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With this series of lectures, the nccr – on the move explores the refugee crisis, migration, and their political implications. How do people cross a border today in Europe? Which legal frameworks regulate migration and access to asylum? How effective is the current governance of migration policies? What are the political consequences of migration in host countries? Prominent scholars will address these questions and deepen the international debate on migration and mobility.

The fourth Public Lecture Series of the nccr – on the move will again be literally on the move, taking place in six of our partner universities in Switzerland.

Program

Thursday, 23 February 2017, 18:15–19:45
Jürgen Bast, Faculty of Law, Justus Liebig University of Giessen
Migration, Borders, and the Territoriality of EU Law
University of Fribourg, Avenue de l’Europe 20, Main Building, MIS 4112 (Saal Jäggi)

Thursday, 9 March 2017, 10:15–11:45
Guy S. Goodwin-Gill
All Souls College, University of Oxford
Borderline Decisions – Non-Refoulement at the Border
University of Lucerne, Frohburgstrasse 3, Room 4.B55

Thursday, 23 March 2017, 18:15–19:45
Marc Helbling, Department of Political Science, University of Bamberg
Measuring Immigration Policies and their Effects
University of Neuchatel, Rue Abram-Louis-Breguet 1, Moyen Auditoire (Lecture Hall 301)

Thursday, 6 April 2017, 16:30–18:00
Wim van Oorschot
Department of Sociology, Leuven University
Welfare Attitudes in Multiethnic Societies
University of Lausanne, Rue de la Mouline 28, 1022 Chavannes-près-Renens, Bâtiment IDHEAP, Aula

Thursday, 27 April 2017, 10:00–12:00
Alex Gillespie, Department of Psychological and Behavioural Science, London School of Economics
Semantic Contact: Migrants Encountering the Representations of Host Communities
University of Neuchatel, Espace Louis-Agassiz 1, Room RS38

Friday, 2 June 2017, 18:15–19:45
Violeta Moreno-Lax, School of Law, Queen Mary University of London
Death at Sea and Non-Access to Asylum: Distorting Governance Gaps through the Co-Option of Human Rights
University of Bern, UniS, Schanzeneckstrasse 1, Room A 022

Friday, 16 June 2017, 17:00–18:30
Alan Manning
London School of Economics
Current UK Perspectives on Immigration Policy
University of Basel, Peter Merian-Weg 6, Auditorium

About the nccr – on the move

The nccr – on the move is a national center of competence in research funded by the Swiss National Science Foundation. It seeks to stimulate the interdisciplinary field of migration research in Switzerland and develop new perspectives on the changing migratory reality. Managed from the University of Neuchatel, the network comprises 19 research teams from eight universities in Switzerland: The Universities of Neuchatel, Basel, Bern, Fribourg, Geneva, Lausanne, Lucerne, and Zurich. It brings together research projects from social sciences, economics and law. The nccr – on the move offers some 40 doctoral and postdoctoral fellowships to highly talented researchers in the field.