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Theories of Migration and Social Change

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Tuesday July 1st

- 17.00 – 18.30 **Keynote Address:** "Migration and Social Change"
ALEJANDRO PORTES, Princeton University
Chair: LINDA MCDOWELL, School of Geography,
University of Oxford
- 18.30 – 19.30 **Drinks Reception**, St Anne's
- 20.00 – 22.00 **Dinner** Al Shami restaurant
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Wednesday July 2nd

- 08:00 – 09:00 **Breakfast**, Dining Hall
- 09.00 – 09.30 **Opening Session**
NICHOLAS VAN HEAR, COMPAS
OLIVER BAKEWELL, IMI
RINUS PENNINX for IMISCOE
- 09.30 – 11.00 **Session 1: Theories of global mobility**
Chair: JOAQUIN ARANGO Universidad Complutense, Madrid
Paper: STEPHEN CASTLES, IMI
Discussants: ROBIN COHEN, Department of International
Development, University of Oxford,
MARUJA ASIS, Scalabrini Migration Center, Manila
- 11.00 – 11.30 **Coffee Break**
- 11.30 – 13.00 **Session 2: Relationships between different types of migration**
Chair: WILLIAM BERTHOMIERE, MIGRINTER,
University of Poitiers
Paper: RUSSELL KING, RON SKELDON and JULIE
VULLNETARI, University of Sussex
Discussants: CINDY HORST, PRIO, Oslo
BIAO XIANG, COMPAS

13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 15.45	Session 3: Gender in the migratory process Chair: TAKYIWAA MANUH, University of Ghana Paper: HELMA LUTZ, University of Frankfurt Discussants: JORGEN CARLING, PRIO, Oslo, KATHARINE CHARLESLEY, COMPAS
15.45 – 16.15	Break
16.15 – 18.00	Session 4: Internal dynamics of migration processes Chair: PETER QUARTEY, CMS, University of Ghana Paper: HEIN DE HAAS, IMI Discussants: MICHAEL COLLYER, University of Sussex, FRANCK DUVELL, COMPAS
19.00	Dinner St Anne's

Thursday 3rd July
Keble College Seminar Room, 23 Banbury Road

08:00 – 09:00	Breakfast , Dining Hall
09.00 – 10.45	Session 5: The structure-agency dialectic in migration Panel Session: Chair: THOMAS FAIST, University of Bielefeld Panel: MARGARIDA MARQUES, SocioNova, Lisbon OLIVER BAKEWELL, IMI, ELLIE VASTA, COMPAS SARAH COLLINSON, Overseas Development Institute (ODI)
10.45 – 11.15	Coffee Break
11.15 – 13.00	Session 6: Transnationalism and the Migratory Process Chair: RON SKELDON Paper: LUIS GUARNIZO, University of California Discussants: NINA GLICK SCHILLER, University of Manchester, LUDGER PRIES Ruhr University Bochum
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 16.00	Closing Session: Conclusion and research priorities Chair: NICHOLAS VAN HEAR, COMPAS Panel: MARUJA ASIS, Scalabrini Migration Center, Manila RAUL DELGADO WISE, Autonomous University of Zacatecas MARCO MARTINIELLO, University of Liège
16.00	Close

Please see overleaf for additional notes on venue and timing

