

Local Population Studies Society

Paths to Marriage

Courtship in England and Wales, c.1700-c.1945

Saturday 26th October 2019
The Mawby Pavilion, Rewley House, Oxford

9.30-10.00: Registration and coffee

10.00-10.45: Steve King (Leicester) "'The marriage was done to her": regional cultures of courtship 1780s to early 1900s'

10.45-11.30: Angela Muir (Leicester) 'Romantic pursuits? Courtship and coercion in eighteenth-century Wales'

11.30-11.40: Short break

11.40-12.15: Rachael Jones, (Leicester) 'Maria Russell and Syed Ameer Ali: an inter-racial relationship in Victorian London'

12.15-13.00: K. Schürer (Leicester) 'How far will some people go to marry? Courtship and distance in the early 20th century'

13.00-13.45: Lunch

13.45-14.30: Stephanie Ward (Cardiff) "'The old old game of man and woman chase": Courting, romance, and attraction in south Wales, 1920s-1950s'.

14.30-15.15: Lynne Pearce, '(Lancaster) "'Walking Out": the mobilities of courtship in two World War II diaries'

15.15-16.00: Colin Pooley (Lancaster) "'I thought I would faint he kissed me so much and I only knew I was kissing him back and loving it": changing representations of courtship and romance in nineteenth- and twentieth-century British life writing'

16.00-16.30: Discussion

16.30 Conference ends

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Closing date for bookings is **Monday 14 October 2019**

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