

ETMU Days 2023, University of Jyväskylä, Finland, 29.11–1.12.2023

Wednesday 29 November		
11.30–12.00	Conference registration University library Lähde, 2 nd floor	
12.00–13.00	Pre-conference event keynote: Nafisa Yeasmin: Immigration, Resilience and Sustainability Room: B 248 Väite	
13.00–13.30	Coffee break, Lähde library (self-financed)	
13.30–14.30	Pre-conference papers by PhD researchers Chairs: Anduena Ballo & Päivi Ilikkanen Room: B 339 Virta • A Fragmented Sense of Belonging: Adult Migrant Students' Experiences in Finland (Alessandra Aldrovandi) • How do second language (L2) teachers negotiate L2 language curriculum choices in their teaching practices? A comparison of Finland and French-speaking Switzerland (Mandira Halder)	Pre-conference papers by PhD researchers Chairs: Nafisa Yeasmin & Päivi Pirkkalainen Room: B249 Suure • Barriers and facilitators of health service utilisation: digitalisation and transnational perspective on health-seeking behaviour of working-age Nepalese migrants in Finland (Shrwan Khanal) • Asian American athletes as disruptors of the the gendered stereotypes of Asian Americans (Hai Nguyen)
14.30-14.45	Break	

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14.45-15.45	Pre-conference papers by PhD students Chairs: Anduena Ballo & Päivi Iikkanen Room: B 339 Virta - Mathematics Anxiety barrier to achieve goal of NEP 2020: Quality Education (Kiran Kalia) ONLINE - Integrating Formal Education and Post-secondary Test-Prep in Indian Schools: A Hit or a Miss? (Harshita Sharma) ONLINE		Pre-conference papers by PhD students Chairs: Nafisa Yeasmin & Päivi Pirkkalainen Room: B249 Suure - How Racial Stigmatization is Reproduced and Challenged in Interracial Relationships in Finland (Ella Alin) - Exploring agency and epistemic injustice in trust shaping processes among forced migrants in institutional encounters in Finland and Sweden (Liselott Sundbäck)		
15.45-16.00	Closing discussion Room: B339 Virta				
15.00–16.00	Conference registration University library Lähde, 2 nd floor				
16.00–18.00	Workshop: Towards an equal work life: Fostering trust in the labor market Conveners: Outi Kähäri, Mika Raunio, Elina Turjanmaa & Sari Vanhanen Room: B248 Väite	Workshop: Between the law and the migrant: emancipatory and marginalizing relationship Conveners: Mervi Leppäkorpi & Jaana Palander Room: B 247 Päätelmä	Workshop: Temporary migration: rights and regulations Convener: Emilia Lakka Room: B 339 Virta	Workshop: Unwrapping intersectionality in educational structures (ONLINE) Convener: Harshita Sharma Facilitator on-site: Anduena Ballo B 249 Suure	Protest pub Restaurant Ilokivi, Keskussairaalan tie 2

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	"Of course I will find a job" - Skilled migrant women's experiences of job search in Finland (Heidi Lehtovaara)	"Story-humans" at the border: Decision-making and discretion in first line border checks in Finland (Nora Fabritius)	Legislating on the legal status of foreigners picking berries in Finland (Johanna Vanto, Anne Alvesalo-Kuusi, Lauri Salonen)	Exploring Access and Equity Concerns of Indian Higher Education: NEP 2020 Context (Sangeeta Angom)	
	Examining the Impact of Social Networking Sites on the Professional Journey of Skilled Immigrant Women (Mukhammadyusuf Shaymardanov, Suvi Heikkinen, Anna-Maija Lämsä)	Migration decision appeal: The 'resist and desist' hub of injustice against migrants in Finland (Frank Ojwang)	Picking and choosing workers' rights: political discourses on foreign wild berry pickers in Finland and Sweden (Emilia Lakka)	Diversity in the Public Sphere- A Reflection on Higher Education Institutions in India (Pratiksha Tripathi)	
	Who is excluded from equality in sporting life? Insights from Finland's sport policy (Tatiana V. Ryba, Saara Isosomppi, Elina Joronen, Jessica De Palo, Mirjam Raudasoja, Kati Lehtonen)	Civil society organizations Human Rights argumentation in amendment processes for irregularized migrants' access to health (Mervi Leppäkorpi)		Exploring Intersectionality of Caste, Class and Gender in Access and Participation of Students in Higher Education Sector in India: Special Focus on Under Graduate and Post Graduate Levels (Madhumita Bandyopadhyay, Anupam Gupta, Nassif Muhammed Ali)	

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	The Finnish Labour Market Hegemonies and Nuanced Racial Microaggressions: “Legal” Discrimination in Recruitment Process in Finland (Frank Ojwang)	Economization of Finnish migration policy discourse (Johanna Metsänheimo)		Addressing the intersections for Academic Leadership in Indian Higher Education Institutions: Challenges and Prospects in Current Policy Discourse (Harshita Sharma, Neeru Snehi)	
	Dangerous trust? Trust as enabling exploitation in the labour market (Linda Bäckman, Magdalena Kosová)				
18.30–20.00	Reception by the City of Jyväskylä at the City Hall, Vapaudenkatu 32				

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Thursday 30 November						
8.30–9.00	Conference registration Lobby of the university main building (C)					
9.00–9.30	Conference opening Johanna Ennsner-Kananen, co-conference chair Journeys Through Refugeehood and Deportation in Photographs and Poetry Rewan Kakil and Ahmed Zaidan Room: C1					
9.30–10.30	Keynote Leif Hagert: Romanit – sivuutettu vähemmistö (Romani – an overlooked minority) The talk will be interpreted into English. Room C1					
10.45–12.15	Workshop: Linguistic diversity and power relations in social and health services Conveners: Meri Kulmala, Eveliina Heino & Hanna Kara Room: S303	Workshop: Body, power and oppression. Research insights into embodied encounters and the relations of power Convener: Tiina Sotkasiira Room: Lyhty	Workshop: Inclusion and equity in early childhood care and education (ONLINE) Convener: Savita Kaushal Facilitator on-site: Miracle Akangbe Room: B339 Virta	Workshop: Deportations and deportability Conveners: Päivi Pirkkalainen & Saara Pellander Room: B247 Päätelmä	Workshop: Structures of Power, Oppression and Resistance in food and food systems Conveners: Dionysia Kang & Freja Högback Room: H306	Workshop: From Decolonizing to Humxnizing Praxis: Practical Guidelines for a World Worth Living Convener: Yecid Ortega Room: S212

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	"Osaako kukaan neuvoa venäjänkielistä lääkäriä?" – venäjänkielisten maahanmuuttajien suhtautuminen suomalaiseen terveydenhuoltoon Facebook-ryhmien keskustelujen valossa (Svetlana Probirskaja)	Creating a Gendered Body: Disciplining and Schooling (Ayana Pathak)	Fostering Equity and Embracing Differences: Exploring Inclusive Education for Children With Mental Health Difficulties in ECCE (Surabhi Chawla)	Chronic Pain of Race and Citizenship: Injuries and Shrinking in Community and Communication (Ali Ali)	Narratives of migrant farmworkers' struggles in southern Italy. Decolonial practices towards the building of an ethical food supply chain. (Sielo Longo)	
	Affects of trust in digitally mediated public service encounters between service providers and migrants (Anne Häkkinen, Avanti Chajed, Johanna Ylipulli)	Power in Gratefulness/Gratitude: Experiences of Syrian Refugees/Asylum Seekers in the UK (Almedina Lozic) ONLINE	Understanding Parental Expectations from Play Schools: A Qualitative Exploration in Kashmir (Habibullah Shah, Mirza Muneeb Manan)	Deportation turn? Europeanization and forced removals at the Finnish borderscapes c. 1970–2020 (Matti Välimäki, Miika Tervonen)	How is it legal? Socio-legal production of the tourist-seasonal worker for the wild-berry industry in Finland (Minna Seikkula)	
	Building trust with foreign language–speaking clients: Perspectives of social workers of child welfare services in Finland (Eveliina Heino, Hanna Kara)		Inclusion of Sami Parents in Education Planning: Decolonial Praxis (Michelle Francett-Hermes, Christine Namdar)		Not Just Emotions: Structures of power and oppression maintained by reactions towards exploitative labour in Finnish food system (Dionysia Kang)	

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	Exploring the relation between trust and linguistic aspects of	Politics of injury at the Poland-Belarus border (Olga Cielemecka)	Structural Change in Educational System: Impact on ECCE in India	Foreign background researchers in the internationalized	Mixed-citizen couples' strategies of survival and resistance	From vegan terrorists to vegan capitalists – a critical	Finland's Integration training as an exclusive	

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	accessibility to social services- perspectives of service users with forced migrant background and professionals (Liselott Sundbäck)		- Policy and Practices (Madhumita Bandyopadhyay)	university: navigating the habitus (Anna Björnö (Medvedeva))	under the threat of deportation (Eveliina Lyytinen & Pihla Siim)	discourse analysis about veganism(s) in Finland from the 1990s to 2020 (Freja Högbäck)	inclusion (Tanja Seppälä)	
	Resistance in the face of linguistic vulnerability and bureaucratic violence in welfare institutional encounters (Paula Merikoski, Camilla Nordberg)	Trauma-informed research principles and their application through embodied interviewing (Tiina Sotkasiira)	Strengthening of Inclusive Pedagogical Processes: On-going Coaching and Mentoring of ECCE Functionaries (Manish Arora)	Efficacy of language requirements in higher education institutions in Finland: Decolonisation through university admission criteria (Frank Ojwang)	Spaces of Action, Invisible Violence and hosted Bodies (Riikka Theresa Innanen)	Protesting or Picnicking? "Pizza" at the 2020-2021 Indian Farmers' Protest (Ahmar Alvi)	Language learning as 'sites of control': navigating neoliberal calls for 'entrepreneurial selves' amid border regimes (Samah Ibrahim) ONLINE	
	Barriers and facilitators of health service utilisation: digitalisation and transnational perspective on	The embodied experience of a Stranger (Zeinab Karimi) ONLINE	Immigrant Mothers' Talk on Hierarchical Institutional Intergroup Contact: ECEC Workers (Eerika Finell, Paula	Migrant academics in higher education in Finland (Kalypso Filippou)	The Role of Policy Documents and Training Program in Promoting Human Rights in Forced	Towards dismantling unhealthy, unequal and unjust food systems: Early steps in a small South	Technology-equipped teaching practices, problems, and possibilities in adult migrant basic education	

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	health-seeking behaviour of working-age Nepalese migrants in Finland (Shrwan Khanal)		Pajaanen, Clifford Stevenson)		Return Operations (Annika Malmsten Saltin) CANCELLED	African town (Norma Rudolph)	in Finland: Pre-pandemic and pandemic experiences and views of practioners (Eva Malessa) ONLINE CANCELLED	
			Unleashing Creative Thoughts: Exploring Innovative Approaches in Early Childhood Education for Fostering Inclusivity (Savita Kaushal)	Collaborative teaching and learning or collaborative struggles? Experiences from a hybrid university course on sustainability matters (Marianna Vivitsou)				
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	Jaettu kieli ja jaettu asiantuntijuus: suomen kielen ja hoitotyön integrointia englanninkielisessä sairaanhoitajakoulutuksessa (Minja Suomalainen)	Who is Actually Interested in Exploring, Experiencing and Actually Seeing Structure, Who is Not, Why and What it all Might Mean? A Table-Top Exercise (David Hoffman, Quivine Ndomo, Leonardo Custódio)	A dialogue on structural inequities in Finnish higher education crisis leadership: challenges with information flow, inclusivity, and more (Marc Perkins)	Do we have the guts? Re/configuring the in/visibility and maltreatment of Short Bowel Syndrome by SBS-patients (Ian Boes) ONLINE	Am I integrated? Everyday Experiences of Non-White Women in Finland (Zahra Edalati, Majid Imani) CANCELLED
	Järjestöjen julkispalveluja paikkaavan varjotyön hinta - Omankielisten työntekijöiden valta, vastuu ja aseman (Ulla Buchert, Meri Kulmala, Camilla Nordberg)	Undermining “academic language” in the academy (Johanna Ennser-Kananen)	What is the Brightest Line That Structurally Distinguishes Finland’s Higher Education Ecosystem From Our Most Serious Competitors? Spoiler Alert – It is Right in Front of Our Eyes (David Hoffman, Jawaria Khan, Maria Lima Toivanen, Maria Marouli, Quivine)	Women in Agriculture in Southern Africa: Land ownership, Migration, Labour and Intersectionality (Esther Makhetha)	Navigating Racism in Finland: Lived Experiences and Indigenous Methodologies for Resistance in the Racial Welfare State (Wasiq Silan, Hae Seong Jang)

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			Ndomo, Anna Ruotanen, Taina Saarinen, Heidi Säntti)		
	Kielityöpaja yhteisöllisen kielenoppimisen paikkana monikielisessä erikoissairaanhoidon työyhteisössä (Johanna Komppa, Eveliina Korpela, Katriina Eronen)	Poethics for Educational Transformation (Melinda Russial)	Virtue Signalling or Social Conscience? Justice Populism in Academia (Meng Tian)		Moral dilemmas in the practice of aspiration management: coping strategies among street- level bureaucrats providing integration services to recently arrived migrants (Miika Kekki, Giuliano Bonoli, Ihssane Otmani) CANCELLED
	Sote-ammattilaisten näkemykset maahanmuuttaneiden osallisuudesta sote- palveluissa (Sirkku Varjonen, Ari-Pekka Sihvonen, Riikka Shemeikka, Meri Kulmala)		Education for Social consciousness: Reflections on Student Activism, Social Justice, and Idea of the University in Democracy (Monika Maini) ONLINE		Critical reflections of experienced professionals in university lifelong learning: The role of pedagogical design in enhancing autonomy, agency and identity in migration-related work (Sari Vanhanen, Timo Halttunen, Kia Lundqvist)
18.00– 22.00	ETMU 20th anniversary celebration Location: Villa Rana, Seminaarinmäki Campus				

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Friday 1 December						
9.00–10.30	Workshop: Time and temporality in migration and refugeehood Conveners: Eveliina Lyytinen & Camilla Marucco Al-Mimar Room: B116 Tietoniekka	Workshop: Unpacking the language issue in migrant integration in Finland Päivi Iikkanen, Quivine Ndomo, Elizabeth Peterson & Nafisa Yeasmin Room: H306	Workshop: Intercultural Communication at the crossroads: Sharing and reflecting on teaching practices. Conveners: Mélodine Sommier, Marko Siitonen, Margarethe Olbertz-Siitonen, Malgorzata Lahti Room: B339 Virta	Workshop: Responses to the inflow of war migrants from Ukraine: policies, expectations, everyday experiences and future perspectives Convener: Katarzyna Kärkkäinen Room: B247 Päätelmä	Workshop: Religion and Asylum. New perspectives and Challenges Conveners: Ilona Blumgrund & Iiris Nikanne Room: B 248 Väite	Workshop: Life-making, care and social reproduction in migration Conveners: Daria Krivonos & Pauliina Lukinmaa Room: B349 Suvanto
	Endings – The end of refugeehood as an experience and as a legal status (Eveliina Lyytinen, Erna Bodström, Camilla Marucco Al-Mimar)	Language Attitudes and Ideologies: a research project on language tensions in Finland (Elizabeth Peterson, Katariina Pyykkö, Laura Hekanaho, Marika Hall, Anna Suutarla)	“Growing into the world” as a critical response to the discourse of internationalization in higher education (Margarethe Olbertz-Siitonen, Malgorzata Lahti, Katarzyna Kärkkäinen, Judit Hahn, Outi Merisalo,	Ukrainians’ access and belonging to rural work and school communities in Finland and Hungary (Minna Suni, Sanna Mustonen, Nóra Schleicher)	Asylum Determination as a Means of Governing Religion (Helmi Halonen)	Remaking life through co-living: home accommodation of displaced people as reproductive and convivial labour (Olga Tkach)

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			Minna Suni, Anne-Riitta Vanhala)			
	Refugeehood – Do you have an End? (Rewan Kakil)	Acculturation and Language: The Case of Russian Speakers in Latvia and Finland (Ilkhom Khalimzoda, Marko Siitonen)	Internationalisation as students' multilingual and intercultural competencies: Developing the whole curriculum. (Lotta Kokkonen, Teija Natri, Juhani Moisio)	Ukrainians and the Ukrainian language in Finland in 2022-23 (Maria Frick, Kapranov Yan)	Beyond Religious Knowledge Testing – Towards a Deeper Understanding of Credibility Assessment in Asylum Claims Based on Religious Conversion (Anne K. Schlüter)	Social reproduction and infrastructures of migrant intimacies (Laura Mankki)
	Poetic Prism: Glimpsing through Endings (Ahmed Zaidan)	Is There Only One Way to Integrate? Engaging Wide Gaps in the Current Approach to Integration of Adult Migrants in Finland Through a Local English Speaking Club (Anastasiia Korol)	Simulation games as a tool in intercultural education (Marko Siitonen)	Navigating cross-border life: lived experiences of war migrant families from Ukraine, transnational issues, actor networks, and gaps in support services (Gorana Panic, Kateryna Mikhailova)	Studying asylum seekers' conversion to Christianity from theological perspective. Theoretical and methodological choices (Ilona Blumgrund)	Freedom and Unfreedom in Au Pairing: Probing Unfree Labour from the Perspective of Social Reproduction (Elisabeth Wide)
	A Waiting Room – The Daily Life of Asylum Seekers in Finland (Anna Kuokkanen)		Anti-racist and decolonial intercultural communication (Mélodine Sommer)	Muuttoliikkeen häiriötilasta kohti uusia kehityspolkuja – Ukrainalaisten vastaanotto ja resilienssi Etelä-Pohjanmaa (Toni Ahvenainen, Markku Mattila, Olena		From labour migrants to refugees and back: Social Reproduction and Precarious Migrant Labour among Ukrainian refugees (Daria Krivonos)

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	Reimagining Sweden- Finnish labor migrants as national minority – Exploring the dynamics of time and temporality in re/bordering tactics (Tuire Liimatainen, Nina Carlsson)	Which Finnish to teach which migrant learners? Finnish as a second language vs foreign language (Mandira Halder)		A film and discussion session "Finland. Our days. Our dreams" – Experiences of migrations and (im)mobilities of young adult war refugees from Ukraine (Katarzyna Kärkkäinen, Sari Pöyhönen, Harith	Religion-based asylum claim proceedings in the Baltic States (Teele Jänes)	Neglect, care, and solidarity amongst Belarusian political refugees in Lithuania (Roman Urbanowicz)

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				Raad Salih, Artem Danilov, Anastasiia Khokhlova, Sofia Neehypareenko, Andrii Shagaev, Mikhail Zaykooskiy, Viktoriia Zharenko)		
	Legal Security as a Central Functioning to the Well-being of Forced Migrants: Empirical Evidence from Finland (Areen Nassar)	Career mentoring as a gateway to working life in Finland? (Päivi Ilikkanen)			Empirical approach to conversion as a process: Preliminary findings of a follow-up study revisiting the experiences of Iraqi refugees in Finland who have converted from Islam to Christianity (Iiris Nikanne)	Navigating through subtle everyday tactics and more visible strategies: Russian-speaking LGBTIQ+ activists engaging with translocal solidarity practices in Estonia (Pauliina Lukinmaa)
	Temporalities of research methodologies in the precarious academy: doing and living research with forced migrants (Iida Kauhanen, Joa Hiitola, Fairuz Muthana)				Panel discussion	Policy failures, reciprocal solidarities, and sexual health education among refugees and racialized groups in Turkey (Cansu Civelek; Ali Ögünçer) ONLINE
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14.15– 15.15	Keynote: Patricia Daley: Decolonizing Asylum: Coloniality and Refugee (Un)belonging in East Africa Room: C1
15.15– 15.30	Next ETMU conference Closing Taina Saarinen, co-conference chair Room: C1