

African Studies Seminar



Michaelmas Term 2020

Thursdays, 3.30pm Online – MS Teams Join the seminar here

15 October To the Volcano and Other Stories

(Week 1) Elleke Boehmer (University of Oxford) in conversation with Wale Adebanwi

(University of Oxford)

22 October Our Own Way in This Part of the World: Biography of an African Community,

(Week 2) Culture, and Nation

Kwasi Konadu (Colgate University)

29 October Technocracy, Populism and good governance: what Nigeria can teach us about

(Week 3) the global crisis of democracy

Portia Roelofs (University of Oxford)

5 November Somali Kinship and Bureaucratic Governance at Dagahaley Refugee Camp in

(Week 4) Kenya

Fred Ikanda (Maseno University)

12 November (Un)dressing the nation: Power, Dress and Sexuality in Malawian Popular Art

(Week 5) Asante Mtenje (University of Malawi)

19 November Presidential Campaigns stops in Ghana

(Week 6) George Bob-Milliar (Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology)

27 November Lawino's People: The Acholi of Uganda by Okot p'Bitek, Frank Knowles

(Week 7) Girling

Tim Allen (LSE)

Anthropology Department Seminar

Date, time and venue change: Friday, November 27, 3:00 pm, Anthro Dep Online Seminar

3 December South Africa After the Rainbow

(Week 8) Anne-Maria Makhulu (Duke University)

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