

The Personal is Political Revisited: Investigating Notions of Place and Space

an interdisciplinary symposium hosted by the

School of Arts
University of Northampton
MY120

Saturday the 6th October, 2012

8.30 - 9.00 Registration and Coffee

9.00 - 9.15 Opening Address

9.15 - 10.15 **Plenary Address**

Jenny Bavidge (University of Cambridge)
Budge Up: the Politics of Space in Children's Literature
Chair: Janet Wilson

10.15 - 10.30 Coffee

10.30 - 11.45 **Panel I: Representational Spaces**
Chair: Anna Maria Everding

Briena Stoica (Lucian Blaga University, Romania)
Romanian Women Writers between 1965 and 1989: Narrative Techniques and Prose Style

Janna Houwen (Leiden University Institute for Cultural Studies, The Netherlands)
A Medium of One's Own: Video as Politicized Social Space

11.50 - 1.05 **Panel II: Revisiting, Remembering, Forgetting**
Chair: Claire Allen

Alina Predescu (University of San Francisco, USA)
Naked: The Taming of City Space

Sarah Knor (Free University of Berlin, Germany)
'Who Has Suckled Thee' – the Maternalisation of Space in Colonial India

1.05 – 2.00 Lunch

2.00 – 3.15 **Panel III: The Private as Public**
Chair: Sarah Knor

Monika Jovanović (University of Arts in Belgrade, Serbia)

The Reappearance and Mass Use of Bidet in Middle-Class Family Housing in Yugoslavia in the '80

Henrietta Zeffert (London School of Economics, UK and Melbourne Law School, Australia)

Human Rights and the Spaces in Between

3.15 -3.30 Coffee

3.30 – 4.30 **Round Table Discussion**

Anna C. Sloan (University of Warwick)

Virgins in Italy:

Tourism, Imperialism, and the American Woman in 1950s Hollywood Melodrama

Chair: Lisa Robertson

4.45 – 5.00 Closing Address

6.00 – 8.00 Informal Conference Dinner at *Les Olives*

