

SML ACTIVITIES ON DECOLONIALITY

NEWSLETTER SEMESTER 1, 2021-2022

BLOG: DECOLONISING MODERN LANGUAGES AND CULTURES

We invite you to read our previous posts and our latest article written by Charlotte Pickles, SML Year 2 undergraduate student:

“Ngunga’s Adventures: the signification of publishing and anti-colonial education”

- We will include five articles per year.
- If you would like to send a contribution, please contact the Blog Moderators:
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ROUNDTABLES: OUR FOCUS THIS YEAR IS ON DECOLONISING THE CURRICULA

Decolonising the Curricula at the SML – Head of Sections | Semester 1

Wednesday, 1 December | 1.00 – 2.00pm | SML Seminar Series

Register in: <https://newcastleuniversity.zoom.us/j/83378887504>

This roundtable will bring together SML Head of Sections to discuss how their sections have been implementing decolonising practices that are leading to identify power relations in our teaching and generating gradual changes in the curricula.

- Prof Guy Austin (French Studies)
- Dr Shiro Yoshioka (East Asian Studies)
- Dr Jorge Catalá- Carrasco (Spanish, Portuguese and Latin American Studies)
- Prof Bernhard Malkmus (German Studies)
- Prof Francis Jones (Translating and Interpreting Studies)

Organised by Dr Giuliana Borea, SML Decolonising Champion, and Dr Sarah Leahy, SML Director of Equality, Diversity and Inclusion.

Decolonising the Curricula at the SML – Student voices | Semester 2

CULTURAL POLICIES, LANGUAGE AND DECOLONIALITY SERIES - COMING SOON!

We will meet cultural policy makers who are introducing changes in their countries and institutions to foster multilingualism and language revitalisation. Our first guest will be Agustin Panizo, linguist. Former Director of Indigenous Languages at Peru’s Ministry of Culture.

If you have any idea or project on decoloniality please email:

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