Centre of African Studies Seminars Lent Term 2016

African Cities

Mondays at 5pm in Room S1
Alison Richard Building, 7 West Road, Cambridge

18 January | Dr Deborah Potts, KCL
Labels and definitions: reflections on urban dynamics in sub-Saharan Africa

25 January | Dr Alice Evans, University of Cambridge
Urban change and rural continuity in gender ideologies and practices

1 February | Dr Miles Larmer, University of Oxford
Comparing the Central African Copperbelts: social history and knowledge production in the Zambian copperbelt and Haut Katanga

15 February | Professor Johan Lagae, Ghent University
“If there were no black people wandering about, you’d might think you were finding yourself in a European port.” Urban Space, race and society in the colonial port city of Matadi, DR Congo

22 February | Dr Marco di Nunzio, Université Libre de Bruxelles
An inverted social contract. Development, political authoritarianism and the production of marginality in inner city Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

29 February | Dr Claire Mercer, LSE
Suburbs of distinction: middle class boundary work in Dar Es Salaam

7 March | Dr Abdul Raufu Mustafa, University of Oxford
Building Abuja to Rebuild Nigeria