



## PhD Workshop

### “Transnational Families: Multi-Sited, Mixed-Method and Comparative Research Approaches”

March 26-27, 2013

Grote Gracht 80-82 Maastricht  
Room: Spiegelzaal

#### March 26, 2013

#### Session I

15:00 - 15:10	<i>Introduction</i>
15:10 - 15:55	“Effects of Transnational Child Raising Arrangements on the Emotional Wellbeing and Health of Angolan and Nigerian Migrant Parents in The Netherlands” (Karlijn Haagsman, Maastricht University) <i>Discussants: Luena Marinho, University of Lisbon; Elspeth Graham, University of St. Andrews (UK)</i>
15:55 – 16:40	“Transnational Marriages and Reunification: Ghanaian Couples between Ghana and Europe” (Kim Caarls, Maastricht University) <i>Discussants: Michaella Vanore, Maastricht University; Elspeth Graham, University of St. Andrews (UK)</i>
16:40 – 17:00	Coffee Break
17:00 - 17:45	“The Psychosocial Health of Children ‘Left Behind’ in Moldova” (Michaella Vanore, Maastricht University) <i>Discussants: Miranda Poeze, Maastricht University; Elspeth Graham, University of St. Andrews (UK);</i>
17:45 – 18:30	“An Analysis of Transnational Social Networks of Irregular African Migrants in Turkey and Greece” (Marieke Wissink, Maastricht University) <i>Discussants: Natalia Gladkova, Maastricht University; Madeleine Wong, St. Lawrence University (US)</i>

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Session II

9:00 – 9:45	<p>“Social Parenting between the Local and the Global: Expectations, Capabilities, and (Non-)Communication in Ghanaian Transnational Families” (Miranda Poeze, Maastricht University &amp; Ernestina Dankyi, University of Ghana)</p> <p><i>Discussants: Sjoukje Wartena, VU-University Amsterdam; Madeleine Wong, St. Lawrence University (US)</i></p>
9:45 – 10:30	<p>“Relatedness and Nigerian Transnational Families: How Political Structures of European Immigration and Family Reunion Laws Mediate Social Relations and Impact on Families’ Transnational Care Arrangements” (Camilla Andres, University College Cork)</p> <p><i>Discussants: Karlijn Haagsman, Maastricht University; Madeleine Wong, St. Lawrence University (US)</i></p>
10:30 – 10:45	Coffee Break
10:45 – 11:30	<p>“Parents and Children – Expectations and Daily Life in Transnational Families” (Luena Marinho, University of Lisbon)</p> <p><i>Discussants: Camilla Andres, University College Cork; Djamila Schans, Research and Documentation Centre, Ministry of Security and Justice, The Netherlands</i></p>
11:30 – 12:15	<p>“Transnationalism, National Policies and Locality Intertwined. Matching Transnational Childhoods with a National Education System in Amsterdam South East (the Netherlands)” (Sjoukje Wartena, VU-University Amsterdam)</p> <p><i>Discussants: Ernestina Dankyi, University of Ghana; Djamila Schans, Research and Documentation Centre, Ministry of Security and Justice, The Netherlands;</i></p>
12:15 – 13:00	<p>“Protracted Journeys: Matched Views from Ukraine and Cameroon” (Natalia Gladkova, Maastricht University)</p> <p><i>Discussants: Marieke Wissink, Maastricht University; Djamila Schans, Research and Documentation Centre, Ministry of Security and Justice, The Netherlands;</i></p>
13:00 – 14:15	Lunch
	<i>Walk to Groote Sociëteit –welcome drinks from 14:30 onwards</i>

- Each time-slot consists of: 15 min. presentation; 5 min. reaction PhD student; 10 min. reaction scholar; 15 min. general discussion