

**International Conference**  
**“Disease Dispersion and Impact in the Indian Ocean World”**  
**Indian Ocean World Centre (IOWC), McGill University, Canada**  
**23-24 September 2016**  
**organised by the IOWC &**  
**Max Planck Fellow Group "Connectivity in Motion: Port Cities of the Indian Ocean"**  
**of the Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany**

**held at the**  
**Indian Ocean World Centre**  
**Peterson Hall, 3460 McTavish Street, Montréal**

**Thursday 22 Sep 2016**

<b>Time</b>		
16.30-17.00	Registration	
17.00-17.30	Gwyn Campbell & Burkhard Schnepel	Introduction
17.30-18.30	keynote	
18.30	reception	

**Friday 23 Sep 2016**

<b>Time</b>		
9.00-9.30	coffee	
9.30-10.15	Gwyn Campbell	Disease in the IOW Global Economy
10.15-11.00	Eric Strahorn	Rethinking the Early History of Leprosy in Light of Advances in Paleopathology
11.00-11.30	coffee	
11.30-12.15	Lori Jones	Connectivity in the Indian Ocean World and the Extent of Disease Spread in the Medieval Period
12.15-13.00	James Warren	Climate ,Weather and Pestilence in the Philippines since the 16 <sup>th</sup> Century
13.00-14.00	Lunch break	
14.00-14.45	tba	
14.45-15.30	Hannah Moots	Malaria in the Indian Ocean: an archaeo-historic case study from Mauritius.
15.30-16.00	coffee	
16.00-16.45	Anna Winterbottom	The Foreigner’s Disease: Syphilis in the Indian Ocean
16.45-17.30	Kit Heintzman	Parasitic Relations: The Intersections of Natural History and Medicine in <i>Les isles de france et bourbon, 1770-1810</i>
19.00	Conference dinner	

**Saturday 24 Sep 2016**

<b>Time</b>		
9.00-9.30	coffee	
9.30-10.15	Yoshina Hurgobin	Hookworm and Migrant Workers in the Indian Ocean World
10.15-11.00	Abna Cristina Roque	Crossing Oceans, Exchanging Knowledge: Fighting Endemic and Epidemic Diseases in Mozambique at the Turn of the 19 <sup>th</sup> century
11.00-11.30	coffee	
11.30-12.15	Isacar Bolanos	The Ottoman Response to the Third Plague Pandemic: Bombay, Basra, and the “Sanitary Protection of the Gulf,” 1896-1899
12.15-13.00	Manikarnika Dutta	Cholera, Plague, Disease and the Health of European Sailors in the ports of Calcutta and Bombay (1860-1900)
13.00-14.00	lunch	
14.00-14.45	Michael Sugarman	Plague and Public Housing: Slums, squatters and urban improvement schemes in Bombay, Rangoon and Singapore, 1896-1941
14.45-15.30	Eva-Maria Knoll	Maldivian Fever and its Aftermath
15.30-16.00	coffee	
16.00-16.45	Catherine Yuk-ping Lo	HIV/AIDS Securitization: Strengthening Health System Resilience in India
16.45-17.30	Kohei Wakimura	Situating the East Asian Quarantine Politics in the International Context: The Issue of “the Indian Ocean Standard