### Themes for the day

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<td><strong>Time, temporality &amp; space</strong></td>
<td><strong>History, activism &amp; policy</strong></td>
<td><strong>Digital History &amp; new technologies</strong></td>
<td><strong>What’s the future of History?</strong></td>
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<td>Decolonisation, comparative histories, postcolonial perspectives, microhistory, transnational history.</td>
<td>Histories of environment, multiple modernities, migration, historical distance.</td>
<td>Histories of race and of identity, public history, history &amp; the present, history, truth &amp; fake-news.</td>
<td>Digital literacy for historians, digital preservation, big data and histories at scale, network analysis, digital skills.</td>
<td>Emerging new research areas in 2020s and 2030s, possible future directions for teaching and communicating History?</td>
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### MORNING

**9.45-10.00**  
Welcome and Introduction to ‘History Now’  
**Professor Jo Fox, Director of the IHR**

**10.00-11.15**  
Lecture  
**Professor Catherine Hall, (University College London)**  
Introducing key themes in the relationship between ‘History & place’, and questions of geographical scale.  
How should we think about place, and connecting the local, national and global?

Panel debate  
**Dr Sundeep Lidher (King’s College London), Rachel Crossley (Director, East End Women’s Museum) and Professor Jo Fox (IHR)**  
Introducing key themes in historians’ perceptions of ‘Time, temporality & space’.  
How do historians think about time and our relationship to the past?  
What role does History have in activism, identity politics and policy formation?

Lecture  
**Dr Adam Crymble (digital historian and creator of The Programming Historian website)**  
Introducing ‘Digital History’, and the opportunities and challenges technology poses for historians.  
What is digital history, & how should historians engage with new technologies?

**11.15-11.45**  
Break & refreshments  

**11.45-12.45**  
Research masterclass  
**Dr Lucy Delap (Cambridge University and History & Policy network)**  
Practitioners show how they use historical skills and knowledge for political purposes, and how historians can best engage with policy makers.

Research masterclass  
**Professor Jo Fox (IHR)**  
When thinking about the future, how should we frame the debate, and what are the big questions that need asking and answering?

**12.45-1.30**  
Lunch

### AFTERNOON

**1.30-3.30**  
Seminar and discussion  
**Professor Jo Fox, Director of the IHR**  
Introducing a vision of the ‘Future of History’ and historical research in the coming decades.  
What are the next big themes, ideas and methods, in historical research?  

Field trip & seminar: the British Museum  
**Zine’ workshop**
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<td>Professor Catherine Clarke (IHR) How do curators engage the public with the past? An opportunity to combine theories and practice with staff at a central London museum.</td>
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<td>4.00-5.00</td>
<td>Training workshop Skills training the history of London as a community, capital and metropole. Training workshop Skills training to create and use digital maps for the study of historical spaces. British Library exhibition tour: ‘Unfinished Business: the fight for women’s rights’ (opens April 2020) Training workshop Skills training to create 3D History with this workshop on 3D imaging and printing. Student presentations Your views of history’s futures, based on the zine workshop. Summer School close</td>
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<td>5.15-6.30</td>
<td>Drinks reception for all students &amp; IHR Summer School staff ‘History extra’: writing history With IHR academic staff An optional and informal session on how we write history, and what we can learn from published authors. ‘History extra’: publishing history Dr Philip Carter and Dr Julie Spraggon (IHR publishing team) An optional and informal session on publishing as a historian, with advice from academic publishers.</td>
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<td>6.00-8.15</td>
<td>IHR ‘Historical Research’ lecture, 2020 Professor Ludmilla Jordanova (Durham University) The annual ‘Historical Research’ lecture is one of the major events of the IHR year. A chance to hear a leading historian speak on a subject relating to ‘History Now’ (also open to the public). Sponsored by Oxford University Press, &amp; followed by a drinks reception</td>
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