

Sociology and Contemporary Global Social Activism Conference



15 June 2012

St Mary's University College, Twickenham

The Sociology Programme at St Mary's University College and the Department of Social Sciences, University of Roehampton, are holding a one day conference at St Mary's. It will be the first of two collaborative events between the institutions, the second being a conference at Roehampton in 2013. This will link with and develop themes by exploring human rights, social justice, political authority and social activism in the context of new patterns of migration and global change.

Confirmed keynote speakers and topics are:

- Ms Hayet Bahri, University of Westminster
Women and the Arab Spring
- Dr Ana Dinerstein, University of Bath
Protest and political and Social Alternatives in Latin America
- Professor Nur Masalha, St Mary's University College
The Arab Spring
- Dr Geoffrey Pleyers, University of Louvain
The Global Justice Movement in Europe since the Crisis

Call for Papers

We invite SUBMISSION OF CONFERENCE PAPER ABSTRACTS (no more than 300 words) from academics/activists interested in giving a paper on anything related to the above.

Deadline for papers: 28th April 2012

Contact for submission: Dr David Evans – evansd@smuc.ac.uk

Delegates

The conference is open to all interested in the subject.

Location: St Mary's University College (Waldegrave Room)

Timings: All day conference followed by evening reception

Cost: £45 per person (full rate); £30 per person (unwaged/students).

Includes coffee, lunch and a reception.

The deadline for registration is 28th May 2012.

Please contact [Jessica Jeske, Events Administrator](mailto:jessica.jeske@smuc.ac.uk), on jessica.jeske@smuc.ac.uk for more information.