A Workshop on Vulnerability and Social Justice
June 17-18, 2016
Leeds University, the Liberty Building, Moot Court Room
Moorland Road, Leeds LS2 9JT, UK

Friday, June 17
10:00 – 11:15 am Emory and Lund Vulnerability Project Partnership
Martha Albertson Fineman | Robert W. Woodruff Professor of Law, Emory University School of Law; Founder & Director, Vulnerability and the Human Condition Initiative and the Feminism and Legal Theory Project
Ulrika Andersson | Lecturer, the Department of Law, Lund University
Titti Mattsson | Professor, the Department of Law, Lund University

11:20 – 12:00 pm LUNCH

12:00 – 2:30 pm Human Rights and Vulnerability
• Vulnerability and Human Rights: Is It a Framing or Substantive Issue? | Alice Margaria (Law School, Koç University, Istanbul)
• Vulnerability: A New Foundation for Social Rights? | Maria Dolores Morondo Taramundi (University of Deusto, Bilbao)
• Operationalizing Vulnerability: A Comparative Analysis of The Endorois Welfare Council v. Kenya Case | Atieno Mboya Samandari (Emory University School of Law)
• The Chameleon Concept: “Vulnerable Groups in the EU’s Area of Freedom Security and Justice | Alexandra Timmer (Utrecht University School of Law)

• Vulnerable Families and Careworkers: Why Care Labour Should be Remunerated, but not for Sale | Brunella Casalini (University of Florence, Department of Political and Social Sciences)
• Corporeal or Embodied Humanisms? | Michael Thomson (University of Leeds School of Law)
• Resilient Social Justice (to come) | Camilla Sabroe Lydebjerg (University College Zealand, Denmark)
• The Pitfalls of Competitive Vulnerability | Charissa Smith (University of Wisconsin Law School)

Reception
The Fabric of Rights: Vulnerability as a Term of Art | Luke Clements (University of Leeds School of Law)
Erich Hou (University of South Wales)

6:30 – 8:00 pm DINNER

Saturday, June 18
8:30- 9:00 am BREAKFAST
9:00 – 11:30 am Beyond Individual Choice and Autonomy
• Fetal Protection, Reproductive Health and the Triumph of Autonomy | Deborah Dinner (Emory University School of Law)
• The Messy Business of Surrogacy Law | Julie McCandless (London School of Economics and Political Science)
• Vulnerability Theory and Sexual Assault on Campus | Stu Marvel (Emory University School of Law)
• Self-Employment: Vulnerability of the “Entrepreneurial Self” | Enrico Reuter (University of York, Department of Public and Social Policy)

11:40 pm – 12:20 pm LUNCH
12:30 – 2:30 pm Vulnerability, Justice and Mental Health

- **Imprisoned Lives: Expanding Vulnerability to Provoke Sexual Agency and Inclusion in Bodies Labeled as Intellectually Disabled** | Emese Ilyes (City University of New York, the Graduate Center)
- **Vulnerability: Navigating Dichotomies in Adult Social Care** | Beverley Clough (University of Leeds, School of Law)
- **Towards a Legal Theory of Mental Health Vulnerability** | Phil R. Bielby (Biomedical Ethics and Law Programme, University of Hull)

2:45 – 4:45 pm Building a Responsive State

- **Toward a Vulnerability Centered Paradigm: Cross-Sectionality and Interest Convergence as Strategic Tools for Achieving Social Justice** | Michèle Alexandre (University of Mississippi School of Law) Imani Perry (Princeton University, Department of African American Studies)
- **Paid Gang Injunctions: Vulnerability Towards Practical Social Justice Praxis** | Lua Kamal Yuille (University of Kansas School of Law)
- **Protecting the “Most Vulnerable:” Affect and Vulnerability in Discourses of UK Austerity** | Jacqueline Gibbs (London School of Economics and Political Science, Gender Institute, PhD Candidate)

DINNER on your own or (possibly) with the group at Bundobust (Vegetarian Indian Street food)

Click to register or learn more. Email questions to
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