

Comparative Penology and Nordic Exceptionalism Conference Institute of Criminology, University of Cambridge

Thursday, February 1st

10.45-11.15	Arrival, registration, tea and coffee
11.15-11:45	Welcome and outline of COMPEN project Ben Crewe
11:45-13.00	 Carceral Rituals: From Entry to Post-release in England & Wales and Norway Julie Laursen, Kristian Mjåland and Anna Schliehe Discussant: Peter Scharff Smith
13.00-13:45	Lunch
13:45-15:15	 Panel session 1 Vanessa Barker 'Penal Nationalism: Its Forms and Functions' Thomas Ugelvik 'Apples, oranges, and all kinds of prisons: On variation as the foundation for comparison'
15.15-15.30	Tea and coffee
15.30-16:30	 Panel session 2 Hans Jørgen Engbo 'Normalisation in Nordic prisons' Ruth Mann, Russ Trent and Jason Devenport 'Applying the Nordic Principle of Normality at HMP Berwyn' Discussant: Peter Dawson
16:30-18.30	 Panel session 3 Francis Pakes 'Penal exceptionalism in Iceland: shallow prisons?' Charlotte Mathiassen 'Women in Danish prisons: Contradictory perspectives but a new organisation' Lori Sexton 'Exceptional Punishment? Pre- and Post-Sentencing Experiences in Denmark' John Pratt 'The Nordic Exceptionalism Thesis Revisited'
19:00	Drinks and dinner at Peterhouse College

Friday, February 2nd

9.30-10.45	Risk and relational normalization
	• Julie Laursen, Kristian Mjåland and Anna Schliehe
	Discussant: Thomas Ugelvik
10.45-11.00	Tea and coffee
11.00-12.30	 Panel session 4 <i>Catherine Appleton</i> 'Life Imprisonment Worldwide' <i>Dominique Moran</i> 'The therapeutic prison - lessons from the UK and the Nordic region' <i>Anna Eriksson</i> 'People make the prison: Designing prisons for human interaction'
12.30-13.15	Lunch
13.15-14.30	 Power, shame and social relations in sex offender imprisonment in England & Wales and Norway Alice levins Discussant: Rose Ricciardelli
14.30-14.45	Tea and coffee
14.45-15:45	 Roundtable: Nordic exceptionalism through a socio-legal lens Ingrid Rindal Lundeberg Berit Johnsen Linda Grøning
15:45-16.45	 Comparing and conceptualising penal power and its consequences Ben Crewe Discussant: Nicola Lacey
End of conference	
17:00-18.00	Advisory group meeting