



Final International Conference (14-16 May 2014, University of Liège)  
Transnationalism, Identities' Dynamics and Cultural Diversification Urban Post-migratory Situations

# **Transnationalism Identities' Dynamics and Cultural Diversification in Urban Post-migratory Situations**

## **TRICUD Final International Conference**

### **PROGRAMME**

**14, 15 & 16 May 2014**

**Salle des Professeurs (room of Professors), Université de Liège**

9 Place du 20 Août (first floor), 4000 Liège, Belgium

The TRICUD programme (2010-2014) is a multidisciplinary research programme involving 3 research centres based at the Institute of Human and Social Sciences of the University of Liège : the CEDEM (Centre for Ethnic and Migration Studies) - coordinator, CLEO (Centre for the Study of Public Opinion) and PÔLE SUD (Pôle Liégeois d'Etudes sur les Sociétés Urbaines en Développement). The principal objective of TRICUD has been to better understand how migration transforms both sending societies in the South and receiving societies in the North. Migration has also prompted the formation of transnational social spaces connecting home and destination countries. This phenomenon has been observable between Belgium and firstly, the Democratic Republic of Congo and, secondly, Morocco (two strategic case-studies).

The Conference will be held mainly in English. Participation to the conference is free but **registration** is mandatory before 1<sup>st</sup> May 2014. For more information and registration, contact: Sonia Gsir ([Sonia.Gsir@ulg.ac.be](mailto:Sonia.Gsir@ulg.ac.be)) or Marco Martiniello ([M.Martiniello@ulg.ac.be](mailto:M.Martiniello@ulg.ac.be)).



## Wednesday 14 May 2014

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18h30 – 20h00      **Research perspectives on transnationalism and cultural diversification in Europe and beyond**

Opening event at the new Espace Opéra ULg\*

**Panel discussion**

Valentina MAZZUCATO (Maastricht University)

Lionel THELEN (European Research Council)

Pascal KAPAGAMA (University of Kinshasa)

Mohamed CHAREF (University of Agadir)

**Moderator**

Sonia GSIR (CEDEM, University of Liège)

\* Espace Opéra ULg is located 41 Place de la République française in the Opera Gallery ground-floor, just beside Ibis Hotel.

## Thursday 15 May 2014      TRANSNATIONAL PRACTICES AND IDENTITIES

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9h30-10h00      Registration and welcome

10h00-10h20      Welcome address - TRICUD programme  
Marco MARTINIELLO (CEDEM, University of Liège)

10h20-12h30      **Opening session**

Chair: Marc PONCELET (Pôle SuD, University of Liège)

10h30-11h15      *New directions in the study of super-diversity?*  
Keynote speaker Steve VERTOVEC (Director of Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious & Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen)

11h15-11h45      coffee break

11h45-12h30      Discussion

12h30-13h30      Lunch



**13h30-15h45      Session 1 - Transnational Families and Caregiving Practices**

Chair: Mohammed CHAREF (University of Agadir)

13h30-14h00      *Flexible Families: Moroccan migration, transnational family practices and the malleability of social space*

Caroline ZICKGRAF (CEDEM, University of Liège)

14h00-14h30      *Transnational families circulating care across borders: a framework for the analysis of intergenerational solidarities*

Laura MERLA (Cirfase, Catholic University of Louvain)

14h30-15h00      *Care giving, Notions of Relatedness and Transnational Family Relations: Caribbean Perspectives*

Karen FOG OLWIG (University of Copenhagen)

15h00-15h45      Discussion: Valentina MAZZUCATO (Maastricht University)

15h45-16h15      coffee break

**16h15-18h30      Session 2 - Trans-locality : Anchors, Mobilities and Belongings  
Recomposition**

Chair: Thomas MALOUTAS (Harokopio University)

16h15-16h45      *« Fils et Filles de la N'djili » : Sociogenèse d'une localité (post)coloniale et transmigrations. Une approche ethnographique translocale : Liège-Kinshasa-Paris-Bruxelles/Liège-Geilenkirchen.*

Bénédicte MEIERS (Pôle SuD, Université de Liège)

16h45-17h15      *Practising translocalism in Maryland and Awing (Cameroon): a son, a brother, a father and his house in the village.*

Ben PAGE (University College London)

17h15-17h45      *Dismantling Diasporas, Rethinking Resistance & Mapping Resilience: Gender, Youth and Transnational Mobilities in the Post-Socialist Imagination*

Anastasia CHRISTOU (Middlesex University)

17h45-18h30      Discussion: Pascal KAPAGAMA (University of Kinshasa)



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**Friday 16 May 2014      IDENTITIES DYNAMICS AND CULTURAL DIVERSIFICATION**

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**10h00-12h00      Opening session**

Chair: Marc JACQUEMAIN (CLEO, University of Liège)

10H00-10H45      *Displacements, Global Constraints, and Transnational Futures*  
Keynote speaker Nina GLICK-SCHILLER (University of Manchester)

10H45-11H15      Coffee break

11h15-12H00      Discussion

12h00-13h00      Lunch

**13h00-15h15      Session 3 - Cultural Diversity and Inter-ethnic Relations in European Societies**

Chair: Hassan BOUSETTA (CEDEM, University of Liège)

13h00-13h30      *The changing relationship between the majority population and immigrant minorities in French-speaking Belgium*  
Petar KOVINCIC (CLEO, University of Liège)

13h30-14h00      *Competitive Threat, Racial Prejudice and the Rise of Anti-immigrant Sentiment in European Societies*  
Anastasia GORODZEISKY (Ben Gurion University of the Negev)

14h00-14h30      *In the wake of extreme right electoral success. A cross country comparative study of anti-immigration attitudes over time*  
Mikael HJERM (Umea University)

14h30-15h15      Discussion: Andrea REA (Free University of Brussels)

15h15-15h45      coffee break



**15h45-18h00      Session 4 - Artistic Expression and Identity Construction in Multicultural Cities**

Chair: Jean-Michel LAFLEUR (CEDEM, University of Liège)

15h45-16h15      *Immigrants, ethnicized minorities and the diversification of urban cultures: Comparing Naples and Liège*

Marco MARTINIELLO (CEDEM, University of Liège)

16h15-16h45      *Qu'est-ce que l'interculturalité underground (rock, rap, techno) ?*

Jean-Marie SECA (Université de Lorraine)

16h45-17h15      *Politisation et dépolitisation des expressions culturelles autochtones : le cas de Fort-de-France et Toulouse*

Lionel ARNAUD (Université de Toulouse)

17h15-18h00      Discussion: Fatima ZIBOUH (CEDEM, Université de Liège)

**18h00-18h15      Concluding remarks**

Marco MARTINIELLO (CEDEM, University of Liège)

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***During the conference some publications of the speakers will be available.***