-integration in Canada: Impact on Health, Belongingness, and Employability

Session A-4: Education and Diasporas

STRATHCONA

Chair: Wakako Ishikawa, OISE/University of Toronto

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Japanese-Canadian Education During the Second World War Internment Camps in British Columbia

Taryn Fritz, University of Calgary

Human Rights, Multiculturalism and Decolonizing English Language Arts 30 Curriculum in Alberta

Giselle Thompson, York University

Beyond Diaspora Philanthropy: Examining the Torontonion-Jamaican Diaspora's Support of Public Education in Jamaica

Kelli Stevens, Hieu Ngo & Francis Boakye, University of Calgary

Identity Development: Learning from Students on a Field School to Ghana

Zandra Cerpa Gomez, University of Calgary

Non-Canadian Teachers and Science Education

Session A-5: Second Generation, Youth, and Children

ANGUS

Chair: Kara Somerville, University of Saskatchewan

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The Migratory Journey of Non-Migrants: Transnational family relations among second generation South Asians in Canada

Janine Tine, University of Alberta

Parents' Understandings of their Bicultural Children

Lily Dyson, University of Victoria

At the Intersection of Immigration and Race: Ethnic Identity and Its Ecological Correlates in Recent Chinese Immigrant Children in Middle Childhood in Canadian Society

Esra Ari, Kings' University College at Western

Centering the White Gaze: Dark-White Portuguese and Black Jamaicans

Yidan Zhu, University of British Columbia

Toward a Transnational Understanding of Mothering and Lifelong Learning: Theorizing "Transnational Motherhood Learning" from Chinese Immigrant Mothers in Canada

LUNCH

12:00 – 1:00 PM

ALHAMBRA

PARALLEL SESSION B

1:00 – 2:15 PM

Session B-1: Refugee Integration and Cross-Cultural Education

CHAMPLAIN

Chair: Yan Guo

Yan Guo & Shibao Guo, University of Calgary

Integration Experiences of Syrian Refugee Children in Canadian Schools

Ghada Alatrash, University of Calgary

On the Lived Experience of the Syrian Disapora in Canada

Rabindra Chaulagain, University of Lethbridge

Resettlement and Remembrance: Past, Present, and Future of Nepali Speaking
Bhutanese Refugees Residing in Canada

Xiaoli Liu, University of Calgary

Critical Thinking in Cross-Cultural Contexts: A Comparative Perspective

**Session B-2: Transnational Spaces and Intersectionality in the
Context of Global Migration** **NORQUAY**

Chair: Pallavi Banerjee, University of Calgary

Pallavi Banerjee, Martine Dennie, and Rineem Saleh, University of Calgary

Intersectional Interplays: Media and Policy Rhetoric and the Process of
Resettlements of Newly Arrived Syrian Refugees in Canada

Soulit Chacko, Loyola University Chicago

“I am still waiting for my story to start”:

Working Class Immigrant Workers and Their Transnational Lives in the U.S.

Hamid Akbary, University of Calgary

Ethnic Consciousness Among Afghan Students in the U.S.: Examining the Relevance
of Pashtun Ethnic Group’s Political Dominance

Sharla Alegria, University of California, Merced

The Trouble of Broadening Participation in Flexible Work: Gender and Transnational
Labor in Tech Work

Session B-3: Muslims and Islamophobia **ANGUS**

Chair: Abdie Kazemipur, University of Calgary

Abdie Kazemipur & Syed Hammad Ali, University of Calgary

The Interpretation of Islam and the Inter-group Sentiments Among Muslim
Minorities: The Impact of Demography and Social Interactions

Adil Afzal, University of Saskatchewan

Beyond the Islamophobia Phantasmagoria: A Critical Discourse Analysis of
Islamophobia in Canadian Newspapers

Xiashengyou Wang & Henry Chow, University of Regina

Divine Diversity in a Canadian Prairie City: Exploring the Interactions With and
Perceptions of Muslims in a Sample of University Students

Neila Miled, University of British Columbia
Muslim lives, Muslim voices: Narratives Through the Lens

Session B-4: Racialized Youth

STRATHCONA

Chair: Dan Cui, Brock University

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Racialized Habitus: The Integration Experience of Chinese Immigrant Youth

Dania El Chaar, University of Calgary

Factors Affecting Academic Outcomes among Immigrant and Refugee Youth from Arab Descent in Calgary, AB

Patti Trussler, University of Calgary

Voices of Refugee Youth

Navjotpal Kaur, Memorial University of Newfoundland

Masculinity in Transition: Case Study of Young Immigrant Punjabi Men in Canada

Session B-5: Global Diasporas

LACOMBE

Chair: Victor Armony, Université du Québec à Montréal

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Latin American Diaspora-Building in Quebec: Results From a Survey with 1000 Immigrants

Tania Das Gupta, York University

Twice-Migrated South Asian Households and Transnational Living

Neil Cruickshank, North Island College

From Gypsies to Roma: Identity, Cultural Autonomy, Political Sovereignty and (the Search of a Trans-Territorial State

Beatrice Guenther, Bowling Green State University

Transnational Film: North African Diasporas in Reid Hammoud's *T'es ou, Youssef and Bachir Bensaddek's Montréal la Blanche*

Svetlana Maximova, Oksana Noyanzina, Daria Omelchenko, Maksim Maksimov, & Maksim Krysin, Altai State University

Russian Immigrants as Diasporic Russian-Speaking Community

Session C-1: Canadian Ethnic Studies Chairs in Canada Roundtable
CHAMPLAIN

Moderator: Vic Satzewich, McMaster University

This roundtable of current and former Canadian Ethnic Studies Chairs will discuss the state of the art of ethnic studies in Canada followed by an open discussion with the audience.

Panelists**Jim Frideres, University of Calgary****Abdie Kazemipur, University of Calgary****Jeffrey Reitz, University of Toronto****Morton Weinfeld, McGill University****Session C-2: Intersections of Race, Culture and Equity with Chinese Communities Across Transnational Contexts****NORQUAY**

Chair: Benjamin “Benji” Chang, The Education University of Hong Kong**Guanglun Michael Mu, Queensland University of Technology**

Does Chineseness Equate with Mathematics Competence? Resilience to Racialized Stereotype

Sunny Man Chu Lau, Bishop’s University

English for Real Purposes: Critical Engagement with Immigrant ESL Teenagers in Race and Bullying Issues

Benjamin “Benji” Chang, The Education University of Hong Kong

From the ‘Model Minority’ to the ‘Chinese-Learner’: Issues of Culture, Language, and Educational Equity with Students and Teachers of Chinese Heritage in the United States and Hong Kong

Session C-3: Perceptions of Immigrants/Refugees
ANGUS

Chair: Henry Chow, University of Regina**Henry Chow, University of Regina**

Settling Refugees in Canada: Understanding the Major Determinants of University Students’ Perceptions of Refugees

Kaltrina Kusari, University of Calgary

“Knocking on Doors that Never Open”: Examining Discourses of Rejected Asylum Seekers from Kosova

Xiashengyou Wang & Angel Chow, University of Regina

Immigration and Ethnocultural Diversity: Major Factors Contributing to Attitudes toward Immigrants in a Western Canadian City

Patrick Imbert, University of Ottawa

Rethinking Perceptions Linked to Ethnicity and Multiculturalism

Session C-4: Sexual Minorities

LACOMBE

Chair: Lisa Grekul, University of British Columbia, Okanagan

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This is the New Diaspora: Queer Transnationalism and the War in Ukraine

Muhammad Ahsan, Rainbow Resource Centre, Winnipeg

Canada: A Safer Haven for LGBTQ+ Refugees and Immigrants (A Narrative of In/Voluntary Mobility)

Trevor Corkum, University of Toronto

Nowhere Over the Rainbow: Queer Citizenship and Sexual Minority International Students in Toronto

Amber-Lee Varadi, Brock University

We're Here (in Canada), We're Queer (and Homonormative): *Canada's Civil Marriage Act*

Session C-5: Gender and Intersectionality

STRATHCONA

Chair: Kanika Samuels-Wortley, University of Waterloo

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Violence Against Immigrant Black Youth in the Great White North: Exploring the Prevalence of Victimization among Black Women from a Canadian Context

Yilong Liu, OCAD University

Confronting Ambiguity: Reading the Intersection of Racial and Sexual Marginalisation in Rex vs Singh and Seeking Single White Male

Minha Ha, York University

Race, Gender, Class and Dominant Images of Engineering Students

COFFEE BREAK

3:40 – 4:00 PM

PARALLEL SESSION D

4:00 – 5:15 PM

Session D-1: Immigration, Integration and Identity

CHAMPLAIN

Chair: Yan Guo

Yan Zhang, Mount Royal University

Transitional Identities of Chinese Canadian Children: *"I am a Living Person"*

Marcia Kim, University of Calgary

Transcultural Experiences of Internationally Educated Nurses Working in Canada

Ling Lei, University of Calgary

From Intellectual Mobility to Transnational Professional Space: Experiences of Internationally Educated Chinese Academic Returnees

Ratna Ghosh, McGill University

Citizenship, Identity and Belonging: South Asian Immigrants to Quebec

Laura Wyper, Algoma University

Neoliberal Conceptual Framing of Adult Education Policy for Additional Language Learners and Newcomers in Northern Ontario: The Implications of Being Inside or Outside of the Frame

Session D-2: The Ukrainian Canadian Diaspora and Ukraine: From Keeping the Flame to Passing the Torch

NORQUAY

Chair: Olenka Bilash, University of Alberta

This panel provides four case study presentations of the historical events that reveal the complexity of the Ukrainian community in Canada. It then updates key processes within the Ukrainian Canadian victim diaspora and also shows the emergence of a deterritorialized type of diaspora as a result of significant recent emigration from Ukraine to Canada.

Panelists

Olenka Bilash, University of Alberta

Roman Petryshyn, University of Alberta

Jars Balan, University of Alberta

Marco Levytsky, Independent Researcher

Session D-3: Identity and Sense of Belonging

STRATHCONA

Chair: Zheng Wu, University of Victoria

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The Effect of In-Group Belonging on National Belonging: An Instrumental Variables Approach

Nina Xu, University of Ottawa

Negotiating Third Spaces: Belonging and Identity among 1.5 Generation Uyghur Canadians from China

Fatema Zohara, Loyola University

Creating a South Asian Muslim Identity in the United States

Vivian W.Y. Leung, University of Toronto

Family Enculturation and Ethnic Identity Trajectory of Chinese 1.5 and Second Generation Immigrants in Toronto

Session D-4: Chinese Immigrant Communities

ANGUS

Chair: Shibao Guo, University of Calgary

Hongxia Shan, University of British Columbia

Chinese Transnationalism Reticulated in the Asian Pacific Area: A story of ambivalence

Angela Yu, University of Oxford

East by East Coast, Transnational Fantasies of Mobility and Chinese Communities in Atlantic Canada

Xiaohong Wan, South China Normal University

The Political Participation by Chinese Canadians: Findings of the 2015 Canadian Federal Elections

Chen Liu, Beijing Foreign Studies University

Stacking up in Competition for Global Talents: Leadership, Politics, and Implementation

Jinting Wu, University at Buffalo, The State University of New York
Transnational Strategies in the Shadow of Citizenship: Chinese Migrants in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

Session D-5: Dimensions of Citizenship

LACOMBE

Chair: Parveen Nangia, Laurentian University

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Transnational Citizens in Canada: Social and Economic Well-Being

Yuriko Cowper-Smith, University of Guelph
Dimensions of Diversity: Civic and Political Engagement of Rohingya Newcomers in Ontario

Selin Kepenek, University of Toronto
Voting from Abroad: Understanding Turkish Immigrants' Votes

Paul McKenzie-Jones, University of Lethbridge
Rethinking the International Border in Blackfoot Country

CANADIAN ETHNIC STUDIES BOOK LAUNCH

5:30 – 6:30 PM

Immigration, Racial and Ethnic Studies in 150 years of Canada: Retrospects and Prospects. 2018 - Brill|Sense Publishers.

(refreshments & appetizers served)

RIVERVIEW LOUNGE

Contributing authors include: Victor Armony, David Este, Augie Fleras, Shibao Guo, Abdie Kazemipur, Howard Ramos, Vic Satzewich, Lori Wilkinson, Morton Weinfeld, Lloyd Wong, Henry Yu

CESA RECEPTION

7:00 – 9:00 PM

CASCADE BALLROOM

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2018

BREAKFAST & REGISTRATION

8:00 – 9:00 AM
ALHAMBRA

PLENARY SESSION 2

9:00 - 10:30 AM
ALHAMBRA

Moderator: Lloyd Wong, University of Calgary

Henry Yu, Department of History, University of British Columbia
Global Migration and the New Pacific Canada

Benjamin "Benji" Chang, Department of Curriculum & Instruction, The Education University of Hong Kong
From No Child Left Behind to Left Behind Children? Implications of Schooling and Pedagogy with Chinese Americans for Chinese Diasporic Communities

Hong LIU, School of Social Sciences, Nanyang Technological University
Between National Identification and Transnational Mobility: Southeast Asian Chinese Respond to the Belt and Road Initiative

COFFEE BREAK

10:30 – 10:45 AM

PARALLEL SESSION E

10:45 – 12:00 PM

Session E-1: Multiculturalism Through a Transnational Lens

CHAMPLAIN

Chair: Sherry Yu, University of Toronto

Sherry Yu, University of Toronto
Multiculturalism, Cultural Literacy, and Social Integration

Adina Balint, Université de Winnipeg
Multiculturalisme et Littérature: Expressions et Manifestations Canadiennes Contemporaines / Multiculturalism and Literature: Contemporary Canadian Expressions and Representations

Warren Clarke, Carleton University

Canadian Multiculturalism: Conceptualizing Black Canadian Male Youth's Masculinity

Ho Hon Leung, State University of New York College at Oneonta

Multiculturality in the Space of BBQ Practice: Exploring Ethnic Relations Through Two Heritage Enterprise Restaurants in Vancouver

Jennifer Tunncliffe, King's University College

The 'Radical Right' and Challenges to Official Multiculturalism in 1970s Canada: The Transnational Lens

Session E-2: Transcultural Competence and Intersectionality for Fostering Inclusive Workplace and Society

NORQUAY

Chair: Sinela Jurkova, University of Calgary

The transnational migration and mobility across borders shift our understanding of cultures, impact multiple identities and reconfigure workplace practices. Consequently, the dynamics of these processes in multi-faceted locations call for holistic approach of learning, developing transcultural competence and practices that will foster an inclusive workplace and society. The session will discuss how transcultural competence and intersectionality impact culturally diverse community and workplace

Jingzhou Liu, University of Calgary

The Changing Nature of Working in the Age of Immigration: Exploring Settlement Workers' Workplace Learning Experience in Canada

Sinela Jurkova, University of Calgary

Transcultural Competence as Transformative Learning that Fosters an Inclusive Society

Ricardo Morales, Calgary Catholic Immigration Society

A Personal Framework for Interacting, Teaching, and Living in an Unfamiliar Culture

Session E-3: Toward a Transnational, Feminist and Intersectional Perspective on Immigrants and Refugees in Canada

OAK

Chair: Christina Gabriel, Carleton University

Ann Denis, University of Ottawa

Reflections on Using Feminist Intersectional Analyses for the Study of Immigrant and Refugee Women in Transnational Perspective

Glenda Bonifacio, University of Lethbridge

Grounding Intersectionality in Transnationality and Activism: Immigrant Women and Disaster Response

Evangelia Tastsoglou, Saint Mary's University

Gender and the Precarity / Violence Nexus in the Forced Migration Journey

Guida Man & Tania Das Gupta, York University

Transnational Migration Trajectories of Immigrant Women Professionals in Toronto

Lena Barrantes & Glory Ovie, University of Calgary

International Ph.D. Female Students' Experiences: A Duoethnography about Immigration, Gender and Race

Session E-4: Immigrant Youth, Identity and Crime: Results from a Youth Gang Prevention Program

STRATHCONA

Chair: Hieu Ngo, University of Calgary

This session describes the results from the Identity-Based Wraparound Intervention project, also known as the "Real Me" Program, which seeks to prevent and/or reduce gang involvement by immigrant youth.

Hieu Van Ngo, University of Calgary

Overview of the IBWI Project

Kelli Stevens, University of Calgary

Carolee Turner & Francis Boakye, Centre for Newcomers

Project Management and Implementation

Lindsay Guyn, Guyn Cooper Associates Ltd.

Evaluation Results

Session E-5: Immigration Policies and Immigrant Services

ANGUS

Chair: Jim Frideres

Shuguang Wang, Ryerson University

Influence of Canadian Immigration Policies on Ethnic Business Development

Wendy Chan, Simon Fraser University

Supporting Abused Immigrant Women: The Challenges of Service Delivery in Rural BC

Angela Willmott, University of Waterloo

Impacts of Partnership Programs on Resettlement Outcomes for Government-Assisted Refugees in Canada

LUNCH, CESA GENERAL MEETING & LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

12:00 – 1:30 PM

ALHAMBRA

PARALLEL SESSION F

1:30 – 2:45 PM

DVD Presentation – David Este

ALHAMBRA

We are the Roots: Black Settlers and Their Experiences of Discrimination on the Canadian Prairies

This DVD is the winner of the 2018 Oral History Association's Elizabeth B. Mason Award and the Oral History in Non-Print Format Award

Session F-1: Digging into Immigration Data: How the IMDB can be used to look beyond Taxes and Earnings

CHAMPLAIN

Chair: Howard Ramos, Dalhousie University

Jonathan Amoyaw, Dalhousie University

Patterns of Temporary Status and Transition to Permanent Residency among International Students

Michael Haan, Western University

Retention or Onward Migration of Temporary and Permanent Residents

Yoko Yoshida, Dalhousie University

Transition to Adulthood of Child and Youth Immigrants to Canada

Xiaoyi Yan, Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada Government of Canada

Social Outcomes of Immigrants: the Canadian Evidence

Session F-2: Ethnic Mobilities Across Space and Generations

NORQUAY

Chair: Shirley Chau, University of British Columbia, Okanagan

Shirley Chau, University of British Columbia, Okanagan

Social Networks and Gender in the Economic Integration of Racialized Newcomers in a Midsized City

Ravi Pendakur, University of Ottawa

Krishna Pendakur, Simon Fraser University

Earnings Differentials Across Ethnic Group

Mohsen Javdani, University of British Columbia

Visible Minorities and Job Mobility: Evidence from a Workplace Panel Survey

Olabanji Akinola, Algoma University

(Re)Enacting Transnational Habitus? The “Underground Railroad” and Twenty-First Century African Refugee Claimants in Canada

Anke Patzelt, University of Ottawa

One Return Ticket to Canada, Please – Return and Onward Migration Experiences of Highly Skilled German Migrants Moving to and from Canada

Session F-3: Toward a Transnational, Feminist and Intersectional Perspective on Immigrants and Refugees in Canada

OAK

Chair: Evangelia Tastsoglou, Saint Mary's University

Jane Ku, University of Windsor

Journeys to a Diasporic Ethnic Self: Three Confessions

Peruvemba Jaya, University of Ottawa

Immigrant Women with Disabilities: An Overview of Challenges and Issues in Multiple Contexts

Rina Cohen, York University

(Re)turning Home: A Feminist Perspective on Returning and Circular Migration

Christina Gabriel & Laura Macdonald, Carleton University

Labour Transnationalism, Gender, and Canada's Temporary Foreign Worker Program

Session F-4: Inclusion / Exclusion / Labour Market

ANGUS

Chair: Naomi Lightman, University of Calgary

Naomi Lightman, University of Calgary

Measuring Economic Disparities for Immigrants and Racialized Minorities in Canada: An Index of Economic Exclusion

Raluca Bejan, University of Toronto

Sameness and Difference in Canada and the UK: Querying whiteness as a categorical marker within transnational interpretative matrices of inclusion and exclusion

Janelle Joseph, University of Toronto

Race and Sport in Canada: Celebration, Discrimination, Transformation, and Reconciliation

Session F-5: Migrant Movements and Transnationalism

STRATHCONA

Chair: Fernando Mata, University of Ottawa

Fernando Mata, University of Ottawa

Refugee Class Mix in the Ethnic Immigrant Inflows to Canada: Explorations with Census Data

Glenda Bonifacio, University of Lethbridge

Creating Spaces of Inclusion in Pre and Post Arrival Services: Agentic Metrics in Ethnic Transnationalism

Rita Dhungel, MacEwan University

John Winterdyk, Mount Royal University

Irregular Migration and Human Smuggling: Emerging Practice Model and Community-Based Action Research

COFFEE BREAK

2:45 – 3:00 PM

PARALLEL SESSION G

3:00 – 4:15 PM

Session G-1: Transnational Space, Identity, and First Nations

CHAMPLAIN

Chair: Virginie Mesana, University of Ottawa

Virginie Mesana, University of Ottawa

The Diasporic Film Festival as Transnational Space: Redefining Majority and Minority Statuses at the Intersection of Race, Gender and Class

Christina Stoica, University of Western Ontario

Ethnic Mobilities and Transnational Social Spaces: Understanding the Effect Social and Cultural Norms Have on the Exile Experience

Xiaolei Hou, University of Calgary

Positional Identity in Chinese Canadian Novels

Sharon Jarvis, University of British Columbia

WOE for Ethnic Accord

Meng Xiao, University of Toronto

Environmental Education: Bringing an Indigenous Eco-justice and Social Justice Worldview Back to Reconciliation

**Session G-2: Immigrant Experiences and Immigration Politics: Past
and Present** **NORQUAY**

Chair: Gertrude Mianda, York University

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Colonial Memory and the Path of sub-Saharan African Francophone Migration to Canada

Brytan Mendes, McGill University

The Words That Weren't Said: The Reception, Memory and Trauma, and Commemoration of the Holocaust in Montreal

Thirstan Falconer, St. Jerome's University

Divided Amongst his Friends: Stanley Haidasz, the Liberal Party, and Canada's Ethnic Communities, 1958-1974

Session G-3: Transnational Mobility and Identities **ANGUS**

Chair: Nicholas Spence, University of Toronto, Scarborough

Nicholas Spence, University of Toronto, Scarborough

National Pride and Sense of Belonging in Multicultural Canada: Understanding Differences among Canada's Ethno-Racial Communities

Hari KC, Wilfrid Laurier University

The 'South Asian' in the Canadian Transnational History: Whither Stands the Nepali Transnational Identity?

Shirin Khayambashi, McMaster University

My Flag, My Identity: Fragmented Identities in Iranian Diaspora

Kathleen Boodhai, Northumbria University

Indian Heritage-ness': Exploring Notions of Indianess Amongst Indo-Trinidadians in Canada

Lucy Amadala, University of Calgary

Forced Mobilities: Identity Change in the Context of the Resettlement of Refugee Female Lone-Parents in Canada

Session G-4: Immigrant and Refugee Health

OAK

Chair: Eugena Kwon, Western University

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Awareness and Utilization of Canada's Food Guide and the Changing Face of Canada

Nasim Khatibsemnani, University of Ottawa

Living with Chronic Pain: Intersections of Immigration, Race, Class, Gender, and Disability

Qianyun Wang, University of Calgary Spousal Bereavement Adjustment:

Perspectives of Older Chinese Immigrants in Calgary

Session G-5: Education, Citizenship and Governance **STRATHCONA**

Chair: Jan Stewart, University of Winnipeg

Jan Stewart, University of Winnipeg

Bridging Two Worlds: Educating Newcomer Youth in a Multicultural Canada

Erica Amery, University of Calgary

The Role of Intercultural Education in a Community-Based English as a Second Language Program

Sigrid Roman, University of Toronto

The Future of Canada: Building Citizenship and Belonging in The Ways of Peace

Yvonne Hébert, University of Calgary

Update of the Model of Governance and Migrants in an Urban Linguistic Minority Community in a Western Canadian City

Vibha Bhalla and Rebecca Mancuso, Bowling Green State University

Teaching Transnational Migration