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# MITN Postgraduate and Early Career Researchers

## Newsletter n°5, May 2016

Welcome to our fifth MITN newsletter. We have two upcoming events detailed below - we hope to see you there! Don't forget to keep an eye on our [new webpage](#) for PG/ECR MITN activities, and let us know if you would like to have a [profile](#) on the MITN website as a postgraduate or early career researcher.

If you would like us to publish something for you in the next newsletter, please send it to us by the **22nd of June**.

Best wishes,

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Warwick Website



Monash Website



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## Two Upcoming Events!

Wednesday June 1st

Inaugural Reading Group for 'Performing Narratives' cluster

Warwick: 9-10 am, International Portal (R0.12, Ramphal Building)

Monash: 6-7 pm, International Portal (B461, Caulfield Campus)

More info [here](#)

To RSVP, contact [Naomi](#) or [Reagan](#)

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Wednesday 8th June

Second Reading Group for 'Space, Place and the City' cluster

Warwick: 8-10 am, International Portal (R0.12, Ramphal Building)

Monash: 5-7pm, International Portal (B461, Caulfield Campus)

More info [here](#)

To RSVP, contact [Alice](#) or [Ayten](#)

## Past Events

Inaugural Reading Group for the  
'Space, Place and the City' cluster

March 9 2016

Texts discussed were De Certeau's  
'Walking in the City' and Keating's  
'Discourse, Space and Place'

[Third Plenary Event \(Storify\)](#)

[Third event \(blog\)](#)

February 3 2016

Launch of the 'Space, Place and the  
City' research cluster

[Second Plenary Event \(Storify\)](#)

[Second Event \(Blog\)](#)

October 28 2015

A workshop run by Felix Nobis

## Monash-Warwick Student-Led Scheme Awarded: Collaborative Translation Project

The Collaborative Translation project  
instigated by a group of MITN PG/ECRs has  
been awarded funding through the student-led  
scheme led by the Monash-Warwick  
Alliance. The project explores how a model of  
collaboration between two or more  
participants with complimentary skill sets can  
perform the function of translation. It applies  
this model to research in the following areas:

Literary Translation

Language Learning

Migration in Australia

If you are interested in learning how  
collaborative translation might benefit your  
own research projects, please contact

[Jessica](#) or [Gioia](#).

## Latest MITN Blog Post

[Literary Translation Workshop with  
Richard Dixon, Chantal Wright and  
Mila Milani](#)

Paolo Vacca reflects on a recent  
event held at Warwick.

**New publication:  
*The AALITRA Review***

## Issue 11

**Have you attended a conference, published an article or started a new research project? Would you like to share your reflections with the MITN community?**

Please email MITN Project Coordinator [Gavin Schwartz-Leeper](#) if you wish to contribute to the blog.

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### Call for submissions: Poetry in Translation

Cluster coordinator Alice Whitmore has started working for Cordite Poetry Review, and they're looking to publish translations of poetry from a range of languages. If you'd like to know more, email Alice at [alice@cordite.org.au](mailto:alice@cordite.org.au).

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### Grant Awarded: Translation in the European Middle Ages and Renaissance

Two doctoral students from Warwick and Monash, Liam Lewis and Luke Bancroft, have been awarded a grant from the Monash-Warwick Alliance for a filming project which aims to create a series of educational, skills-focused videos featuring research by postgraduate students and academic staff from the Centre for the Study of the Renaissance at the University of

**Available to read online [here](#)**

The AALITRA Review is a peer-reviewed online journal established in March 2010 by the Australian Association for Literary Translation (AALITRA), a national organization that promotes an interest in all aspects of literary translation. They publish scholarly articles, interviews, book reviews and translations of literary texts and they accept submissions all year round. For more information, visit their [website](#).

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### Call for Papers:

'Devotional Writing In Print and Manuscript in Early Modern England, 1558-1700'  
20 July, 2016, Warwick University  
Submissions due 3 June 2016  
For more information, see their [website](#).

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### MITN Website Update

MITN is in the process of updating their main [website](#), hosted by Warwick.

**One priority is to increase the visibility of the [PG/ECR activities](#). We have listed our plenary events, related blog posts and storify pages, and have made past newsletters available.**

**Each research cluster now has their own page where information and news can be posted: [Space, Place and the City](#) and [Performing](#)**

Warwick and the Monash Centre for  
Renaissance and Medieval Studies.

[Narratives.](#)

These videos will showcase the innovative research taking place in these institutions on translation and culture in the European Middle Ages and Renaissance. They will include interviews with experts from Warwick and Monash, introductions to cultures of the past in a variety of languages (specifically English, French, Italian, and Latin) and short presentations of postgraduate case-study based research. They will be used to promote the research of the institutions involved online, particularly at postgraduate level, as well as showcased at a variety of public seminars and events at Warwick and Monash in the future.

**Please email [j.g.lewis@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:j.g.lewis@warwick.ac.uk) to indicate if you would be interested in participating.**

## Would you like an MITN PG/ECR Profile Online?

There is a [page dedicated to PG/ECR profiles](#), where you can search for and contact potential collaborators. Please email us if you would like to have your profile uploaded.

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## Research Clusters

**Is there an area of research related to migration, identity and/or translation that you would like to explore with other postgraduates and early career researchers?**

Email us with your ideas and we will publish an Expression of Interest!

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## Events of Interest

### Memory, Nostalgia and Unbelonging in *The Other Side of the World*

Monash University  
6 June 2016

### Refugee memories

University of Warwick  
7 June 2016

### Post Racial Fantasies in an Age of Diversity and Migration

University of Warwick  
8 June 2016

### Annual Migration Postgraduate Research Conference

Sheffield University  
9 June 2016

### Everywhere and Nowhere

An Interdisciplinary Postgraduate Symposium On Imagined Spaces

University of Nottingham  
20 June 2016

Devotional Writing In Print and Manuscript in Early Modern England, 1558-1700

University of Warwick  
20 July 2016

The 7th Asian Translation Traditions Conference

Monash Malaysia Campus, Kuala Lumpur  
26-30 September 2016

CFP: Trans-Asia Human Mobilities and Encounters

23–24 January 2017

Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok

Organized by the Monash Asia Institute, Monash University & Institute of Asian Studies, Chulalongkorn University

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