

## **Potsdam Workshop: Settler Colonialism and the Diverse Classroom**

Dear Potsdam Colleagues,

**Please join me for a lively discussion on “Settler Colonialism and the Diverse Classroom”.**

30<sup>th</sup> March 11:00 am- 01:00 pm (CET)

30<sup>th</sup> March 8pm-10pm (AEST)

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This seminar brings together the ways in which postcolonial politics, Indigenous sovereignty and global modernities have transformed how we imagine and organise our diverse classrooms and teaching across cultures and contexts. This discussion will include questions about whiteness and ‘European’, ideas of appropriate assessment in a de-colonising curriculum and experiences of transcultural understandings of Indigenous sovereignty. Specific issues that will be addressed include: ‘Welcome to Country’, Australian/Canadian differences and challenges to white discomfort.

Four participants will be giving short papers to be followed by a roundtable discussion.

The three international invited participants are:

### **Fiona Nicoll (University of Alberta)**

Professor Nicoll is a founding member of the Australian Critical Race and Whiteness Studies Association and a Professor at the University of Alberta, Canada.

### **Nicole Watson (University of New South Wales)**

Associate Professor Watson is the Director of Nura Gili Academic Programs. She is a Murri academic from south-east Queensland, whose family hail from the Munanjali and Birri Gubba peoples.

### **Lisa Slater (University of Wollongong)**

Associate Professor Slater is the Associate Dean, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion at the University of Wollongong.

### **plus Katrina Schlunke (University of Potsdam)**

Katrina is the Visiting Potsdam Postcolonial Chair for Global Modernities at the University of Potsdam.

### **Registration**

Please register for this event by sending a brief message to: [anja.schwarz@uni-potsdam.de](mailto:anja.schwarz@uni-potsdam.de)