

## Lancaster Disability Studies Conference

### Schedule of papers 2018

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Quiet Room CCA14

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> September**

Paper Session A 13.30-15.00 (90 minutes)			
A1	Chair: Julia Bahner		Venue: GF2
	<p><b>Symposium: Questioning the ‘generosity’ of the Swedish welfare state - investigating austerity measures against disabled people</b></p> <p>Julia Bahner: ‘Living a (sexual) life like others’ - a luxury in times of austerity?</p> <p>Niklas Altermark &amp; Hampus Nilsson: Legitimising austerity - the rhetorics of disability cutbacks</p> <p>Lill Hultman: The construction of disability in personal assistance assessments</p> <p>Ida Norberg: Challenging austerity and ‘cost’</p>		
A2	Chair: Yvonne Wechuli		Venue: GF3
	Leah Burch	What is disablist hate speech? Storytelling as a tool of engagement	
	Nicola Maxwell and Claire Edwards	Spatial legalities of disablist violence and hostility: exploring the case of hate crime in Ireland	
	Phillippa Wiseman and Nick Watson	Hate Crime, Violence and (mis)Recognition in the Community; Understanding Place, Impact and Wellbeing	
A3	Chair: Michele Moore		Venue: CCA5
	Runa Dawood	Disability and Formulation in Psychological Practice	
	Harriet Dunn	Applying the Tripartite Model of Disability to Art Education and Blindness	
	Beth Pickard	Construction of Normalcy and Diversity in Music Therapy Theory and Practice	

A4	Chair: Nicola Burns		Venue: GF 6
	Chris Grover	Employment and Support Allowance: a decade of the social murder of disabled people	
	Cara Williams	Employment and Support Allowance: State Crafting the “Disability Category”	
	Jessica Saffer	Living on a knife edge: How People with Physical Health Conditions Respond to Changes in Disability Benefits	
A5	Chair: Simo Vehmas		Venue: CCA19
	Helene Combrinck and Philip Bothma	“Let’s Shake on That”: Consumer Protection and Supported Decision-Making for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities	
	Judit Fullana, Maria Pallisera, Gemma Díaz-Garolera and Ivan De Castro	Guardianship from the perspective of people with learning disabilities in Catalonia: An inclusive research study	
	Liz Tilly	Transfer of DLA to PIP in the UK; implications for people with a mild learning disability	
A6	Chair: Andrew Power		Venue: CCA17
	Melisanda Berkowitz	A relational study of transition to adulthood in Japan for people with severe learning dis/abilities	
	Marie Caslin	The will to punish - the impact of recent government policy initiatives on the educational experiences of ‘difficult’ young people	
	Grainne Collins and Caroline O’Nolan	The problems of research consent: dispatches from the front line	

A7	Chair: Angharad Beckett		Venue: CC18
	Liz Adams Lyngbäck	The role of uncertainty in the development of disability literacy: drawing on examples of processes of becoming in parenting a deaf child	
	Emma McKinney	Our normal family: a visual exploration of a family with disabilities	
	Jason Olsen	Northern Ireland and the accepted oppression of disabled people	
A8	Chair: Kristina Hoydal		Venue: GF5
	Liz Ellis and Sarah-Anne Muñoz	The brave new world of digital homes for independent living	
	Peter Fuzei	A walk on the wild side?	
	Per-Olof Hedvall, Jan McArthur and Sue Cranmer	Recognizing diversity within everyone's lived experience: Strengthening the theoretical foundations of Universal Design	
A9	Chair: Patrick Kermit		Venue: CCA16
	Charlotte Glintborg and Dorthe Birkmose	If only they had seen me as a human being. Inside perspectives from adults with acquired brain injuries	
	Alice Scavarda	Normal, disabled or something in between. The identity of people with learning difficulties from the point of view of their siblings	
Neurodiversity	Chair: Damian Milton <b>Participation</b>		Venue: GF4
	Damian Milton	Introduction to the Participatory Autism Research Collective (PARC) and the Neurodiversity stream	
	Sam Fellowes	Broadening the voice of neurodiversity through subtyping autism	
	Emma Rice	Employing participatory methods: autistic pupils' sense of self and the influence of mainstream schooling	

**Paper Session B 15.30-17.00 (90 minutes)**

B1	<b>Symposium: Disability, psychotherapy and the politics of the personal</b>		Venue: GF2
	Donna Reeve	A personal exploration of the intersections between psycho-emotional disablism and trauma	
	Mèlani Halacre	Providing Disability Affirmative Therapy in the UK - a challenge?	
	Brian Watermeyer	The place of psychotherapy in disability emancipation: Frameworks, contexts and identities	
B2	<b>Symposium: Living Life to the Fullest: Arts, Activism and Youth</b>		Venue: GFLT3
	Kirsty Liddiard & Co-Researcher Collective	The Co-Researcher Collective	
	Kirsty Liddiard, Katherine Runswick-Cole & Dan Goodley	An Arts Retreat: Methodological Opportunities and Challenges	
	Kirsty Liddiard, Dan Goodley & Katherine Runswick-Cole	Feeling Disability: Theories of Affect and Critical Disability Studies	
B3	Chair: Val Williams		Venue: CCA16
	Nurten Çelik	The Disabled Body and Humour	
	Carla Silva and P David Howe	Is the 'Last Leg' a good idea? The critical pedagogy potential of the marriage between disability sport and humour	
	Allan Sutherland	Adventures in the Sitcom Trade: The Story of 'Inmates'	
B4	Chair: Sue Cranmer		Venue: CCA17
	Nick Hodge and Emma Rice	Developing a framework of autism activism engagement in schools	
	Antonios Ktenidis	Height(ism) As The Elephant In The (Class)Room: Biopedagogies Of Pathologisation & Students With Dwarfism In The Secondary School Class	
	Hannah Ware	"You tell secrets and then I tell secrets": methodological reflections from inclusive research with children identified as having SEND in England	

B5	Chair: Simo Vehmas		Venue: GF4
	David Brehme	Smashing normalcy? On the (f)utility of normalcy for disabled people	
	Kirthy Nair and Srilatha Juvva	The liminal experience of disability: An existential & psychoanalytic understanding	
	Phillippa Wiseman, Patrick Kermit and Nick Watson	Revisiting Recognition and Personhood in the context of Disablism	
B6	Chair: Hannah Morgan		Venue: GF6
	David Abbott	LGBTQ Disabled Men and Women using Self-Directed Social Care Support in England	
	Andrew Power and Ruth Bartlett	Ageing with a learning disability: Care and support in the context of austerity	
	Karen Soldatic	Disability, Poverty and Ageing in Regional Australia	
B7	Chair: Ales McCann		Venue: CCA05
	Frederic Fovet	Examining the (lack of) impact of the #disabilitytoowhite movement on North American campuses	
	Alison Sheldon	Teaching Disability Studies in the Neoliberal University: Has anyone seen the academic road to critical consciousness?	
B8	Chair: Jason Olsen		Venue: GF5
	Rune Halvorsen	Collective identity and self-representation among disabled people - a life-course perspective on social movement mobilisation	
	Marie Sépulchre	Disability rights activists engage in the public sphere: a content analysis of debate articles in Swedish newspapers	
	Sarah Woodin	Civil Society Monitoring and the Potential for Change	

B9	Chair: Rebecca Fish		Venue: CCA18
	Gemma Diaz-Garolera, Maria Pallisera Díaz and Judit Fullana Noell	A university-social service collaboration: design, development and evaluation of a training program to enhance friendships	
	Hege Gjertsen	Innovative service providers as promoters for work inclusion for people with intellectual disability	
	Alexandra Kaley	Therapeutic spaces of care farming: transformative or ameliorating?	
B10	Chair: Chris Hatton		Venue: CCA15
	Joana Alves	Disability and models of care: characteristics, trends and underlying ideologies	
	Fernando Fontes, Joana Alves, Mónica Lopes, Bruno Sena Martins, Paula Campos Pinto, Sílvia Portugal and Ema Loja	Disabled People and self-determination in Portugal: the promise of Independent Living	
	Rasa Genienė	Independent living of persons with disabilities in post-Soviet countries: between imitation and practice	
Neurodiversity	Chair: Michele Moore <b>Discourse and Autism</b>		Venue: CCA19
	Mitzi Waltz	Getting from "you can't speak for my child" to "nothing about us without us": A brief history of diagnostic denial, misuse and misunderstanding in autism	
	Kristofer Hansson and Ellen Suneson	Vulnerable Normality: Popular Neuroimaging and the discursive logic of the (dis)able(d) brain	
	Elizabeth-Anne Graham	"He's just not autistic enough for the autism support base"	

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> September

Paper Session C 11.00-12.30 (90 minutes)			
C1	<b>Symposium: Showcasing: The new disability activism</b> Maria Berghs, Tsitsi Chataika, Miro Griffiths, Damian Haslett, Liz Crow, Armineh Soorenian and Wendy Merchant		Venue: GF4
C2	<b>Symposium: Disability before Disability</b> Hanna Björg Sigurjónsdóttir		Venue: GF5
	Haraldur Thor Hammer Haraldsson	The Disabled Dead	
	Anna Katharina Heiniger	The Silence of the Limbs	
	Arndis Bergsdóttir	Museums apparatuses and absent dis-/abilities	
C3	Chair: Cara Williams		Venue: GF6
	Carolyn Gutman and Ayala Cohen	Advocacy to activism: transforming policy through collaborative action research	
	Elaine James, Rob Mitchell, Nina Riddlesden, Ryan Cowley, Shvonne Nakonecznyi and Hannah Morgan	Reflections on the Named Social Worker for Adults with Learning Disabilities Pilot in the UK	
	Val Williams and Caroline Miles	Disability justice in practice: how 'activist' research can make changes to social practices.	
C4	Chair: Sue Cranmer		Venue: GF2
	Alan Armstrong and Anne Collis	Yes I have a learning difficulty, no I don't do inclusive research	
	Liz Ellis	Is there a 'second wave' of inclusive research? New futures or a return to old ground?	
	Hege Gjertsen	Can we talk about inclusive research in quantitative studies?	

C5	Chair: Dan Goodley		Venue: GF3
	Kathy Boxall	Mad Studies Moment(um): Activism, epistemology and the power of numbers	
	Walter Rafael Villanueva	<del>Queering Madness: Critiquing Mad Studies Through the Lens of Queer Theory</del>	
C6	Chair: David Abbott		Venue: CCA18
	Lara Bezzina	Participatory Video with People with Disabilities: Narrowing the Gap between Social Research and Action	
	<del>Sarah Manns, Tillie Curran and Mat Jones</del>	<del>How does peer research promote disabled young people's voice, hopes and dreams in a rapidly changing society? A critical reflection</del>	
	Anthon Sand Jørgensen	Experiences of inclusion and exclusion - A presentation of a qualitative interview study of adults with intellectual disabilities	
C7	Chair: Mitzi Waltz		Venue: CCA05
	Lisa Davies	The Assessed Self: Exploring the Complexities of Disability Assessment Through Lived Experience	
	Bjørn Hamre	Inclusion and the management of diversity in the Danish welfare state	
	Monika Piecek, Jean-Pierre Tabin, Perrin Céline and Isabelle Probst	The 'compliant', the 'pacified' and the 'rebel': experiences with Swiss disability insurance	
C8	Chair: David Brehme		Venue: CCA16
	Alison Wilde	Cinema, disability, desire and subjectivity: An exploration of disabled people's criticisms of 'The Shape of Water'	
	Kristofer Hansson	Critical places	
	Kathryn Stamp	Shifting the Lens: Exploring spectatorship through dance, disability and photography interventions	



C9	Chair: Nick Watson		Venue: CCA17
	Charmaine Agius Ferrante	Continuity and Change in the Support of Learning for Children with Down Syndrome: A case study of the Influence of early learning experiences within an intervention programme on the educational experience of one child with Down Syndrome	
	Ingunn Fylkesnes	The everyday life of severe disabled children living in small group-homes and the possibility for getting a bottom-up perspectives	
	Reetta Mietola and Simo Vehmas	Life-long opportunity for change: Claiming ordinary lives for young adults with profound intellectual disabilities	
C10	Chair: Karen Mogendoff		Venue: CCA15
	Stephanie Cork, Beth Douthirt-Cohen, Kelly Hoffman, Paul Jaeger and Amanda Strausser	Beyond Random Acts of Diversity: Ableism, Academia & Institutional Sites of Resistance	
	Nina Mackert	The Calorie and the Production of Metabolic Aabledness in late 19th and early 20th Century US <i>(part of: "On Aabledness: Using Studies in Ableism to explore cultures of Ablement")</i>	
	Yvonne Wechuli	Disability Studies & Ableism. What's emotion got to do with it?	
Neurodiversity	Chair: Michele Moore <b>Culture and Practice</b>		Venue: CCA19
	Nicki Martin	Disabled Leaders in HE. What do we want? Universal Design. When do we want it? 2010	
	Dominic Griffiths	"He's suffering from Neurodiversity": how do teachers understand this term and how does this affect their practice?	
	Hanna Bertilsdotter Rosqvist and Lindsay O'Dell	Conversations in different languages: exploring and connecting knowledges of autism in different epistemic communities	

**Paper Session D 14.45-15.45 (60 minutes)**

D1	Chair: Alison Sheldon		Venue: GF2
	Kevin Hickman	Cycling, Disability and Activism	
	Kay Inckle	Disabled cyclists and the emotional burden of everyday activism	
D2	Chair: Rebecca Fish		Venue: CCA5
	Joseph Ocran	Confronting the Beast in Disability Stigma and Oppression with Mass Media	
	Victor Benno Meyer-Rochow, Helinä Hakko, Matti Ojamo, Hannu Uusitalo, Markku Timonen	Suicides in Visually Impaired Persons in Finland	
D3	Chair: Rebecca Fish		Venue: CCA16
	Kehinde Olowookere	Subjectivity and Organisational Discourse: Experiences of employees with Mental Health Conditions in the workplace	
	Emma Partlow	Unreasonable Adjustments? The impacts of equalities legislation on disabled people in the workplace	
D4	Chair: Nicola Burns		Venue: GF6
	Roni Holler and Yael Ohayon	Disability Policy Formation: Some Theoretical Remarks	
	Laufey Löve and Rannveig Traustadóttir	Lived experience of disability as core component of disability policy and legislation	
D5	Chair: Karen Soldatic		Venue: GF3
	Heidi Lourens and Leslie Swartz	'Every now and then you slip up and then you are in trouble': The responsibility on visually impaired university students to access reasonable accommodations in South Africa	
	Maria Larsdotter and Stefan Johansson	"We're not waiting to be invited", Begripsam - a pragmatic take on participatory action research	

D6	Chair: Liz Ellis		Venue: CCA17
	Jonathan M Levitt and Mike Thelwall	Barriers to obtaining academic employment and conducting research	
	Colin Cameron, Ann Nutt and Michele Moore	Improving Understanding of Service User Involvement and Identity	
D7	Chair: Katherine Runswick-Cole		Venue: CCA15
	Petra Anders	Disability Studies and Film Studies: Activist Influences on Teaching about Cinematic Narratives of Normalcy and Diversity	
	Emmeline Burdett	'Poster-Children for Redefining 'Normal' '? Do Disabled Cats on Social Media Transform or Reflect Societal Reviews of Disability?	
D8	Chair: Patrick Kermit		Venue: CCA18
	Aless McCann	Thoughts on the Mentoring Scheme at Cambridge University	
	Shirli Werner	The role of university lecturers in meeting accessibility needs of 'non-traditional' students in higher- education	
Neurodiversity	Chair: Jane Erlam <b>Neurodiverse ways of being</b>		Venue: George Fox LT4
	Karen Mogendorff	Neurodiverse ways of being in the world and what we can learn from it	
	Larry Arnold	Context and subtext, a part of the world or apart from it?	

**Paper Session E 16.15-17.15 (60 minutes)**

E1	Chair: Nicola Burns		Venue: GF2
	Begoña Rodriguez Diaz	Monitoring the NIPT are not used to discriminate on grounds of disability in Spain	
	Astridur Stefansdottir	What is wrong with the Down syndrome fetus?	
E2	Chair: Michele Moore		Venue: GF3
	Müjde Koca-Atabey, Bahar Öz and Burcu Tekeş	The Traffic Experiences of Blind Road Users: An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis	
	Gyeonghwa Lee and Vanessa Walker	Creating accessible transport information for people with vision and colour-vision impairment: A focus group interview	
E3	Chair: Liz Ellis		Venue: GF5
	Alise de Bie	Finding ways (and words) to move: Mad student politics and practices of loneliness	
	Frederic Fovet	Academia, the Social Model and Mental Health: Say it like you mean it!	
E4	Chair: Cara Williams		Venue: GF6
	Xanthe Hunt, Leslie Stellenbosch, Poul Rohleder, Stine Hellum Braathen, Brian Watermeyer and Mark Carew	Symbolic violence and the invisibility of disability	
	Rebecca Yeo	The discursive logics dividing disabled citizens from asylum seekers and refugees	

E5	Chair: Sue Cramner		Venue: CCA15
	Silvia Favalli	Social Media and Disability Rights: A Human Rights Perspective	
	Laura Lundy, Bronagh Byrne, Michelle Templeton and Gerison Lansdown	Rights in the Digital Environment: The Views of Disabled Children and Young People	
E6	Chair: SeKwang Hwang		Venue: CCA16
	Sekwang Hwang and Philip Heslop	"We are parents" : A Pilot Study on the Lived Experiences of Parents with Autism	
	Nicola Jones	Parenting with personal assistance	
E7	Chair: Kirsty Liddiard		Venue: CCA17
	Kathy Boxall	No room at Airbnb? Disability, holiday accommodation and the new sharing economy	
	Murad Canbulut	Who defines the norms? Is marketing the new norm setter?	
<b>Neurodiversity</b>	<b>Symposium: Major work ahead, the post psychiatric landscape of Autism</b> Larry Arnold, Gillian Loomes, Stephen Kapp, Claire Evans-Williams and Dinah Murray		Venue: GF4

Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> September

Paper Session F 9.30-11.00 (90 minutes)			
F1	Chair: Jonathan M Levitt <b>Symposium: Diverse ways of addressing the challenges of disability: understanding contrasting types of disability</b>		Venue: GF2
	Damian Milton	Disability and diversity: the challenges faced by autistic people.	
	Glen Sheader	The daily challenge of dealing with visual impairment.	
	Steve Tyler	Technology - the great leveller - but only if we mobilise!	
F2	<b>Symposium: Life quality and participation of disabled children and youth (LIFE-DCY)</b> Snaefrídur Egilson, Stefan Hardonk and Ásta Jóhannsdóttir		Venue: GF3
	Snaefrídur Egilson	Life quality and participation of disabled children and youth living in Iceland	
	Freyja Haraldsdóttir and Anna Sigrun Ingimarsdóttir	Justice as quality of life: young disabled people look back and beyond	
	Stefan Hardonk	Deafness, quality of life and participation: a critical approach	
	Ásta Jóhannsdóttir	Exploring affect as a useful research tool in disability studies: Shame and the use of assistive technology devices	
F3	Chair: Jason Olsen		Venue: GF5
	Steve Graby	Personal assistance co-operatives: possibilities and pitfalls of alternative models of 'independent living' in the age of austerity	
	Teodor Mladenov	What is good personal assistance made of?	
	Teodor Mladenov and Gabor Petri	Deinstitutionalisation in Postsocialist Europe	

F4	Chair: Katherine Runswick-Cole		Venue: GF LT4
	Angharad Butler-Rees	Adapting to Changing Times: Spaces of Disability Activism at a time of Austerity	
	Lieve Carette	Sowing little seeds in the minds of people as a quiet activist	
	Matilda Svensson Chowdhury	The value of activism	
F5	Chair: Patrick Kermit		Venue: CCA16
	Emma Q Burns	Participation in public and political life: learning from the National Platform of Self-Advocates	
	Hanna Egard	Accessibility and its Resistance	
	Victoria Armstrong and Neil Armstrong	The Dog Ate My Wheelchair	
F6	Chair: Karen Soldatic		Venue: CCA17
	Maria Berghs, Simon Dyson and Mamaddie Keibe	Rethinking activism around work, employment and welfare	
	Jennifer Van Aswegen	'Neoliberal-ableism': A Critical Discourse Analysis of Comprehensive Employment Strategy for People with Disabilities 2015-2024 Ireland	
	Mitzi Waltz	Included in Training and Work: Transforming Policies and Practices for People with Disabilities	
F7	Chair: Jane Erlam		Venue: CCA15
	Eva Lill Fossli Vassend, Ketil Eide, Anna Margareth Kittelsaa and Hans Abraham Hauge	Agency among young people with intellectual and developmental disabilities seeking intimate relationships and independent family lives	
	Kirsty Liddiard	For Your Pleasure: Rethinking Disabled Sexualities	

	Julia Bahner	Sexual rights - not(thing) about us?	
F8	Chair: Michele Moore		Venue: GF6
	Rebecca Fish and Hannah Morgan	Challenging the discourse of challenging behaviour	
	Emmanouil Gratsias, Toby Brandon and Su McAnelly	Advocacy, what difference does it make, exploring the theoretical and practice impact of advocacy work	
	Simo Vehmas	The animalised lives of persons with profound intellectual and multiple disabilities	
Neurodiversity	Chair: <b>Beyond the Norm</b>		Venue: CCA19
	Hanna Bertilsdotter Rosqvist, Lindsay O'dell, Alison Davies and Paul Stenner	"Being one of the weird kids": exploring spatiality, temporality and friendships of women with ADHD	
	Hanna Bertilsdotter Rosqvist and David Jackson-Perry	Not doing it properly? Tracking assumptions of healthy couple intimacy through an exploration of narratives of "non-sociable" autistic sexualities	