

Call for Papers

Identity Formation

Modern Languages Postgraduate Conference

School of Languages, Linguistics and Cultures

4 April 2007

Themes:

- **The role of philosophy/ideology in the formation of identity.** How philosophical/ideological ideas about identity have influenced the understanding of identity in contemporary cultural studies
- **Diasporic and transcultural identities.** The concept of hybridity and the effects of migration on identities
- **Narrative identity.** Identity as a result of narration, which can be analysed by looking at the parts that constitute it - in particular plot, time and place

Guest Speakers:

Prof. Charles Forsdick (University of Liverpool)

Prof. Adrian Armstrong (University of Manchester)

Abstracts of 150 words are invited for presentations of 20 minutes. For information on abstract submission, registration and general enquiries, email langsconference@yahoo.com. This event will provide a friendly atmosphere for postgraduates to exchange ideas. Participants not wishing to present are welcome to attend.

Deadline for abstracts: 15 January 2007

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