‘Er indoors’: Domesticity and Nature in Home and Garden  
Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2019,  
Wolfson Research Exchange, University Library.

**PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME**

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<td><em>Affective Gardens, Neoliberal Times: reassessing the garden in contemporary lifestyle media</em></td>
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11.45-13.15 Panel 1: Families, plants and gardens **Chair: Louise Morgan**

- **Thomas McGrath**, Manchester Metropolitan University: “I believe the garden will be a great delight”: The Suburban Garden in Elizabeth Gaskell’s Manchester

- **Anna Lawrence**, University of Cambridge: Treat your child as you treat your plant: Phytomorphism in the Victorian Slum

- **Dr Elizabeth Baigent**, University of Oxford: ‘The flowers interested the children more than the cakes’: Octavia Hill and the domestication of nature in nineteenth-century England

13.15-14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.30 Panel 2: The garden in its place **Chair: Dr Marina Chang (Coventry)**

- **Teresa Kopecka**, Charles University, Prague: The War Gardens: Ready to feed and kill

- **Lauriane Suyin Chalmin-Pui**, University of Sheffield: “I'm known as Mr Front Garden now” - A framework to understand the relationship between Britain in Bloom gardeners and their front gardens

- **Dr Dan Keech**, University of Gloucestershire and Professor Marc Redepenning, Otto-Friedrich University, Bamberg: Urban horticulture and public/private spaces
15.30-15.45  Tea and Coffee

15.45-17.15 Panel 3: Garden choices and morality  Chair: Prof Roberta Bivins

Dr Jessica van Horssen, Leeds Beckett University: Selling a ‘Silent Spring’ to the World with Expo ’67’s Home of the Future

Sophie Greenway, University of Warwick: ‘Ster-Izal leaves the soil clean’: The hygienic boundaries of the domestic space

Emma Morton, University of Warwick: Cinematic gardens as metaphysical places of moral judgement

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17.30-18.30  Professor Ben Highmore, University of Sussex  Chair: Sophie Greenway

Home Grown: Playgrounds as quasi-domestic spaces

18.30-19.15  Wine reception

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