TROUBLING ‘FAMILIES’

Monday, 29 June 2015, 11:45 - 17:15
The Open University, Library Seminar Room 1 & 2, Milton Keynes, MK7 6AA

PROGRAMME

11.45        Welcome

11:50-12:30  Dr Naomi Moller (Faculty of Social Sciences)
             *Embryo donation for family building – troubling understandings of kinship*

12:30-13:10  Katia Narzisi (Faculty of Health and Social Care)
             *‘You were born again with us’. The challenges faced by families formed through international adoption.*

13:10-14:10  Lunch

14:10-15:10  Dr Vinod Chandra (Associate Professor of Sociology, JNPG College Lucknow University and Vice President, ISA Research Committee of Sociology of Youth (RC34))
             *Young people’s family relationships in India: the digital generation and use of IT*
             *Chair: Dr Liz McFall, Co-Director of the Digital Citizens programme in CCIG*

15:10-15:30  Tea

15:30-16:10  Dr Rebecca Jones (Faculty of Health and Social Care)
             *‘Queer’ and ‘traditional’ families in bisexual people’s imagined and experienced later life*

16:10-16:50  Sandra Roper (Faculty of Social Sciences)
             *Hapless, helpless, hopeless: a discursive analysis of stepmother’s talk about their (male) partners.*

16:50        Concluding discussion and future activities

17:15        Finish

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