

FASS Migration Cluster Research Highlights Brown Bag Panel

Migration and Ethnicity

14 November 2016 (Monday), 12-1pm
FASS Research Division Seminar Room, AS7 06-42,
The Shaw Foundation Building



Join us at lunchtime for the Research Highlights Brown Bag Panel organised by the FASS Migration Cluster! Featuring three panellists, the Research Highlights for this session will focus on the theme of 'Migration and Ethnicity'. The event is meant to showcase migration research in NUS, introduce new researchers or work-in-progress, as well as to break through disciplinary silos in an informal way. Each panellist will highlight key features of their current research and there will be time for wider audience engagement. Bring your own lunch to the event or gather old and new friends to have lunch together after the session.

Panelists

JOHN SOLOMON is Assistant Professor in the Department of History and he joined NUS in 2016. John's research has focused on race and missionary ethnography in colonial South India, and untouchable Indian labour migrants in colonial Singapore. He is currently preparing new research on the periodisation of migration in Singapore's museums and public history discourse.

RITU JAIN is a PhD candidate in the Department of South Asian Studies. Ritu's PhD thesis considers the intersection of language policy and migration. She is exploring the influence of state and family language policy in shaping language decisions among the 'new' Indians in Singapore. She is now writing up the findings of her PhD research.

NUR AISYAH KOTARUMALOS is a PhD candidate in the Department of Sociology. Aisyah's PhD thesis examines the notion of being 'Bugis'. The Bugis people are one of the ethnic groups that are subsumed and represented under the racial/ethnic category of 'Malay' in Johor, Malaysia. She is now writing up the findings of her PhD research.