

Red Sea Lecture Series

Poverty, Violence and Migration in the Red Sea Region

This lecture series showcases new research into the historical causes and contemporary dynamics of structural poverty, political violence and large-scale migration in the Red Sea Region. Recognizing the continuing importance of longstanding intra-regional connections, lectures will shed light on the ways that the coping strategies currently pursued at individual, household, community, and state levels are shaped by the legacies of past practices.

This speaker series is organized by Dr. Steven Serels in coordination with RedSeaNet.

13 October 2021, 5.30 – 6.30 pm
The Political Marketplace and Mass Displacement: Somalia in the Red Sea Arena
Dr. Nisar Majid (London School of Economics)

20 October 2021, 5.30 – 6.30 pm
Stigmatization, Stereotyping and the Struggle to Belong: Yemenis of African Descent in Yemen
Dr. Marina de Regt (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)

27 October 2021, 5.30 – 6.30 pm
The Maritime Edge: Marine Harvests, Subsistence and Mobility in the Premodern Red Sea
Dr. Roxani Margariti (Emory University)

3 November 2021, 5.30 – 6.30 pm
Domestic and Transnational Factors in Sudan's 2018 Popular Uprising and the Challenge of Transition from Autocracy to Democracy
Dr. Khalid Mustafa Medani (McGill University)

10 November 2021, 5.30 – 6.30 pm
The Myth and Reality of Poverty-Criminality Nexus: Discourse on Maritime Violence along the Somali Coast
Dr. Awet Weldemichael (Queens University)

17 November 2021, 5.30 – 6.30 pm
International, Local Norms and Ethiopian Migration to the Gulf Countries: Some Critical Reflections
Dr. Asnake Kefale (Addis Ababa University)

All events will be held online,
please register in advance:

<https://tinyurl.com/5xswd368>

