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International Migration and Inclusive Development in India

The relationship between international migration and development is now a key area of global, national and regional policy making and migration and development governance, as well as a focus of academic research. This is particularly the case in relation to India. While dominant discourses within academic and policy discussions tend to celebrate the progressive relationship between Indian migrant transnationalism, this British Academy-funded project is informed by a number of recent academic studies which emphasize the complexity and ambiguity, and call for more nuanced analyses, of the Indian international migration-development nexus. The project is focussed around a series of four workshops, the first of which is to be held at SOAS on 3rd November 2018.

Workshop 1: Gender, Migration and Development in India

Saturday 3rd November 2018 10am-3.30pm, Room 4426, Russell Square Main College Building, SOAS

Programme

10.00-10.15 - Welcome and Introduction. Professor Steve Taylor, Northumbria University and SOAS, UK and Professor S.I. Rajan, Centre for Development Studies, Kerala

10.15 - 11.00 - 'Gender, Migration and Development: Evidence from the Kerala Migration Survey'. Professor S.I. Rajan, Centre for Development Studies, Kerala, India

11.00 - 11.45 - 'Migration, Protection and Safety: The moral economy of girls'/women's education in Punjab, India'. Dr. Navtej Purewal, South Asia Institute, SOAS, UK

11.45 -12.30 - 'Asymmetrical Therapeutic Mobilities: Masculine advantage in nurse migration from India'. Professor Margaret Walton-Roberts, Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada

12.30 – 1.30: Lunch

1.30 – 2.15 - 'An Expanding Regulative Infrastructure ? State policy mediations and migration of nurses from India'. Dr. V.J. Varghese, University of Hyderabad, India and University of Edinburgh, UK

2.15 – 3.00 - 'Gendering International Student Migration: an Indian case study'. Dr. Gunjan Sondhi, The Open University, UK

3.00 – 3.30 – Reflections and Future Directions

