Trapped in Paradise:

Entangled Lives and Uncertain Futures in Tourist Towns

This workshop looks at small places whose position in a globalized world is predominantly mediated through tourism and migration. We are interested in places that have become desirable destinations for short- or long-term stays, leading to all types of uneven mobilities and appearing ever more like enclaves – on the one hand isolated and on the other connected to global networks. In short, we are interested in what it means to live and work in a place where others spend their holidays.

Wednesday, 11 March 2020, 18.00 FRANCES PINE, Goldsmiths, University of London

Keynote Lecture 1

Selling the Tourists a Pastoral Dream: the Entanglement of Lives and Livelihoods in the Polish Highlands During Socialism and Since

Thursday, 12 March 2020, 16.30 VALERIO SIMONI, Graduate Institute, Geneva Keynote Lecture 2

Enacting the Good Life and Getting Stuck: Articulations of Value in Touristic Viñales, Cuba

Thursday, 12 March 2020, 10.00 – 16.00 Friday, 13 March 2020, 9.30 – 11.30 INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP

Registration requested at danae.leitenberg@anthro.unibe.ch

VENUE: Room 033, Main Building, Universität Bern, Hochschulstrasse 4, 3012 Bern

CONVENERS: Janine Dahinden (NCCR on the move/University of Neuchâtel), Annika Lems (Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Halle), Valerio Simoni (Graduate Institute, Geneva), Sabine Strasser (Institute of Social Anthropology, Bern)

INFORMATION: www.anthro.unibe.ch











