

The Future of Human Reproduction
Transformative Agendas and Methods for the Humanities and Social Sciences

Envisaging Reproductive Futures: Extra Corporeal Gestation (ExCG)
WORKSHOP

18th of November 2022, Lancaster House Hotel, Bowland 2, 10:00-16:30

10:00 – 10:30

COFFEE AND PASTRIES

10:30-12:30

SESSION 1: State of the Art – Research Introductions

Chair: Dr Nicola Williams

Speakers: Victoria Adkins, Dr Giulia Cavaliere, Prof Elselijn Kingma, Prof Maureen McNeil, Stefanie Weigold, Dr Duncan Wilson.

Up to ten minutes per speaker

- What attracted you to this topic?
- What questions / issues have you sought to address?
- What are your main findings / conclusions / positions?
- What methods did you use?

12:30-13:30

LUNCH

13:30-14:45

SESSION 2: Future Research Agendas

Chair: Dr Laura O'Donovan

- What will you be working on next on this topic (if anything)?
- What do you think are the most interesting and important research questions raised by extra-corporeal gestation? These could be conceptual, cultural, economic, ethical, legal, linguistic, political, social, etc.
- Which of these (if any) are under-explored? And, more generally, what do you think is currently missing from debates regarding ExCG? What would you like to see explored in future work on this topic?

14:45-15:15

COFFEE AND PASTRIES

15.15- 16:20

SESSION 3 – Inter/Trans Disciplinary Research Methods

Chair: Prof Stephen Wilkinson

- What are your experiences of interdisciplinary research in this or cognate areas. What worked and why? What did not work and why?
- Considering the core cultural, ethical, legal, and social issues raised by ExCG, what disciplinary approaches do you think are most needed to complement, or even to displace, traditional ethico-legal, or social science approaches

16:20 -16:30

CLOSING COMMENTS

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