

The Antislavery Early Research Association

Scholarship with Survivors Workshop

A Day of Conversation between Early Career Researchers and Survivors

University of Nottingham, UK Saturday 20 October 2018

The workshop

There is a lot of research done by universities and governments on slavery and the experiences of survivors. But, too often survivors are left out of this conversation or only included in small ways. With the Scholarship with Survivors Workshop, we hope to start changing this by opening discussions between survivors and early career researchers to create more inclusive research in the future.

Throughout the day, we will:

- Get to know one another in an informal environment where everyone is on equal footing;
- Have a panel session where survivors can speak on how they would like to see research on slavery progressing in the future, including the role of survivors in this work, followed by a Q&A session; and
- Spend the afternoon in smaller discussion groups where survivors and researchers can discuss important areas of research, goals and challenges, as well as the ways that survivors and researchers can work together in this field.

Call for participants

We would like to invite survivors of slavery and human trafficking to join us in Nottingham, to participate in the workshop and become part of a growing network of early career researchers working in the area.

- You are welcome to attend as a general participant or as a presenter on the survivor panel.
- As a participant, you will not be required to tell everyone that you are a survivor of slavery. You are welcome to, if you'd like. Please note, that sometimes, depending on what you say, it will become clear to others that you are a survivor. For example, if you say, "At the Town Hall Meeting" or "After I escaped..." If you have questions about how to participate without letting people know you are a survivor, please contact Minh: minh@survivoralliance.org
- Your travel expenses for the event will be paid for and you will be given a stipend for participating. Food and drinks will also be provided throughout the day.
- Accommodation can be provided on request.

If you wish to participate, please get in touch with Katarina Schwarz at antislaverypgrn@gmail.com before 17 September 2018.

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The Antislavery Early Research Association brings together postgraduate students and early career researchers studying slavery and antislavery from across a range of disciplines working around the globe. The network provides opportunities to debate current topics in the field, to create research and learning networks, and creates a supportive environment in which researchers can establish valuable contacts for the future.

For more information, or if you would like to join the Network, please contact Hannah Jeffery, Rebecca Nelson and Katarina Schwarz at antislaverypgrn@gmail.com or Minh Dang at minh@survivoralliance.org

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