

HORIZONS

in human geography

2008/09 program GEOGRAPHIES OF CRISIS

An international series of virtual seminars looking at recent debates and developments in human geography.

Convenor:
Robert Vanderbeck (Leeds)

September 30

Kristopher Olds (Wisconsin-Madison) and Wendy Larner (Bristol)

The End of the World as We Know It? (Wendy Larner)

Deterritorializing academic freedom: universities in 'dangerous times'? (Kristopher Olds)

October 7

Robert Vanderbeck (Leeds)

Crisis in the worldwide Anglican Communion? Sexuality, Christianity, and global networks

October 14

Robert Kaiser (Wisconsin-Madison)

Eventful geographies: the case of Estonia's 'Bronze Night'

October 21

Amy Siciliano (Toronto / Visiting Scholar at Wisconsin-Madison)

Gun violence and the crisis of masculinity

November 4

Mark Jackson (Bristol)

The Necessity of Crisis?: The Case of Cuba's Organoponicos and our Urban Present

Local time:

November 11

Malcolm Fairbrother (Bristol)

The ambiguous crisis of global economic inequality: contradictory national and inter-national trends

Venue:

November 18

Samer Alatout (Wisconsin-Madison)

Crisis discourse and the neoliberal relations of power and resistance: water, rights, and markets

November 25

Greg Downey (Wisconsin-Madison)

Geographical crisis in cyberspace? A brief history of the "digital divide"

Local Contact:

December 2

Louise Waite (Leeds)

Migrants in crisis? Precarity and migrant labourers in the UK

December 9

Rebecca Lawrence (Stockholm / Visiting Scholar at Bristol)

Saami communities, climate change, cultural extinction