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Global Intersections:

Communication and Resilience Across Borders

**International Conference hosted by Trinity Centres for
Global Intercultural Communications, Forced Migration Studies, and
Resistance Studies**

School of Languages, Literatures and Cultural Studies
Trinity College Dublin, the University of Dublin
Trinity Long Room Hub, Neill Lecture Theatre

20-21 May 2025



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Day One: 20 May 2025

Venue: [Trinity Long Room Hub](#), Trinity College Dublin, Dublin 2, Ireland



	Activity
15:30 - 15:55	Registration and Refreshments
15:55 - 16:00	Welcome and housekeeping
16:00 - 16:10	Opening - Prof. Omar García , Head of School, School of Languages, Literatures and Cultural Studies; Director, Centre for Global Intercultural Communications
16:10 -16:40	Mandy Lee (Trinity College Dublin) <i>Transforming Authoritarian Trauma into Resistance: the Use of Satire and Sarcasm by the Hongkonger Community in Response to Ongoing Regime Repression since 2019</i> 10-minute Q/A



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16:40 - 17:10	<p>Michaela Nudo (Trinity College Dublin)</p> <p><i>The Othered: Gypsy, Roma, and Travellers (GRT) in Ireland & Participatory Health Policy and Training</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
17:10 - 17:40	<p>Verónica Alarcón-García [remote] (Valencian International University)</p> <p><i>From Distress to Response: Multilingual and Multicultural Mediation in Emergency Communications</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
17:40 - 18:10	<p>Sylwia Gierszal (University of Silesia in Katowice)</p> <p><i>Bridging Divides: Community Interpreting at the Intersection of Borders, Migration, and Communication in Interpreter Training</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
18:10 - 18:30	<p>Networking</p>



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Day Two: 21 May 2025

Venue: [Trinity Long Room Hub \(TLRH\)](#), Trinity College Dublin, Dublin 2, Ireland

Time	Activity
9:00 - 9:15	Registration and Refreshments
9:15 - 9:20	Welcome back and housekeeping
9:20 - 9:50	Lukian Pudliak (Trinity College Dublin) <i>Cath na Saoirse: Ireland's UN Battle Against Europe's Colonial Reflexes in Gaza</i> 10-minute Q/A
9:50 - 10:20	Oleksandr Rohovskyi (Kharkiv National Pedagogical University) <i>Democracy versus Violence: Communication Strategies for Peace</i> 10-minute Q/A
10:20 - 10:50	Jagoda Granić (University of Split) <i>Boundary vs. Border: (Re)constructing Cultural and Linguistic Identities</i> 10-minute Q/A



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10:50 - 11:00	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:00	<p>Keynote: Chris O’Connell, Trócaire, Policy and Advocacy Advisor in Human Rights and Civil Society Space <i>A struggle for rights and freedoms: The importance of civil society space</i></p> <p>Chair: María Medina, Centre for Global Intercultural Communications</p> <p>Q/A</p>
12:00 - 12:30	<p>Dingshun Dai, Jyoti Kandpal, Diana Lazos Marina, and Ginevra Peronaglio (Trinity College Dublin) <i>Digitalisation, AI, and Genetically Engineered Crops in Agriculture and its Implications for Biodiversity and Climate Resilience: A Comparative Study of Rwanda and Malawi</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
12:30 - 13:00	<p>Joy Uwanziga (University College Cork) <i>Migration Effects on Social and Cultural Development in the Great Lakes Region, Case Study of Rwanda and Uganda</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
13:00 - 14:00	Catered Lunch
14:00 - 14:30	<p>Jingru Zong (Trinity College Dublin) <i>Singing Along with Algorithm: Visualising the Digital Dilemmas of Subcultural Transcultural Communication on TikTok’s Global Stage</i></p>



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	10-minute Q/A
14:30 – 15:00	<p>Tania Bosqui (American University of Beirut; Trinity College Dublin) <i>Building the Capacity of the Child Mental Health Workforce in Humanitarian Settings in the Middle East and North Africa: A Process Evaluation</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
15:00 – 15:30	<p>Qusai Khraisha (Trinity College Dublin) <i>A Systematic Review on Parenting and Mental Health in Protracted Refugee Situations</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
15:30 – 16:00	<p>Yusuf Ahmad Gwarzo (Yusuf Maitama Sule University, Kano) <i>A Study of Metonymical Conceptualization of the Body Part Term Hannu ('Hand') in Hausa Online Newspapers and Dictionaries</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
16:00 – 16:15	Break
16:15 - 16:45	<p>Jain Kadambari & Gunjan Sharma [remote] (Manipal University Jaipur) <i>Empowering Learners Through Vernacular YouTube Education in India</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>



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16:45 - 17:15	<p>Meryem Akcayoglu [remote] (Mardin Artuklu University)</p> <p><i>Voices in AI Codes: The Silent Shift of Power, Emotional Identity, and Authority in Communication</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
17:15 – 17:45	<p>Marie-Bernadette Rollins [remote] (Trinity College Dublin)</p> <p><i>Your English or Mine? Resisting Neocolonialism in the Global Englishes</i></p> <p>10-minute Q/A</p>
17:45 – 18:00	<p>Conference wrap-up</p>