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COST ACTION PEOPLE IN MOTION (PIMO)
ENTANGLED HISTORIES OF DISPLACEMENT
ACROSS THE MEDITERRANEAN (CA18140)

5th Training School & 4th Annual Conference
{organised by PIMo Work Group No. 4}

Crossings

**A Summer School and Conference on
Human Mobilities and its Consequences
across the Mediterranean, 1400-2023**

Rabat, 22 May – 26 May 2023
NIMAR, Netherlands Institute Morocco

CONVENERS

**Cátia Antunes (Leiden University), Léon Buskens (NIMAR),
Nadia Bouras (Leiden University)**

CROSSINGS Programme

Sunday the 21st of May

Sunday sees the arrival of the convenors, trainers and trainees in Casablanca. When the last person has landed at the airport (to be determined), the whole group shares a bus from Casablanca to Rabat or public transportation within Rabat self. The day finishes of with a nightcap - meet and greet.

.... Arrival in Casablanca/Rabat by plane. Connect by train to Rabat
21.30: Meet and Greet – Bar of Hotel Le Pietri

Monday the 22nd of May

9.00-9.30: Opening Summer School – Keynote by Léon Buskens
9.30: Division in Group A and Group B

Group A:

9:30-11.00: Committee Meeting - Selection of grant proposals and selection for interviews. The committee selects 2 applicants for interview.
11.00-11.20: Coffee Break - Common to both groups
11.20-12.20: Prepare and Conduct Interviews
12.20-12.20: Decision Making - Final selection of 1 applicant.

Group B:

9:30-9.50: On Public History - Keynote by Nadia Bouras
9.50-10.40: Public History Workshop: pitches (5 min) from Public History Trainers

- David do Paço: podcasts
- Katrina O’Loughlin: story-telling and life stories
- Rémi Dewière: value of ‘wording’, ‘imaging’ and materiality
- Tsolin Nalbantian: existentializing mobilities

10:40-11:00: On Public History - Keynote by Rajae el Morabet Belhaj
11.00-11.20: Coffee Break - Common to both groups

- 11.20-12.20: Observing Group A Interviews and Decision Making Process
- 12.40-14.00: Lunch
- 14:00-15:45: Roundtables – Content discussion of papers in 4 groups (schedule to be announced on May 12)
- 15:45-16.00: Coffee Break
- 16:00-17.00: Roundtables
- 17:30 -19:30: Drinks – Dutch Embassy Rabat (voluntary)

Tuesday the 23rd of May

- 9.00-9.30: On African History of Mobilities in the Mediterranean - Keynote: Rémi Dewière
- 9.30: Division in Group A and Group B

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- 12.40-14.00: Lunch
- 14:00- 14:40: Keynote by Cátia Antunes on peer review, grant applications and transferable skills for non-academic labour market.
- 14.40-15.30: Reflection and feedback on application process with trainees
- 15.45-17.00: Public history Work-Meeting - Division in working groups, definition of trainees and trainer and collection of data for final output.
- 17.30: Drinks and Dinner in Town (voluntary)
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Wednesday the 24th of May

- 9.00-12.00: Tour of Salé
- 12.00-13.30: Lunch
- 13.30-15.00: Start of Conference (NIMAR):
- Welcome remarks: Cátia Antunes and Giovanni Tarantino
- Keynotes: Amade M'Charek (University of Amsterdam)
- Discussants: Zakaria Rhani (Université Mohammed V) and Nadia Khrouz (Université Internatioale de Rabat – UIR)
- 15.00-17.00: **Migration and Trafficking** (subsequent 15 minute presentations, 45 minutes of discussion)
- Yousra Kadi - *Travelling to 'The Country of Disbelief': An Anglo-Moroccan Migrant Heritage.*
 - Ioannis Limnios Sekeris - *Assisted Migration or Remunerating Crossings? The case of the Intergovernmental Committee for European Migration during the first post-WWII decades.*
 - Jamel Bukhari - *From Gay Liberation to Homonationalism- Positioning Queer Black Sub-Saharan African Migrants in the Netherlands*
 - Astrid Bodini - *Local Histories, Identities and Mobilization Strategies: a Study on Moroccan Youth Migration and Protest Aspirations*
 - Mohammed Ouhemou: *The Moroccan Migration Policy in a Shifting Geopolitical Context*

17.00-17.20: Coffee Break

17.20-19.00: Summer School - Public history workgroups: development of final product in groups.

Thursday the 25th of May

9.00-11.00: **Conflict and Institutions**

- David Do Paço: *“Code is law”? Metaverses as Digital Free-ports, 18th-Century Trieste, and Urban-Organized Trans-Imperial Societies*
- Rémi Dewièrre: *Power and trans-Saharan connexions in the Arma Pachalik of Timbuktu (1591-1750)*
- Giorgio Ennas and Emily Malara Consuelo: *The Expansion of Ottoman Communities and Diplomatic-Consular Network in the Italian Peninsula in the Second Half of the 19th Century*
- Abid Fatimaezzahra: *Critical Theories in Motion: the 2011 Arab Spring and Ibn Khaldun’s Theory of Social Change in a Modern Arab-Muslim Context.*
- Zineb Gormat: *Migration and Education: The Case of Integrating Sub-Saharan African Immigrants’ Children into Public Schools in Rabat. A Qualitative Study.*

11.00-11.15: Coffee Break

11.15-13.15: **Travellers**

- Katrina O’Loughlin: *Little barks on the vast ocean’: Eliza Fay’s journeys to India.*
- Marek M. Dziekan: *Ali Ibn Salim al-Wardani (1861-1905) and his Ar-Rihla al-Andalusiyya [“Andalusian Journey”]*
- Talha Unlu: *From Iberian Peninsula to the Ottoman Lands: The Activities of the Hamon Family in the Ottoman Palace (15th-16th Centuries)*
- Joanna Musiatewicz: *What should we emulate and what should we shun?: The Image of Europe in the Two Travelogues by Jurji Zaydan*

13.15-14.30: Lunch

14.30-17:00: **Culture and Religion**

- Loubna Ou-Salah: *'It won't affect us as long as God is with us': A Case Study on Faith Experience and Environmental Change Perceptions in a Muslim Community in the Souss-Massa Region of Morocco*
- Elisa Barbero Valderrama: *Translating Mediterranean Christianity: Legal, Cultural and Religious Sources for a Spanish Version of the Egyptian Coptic Personal Status Law*
- Domna Iordanidou: *Italian Jews in the Ottoman Salonica and Beyond: The Allatini Family*
- Muberra Kapusuz: *The Rise of Mavrocordatos Family and Their Trans-imperial Mission as Transmitters of Knowledge (1641-1730)*
- Farah Bazzi: *In Need of Settlers with Ecological Capital: Morisco Plantations and Agriculture in Ottoman Tunisia*
- Lena Richter: *Leaving Islam, leaving Morocco? - Nonreligious mobilities across the Mediterranean*

17.00-17.15: Coffee Break

17.15-19.00: Summer School - Public history workgroups and finalizing groups outputs

Friday the 26th of May

9.00-11.00: **Identities**

- José Alberto Tavim: *The Networks of the Morocco Iberian Jews and the Conversos (16th-17th centuries)*
- Catherine Therrien and Catherine Phipps: *Social Perception of Mixedness in Morocco from the Early-20th century to the Present: How Marriage Migration Across the Mediterranean Draws and Challenges Lines of Difference*
- Massimo Bomboni: *The Parable of the Lus. Identity Problems, Rivalries and Trade of a Merchant Family in the Early Modern Mediterranean*
- Achille Marotta: *Contesting Conversion: Enslaved Muslims' Opposition to Christianity in Early Modern Italy*
- Maria Gabriella Sava: *The Algeria of Vincenzo Calza, the first papal Consul General in Algiers (1847)*

11.00-11.30: Coffee Break

- 11.30-13.00: Public History Presentations - Group 1
- 13.00-14.30: Lunch
- 14.30-16.30: **Memory and Heritage**
- Marcia Esparza: *Representations of Moroccan Soldiers in the Military Museum in Mallorca: The Invisibility of Colonial Soldiers*
 - Hayat Zerouali: *Amazigh Cultural Heritage from the Rif, Orality and Reconfiguration Perspectives*
 - Marie Aminata Perron: *Bodies in discipline, Bodies in revolt: The case of undocumented migrants' activism in the Parisian Centres de Rétention Administrative*
 - Sara Bolghiran: *Muslim Futurism: Politics of Memory in the Transnational Social Imaginaries of an Islamic Utopia*
 - Inass Essrhir: *Pathways to Hybridity in Paul Bowles' Translation of Moroccan Stories in the Interzone*
- 16.30-16.45: Coffee Break
- 17.00-18.00: Public History Presentations - Group 2
- 18.15-18.30: Viviana Tagliaferri: *Public History – the ITHACA/FIVIBET Examples – Food for Inspiration*
- 18:30 End Conference and Summer School
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Saturday the 27th of May

Adjoining the conference is the

4th PIMo Management Committee Meeting



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- 9.00-9.10: Registration
- 9.10-9.20: Welcome remarks
- PIMo Action Chair: Giovanni Tarantino
- PIMo Science Officer: Rossella Magli
- 9.20-9.50: Keynote address

Kenza Oumil (Ithaca Project)

9.50-10.10: Q&A

10.10-10.30: Coffee Break

10.30-11.00: WG Leader Reports

11.00-11.10: Training Schools Reports

11.10-11.25: Reports:
Vice-Chair
Science Communication Officer
Grants Coordinator

11.25-11.40: Giovanni Tarantino and Viviana Tagliaferri: PIMo meets ITHACA

11.40-12.00: Action Chair's Report

12.00-13.15: Lunch (outside NIMAR)

13.15-14.15: MC Discussion/Future Plans/Closing Remarks

14.30-17.00: Networking Drinks, Hotel Le Pietri (Hotel Bar)

Dinner in Town (voluntary)

