

**International Workshop on  
Globalization, Education and Social Futures**

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**Postgraduate Student Sharing Session**

Co-organized by

Centre for Asia Pacific Studies, Lingnan University, Hong Kong

Centre for Globalisation, Education and Social Futures, University of Bristol, UK

Date: 26 January 2016

Time: 1:00 to 5:30pm

Venue: 2/F Mini-Theatre, Fong Sum Wood Library, Lingnan University

***Objectives of the Workshop:***

With particular reference to the changing expectations of education and the growing concerns of mismatch of skills being found in the labour market, the International Workshop critically examines how the growing influence of globalization has affected educational development and governance, as well as reflecting upon social futures in Europe and East Asia. Specific attention is given to examine skill formation, changing labour needs and how educational institutions have responded to prepare students and graduates to become more adaptive and competitive in the intensified global market place. A special session will be organized for postgraduate students to share their research with special focus on reflections on research methodology with leading speakers at the workshop.

**Speakers:**

- Professor Susan Robertson, Director of Centre for Globalisation, Education and Social Futures, University of Bristol, UK
- Professor Roger Dale, Professor, Centre for Globalisation, Education and Social Futures, University of Bristol, UK

- Professor Ka Ho Mok, Centre for Asia Pacific Studies and Department of Sociology and Social Policy, Lingnan University
- Professor Xiandong Wei, Department of Economics, Lingnan University
- Dr Esra Ho, Department of Sociology and Social Policy, Lingnan University
- Dr Alex Wong, Department of Economics, Lingnan University
- Dr Jin Jiang, Department of Sociology and Social Policy, Lingnan University
- Dr Alfred Wu, Department of Asian and Policy Studies, Hong Kong Institute of Education
- Dr Vincent Wen, Centre for Greater China Studies, Hong Kong Institute of Education

***Postgraduate Sharing Session***

Postgraduate students are invited to join the sharing session to present their research and discuss research methodology with speakers presenting at the international workshop.