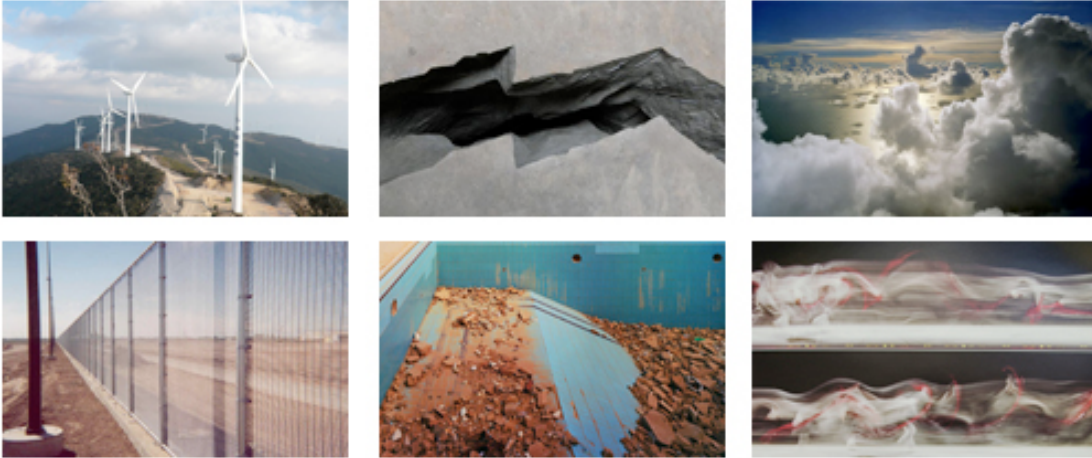


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**Sociology Department Seminars  
2009 / 10**



All seminars are open to everyone.

This year's department seminars have a slightly different theme. In order to encourage lively discussion we have used two strategies!:

Four speakers will reflect on a selection of their own published papers and have been paired with a discussant from Lancaster sociology,

Two speakers did their PhD at Lancaster, they will be giving papers relating to their current work, and their ex-supervisors will be discussants.

All speakers will be discussing their selected paper/s but not re-iterating the content, so please download and read the papers before the seminar.

**David Tyfield**

***Cosmopolitan China? Lessons from International Collaboration in Low-Carbon Innovation***

13 October 2009

4pm - 6pm

Bowland North SR20

David is a new Lecturer in Mobilities in the Sociology Department at Lancaster, so we're happy he agreed to be the opening speaker for the Seminar series this year.

**Frank Trentmann**

***Divides: Things, Practices, Politics***

10 November 2009

4pm - 6pm

Bowland North SR20

Discussant: Tim Dant

**Download papers:**

"Crossing Divides: Consumption and Globalization in History" *Journal of Consumer Culture* 9/2, pp. 187-220. (link <http://joc.sagepub.com/cgi/reprint/9/2/187>)

'Materiality in the Future of History: Things, Practices, and Politics' *Journal of British Studies*, 48/2 (April 2009), pp. 283-307.  
(link <http://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/pdf/10.1086/596123>)

**Doreen Massey**

**Revisiting 'A Global Sense of Place'**

24 November 2009

4pm - 6pm

Bowland North SR20

Discussant: Andrew Sayer

**Download paper:**

"A Global Sense of Place." *Marxism Today* (1991): 24-29.

(link <http://onedaysculpture.org.nz/assets/images/reading/doreen%20massey.pdf>)

**Jan Selby**

**Peace Processes**

19 Jan 2010

4pm - 6pm

Bowland North SR23

Discussant: Elizabeth Shove

**Tim Edensor**

***Material Remains: Time, History and Disposal***

09 February 2010

4pm – 5.30pm

Bowland North SR21

Discussant: John Urry

**Nigel Thrift**

**Revisiting 'Afterwords'**

02 March 2010

4pm - 6pm

Venue: tbc

Discussant: tbc

**Download Paper:**

Thrift N, 2000, "Afterwords" *Environment and Planning D: Society and Space* **18**(2) 213 – 255

(link <http://www.envplan.com/abstract.cgi?id=d214t>)

**Sociology Department Research Day: Steve Woolgar**

Half-day event with speakers including Steve Woolgar. More details to follow.

**Date:** 11 May 2010

**Time:** tbc

**Venue:** tbc

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