

# LANGUAGE IDEOLOGIES WITHIN, ACROSS & AGAINST BORDERS

INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH SEMINAR, 16 MARCH 2017

DURHAM UNIVERSITY, RUSSKIY MIR CENTRE (A29)

## Seminar programme

11.30-12.00: Introduction to the seminar by Andy Byford (Durham University)

12.00-13.30: Panel 1

### Switching to Post-Soviet: Language Discourses in Nation-Building and Border-Making

Alena Pfoser (Loughborough University), *Rebordering Estonia: Visions from the Periphery*

Teresa Wigglesworth-Baker (independent researcher), *Multilingual Education Reforms in Georgia in the Post-Soviet Period: Discourses of Ethnic Minority Integration*

Anna Mkhoyan (Université de Genève), *Russian Language and Education in Armenia since 1991: A Brief Overview*

13.30-14.30: Lunch

14.30-15.30: Panel 2

### UK's Post-Soviet Migrants Contesting Boundaries through Language Practices

Nina Ivashinenko (University of Glasgow), *Educational Practices: Implementation of Different Approaches in the Russian Schools in Scotland*

Katie Harrison (University of Nottingham), *Language Practices and Ideologies in the Ukrainian Diaspora: Some Preliminary Findings*

15.30-15.45: Coffee break

15.45-16.45: Panel 3

### Transnationalising Languages: Identity Politics in Large Eurasian Spaces

Mamtimyn Sunuodula (Durham University), *Multilingualism, Language Policy and Negotiating Identity in China*

Ammon Cheskin (University of Glasgow), *Language, Politics and Identity: The Russian-Speaking Population in the Post-Soviet Space*

16.45-17.00: Closing remarks

17.30: Dinner

Attendance is free but registration is essential. If you wish to attend one or more seminar panels or have further questions about the event, please contact Polina Kliuchnikova at [p.s.klyuchnikova@durham.ac.uk](mailto:p.s.klyuchnikova@durham.ac.uk).

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More on the *Language & Identity in Post-Soviet Spaces* event series: [languageidentityfsu.wordpress.com](http://languageidentityfsu.wordpress.com)

