Mobility or precarity? Constructions and uses of international mobility among long-term precarious academics in Ireland



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00:49:12 Simon Marginson: It is time to advance your questions and discussion points for Aline. Join the Q&A by posting i the Chat!

00:50:51 Rosarii Griffin: Thanks. The research fascinating, but extremely depressing. Seems like we need an EU-wide policy against precarity, and forget the illusion of mobility being a good thing. It is a good thing for some, but probably not for the majority. It is an illusion, and one that the politicians seems to cling to.

00:53:12 Kalpana Shankar: Thank you for this fascinating and depressing talk. How has the Employment Control Framework in Ireland exacerbated the problem of precarity here?

00:53:19 Ahmad Akkad: Thank you Aline for a fascinating presentation. I am Ahmad, a postdoc in the education dept here at Oxford. I am wondering if there is any relationship between your participants' precarity and their pre-mobility decisions and life history, in addition to the perceived intersections of their social categories and structural constraints?

00:54:45 Kalpana Shankar: (I and other nonwhite immigrant colleagues in Irish higher ed have shared stories of being asked "How did YOU get that job? Irish people should have gotten those positions)

00:57:16 Glen Chatelier: What would be your projections for mobilityprecarious or otherwise at present given the current uncertainties in academic and economic conditions?

01:00:00 Andrea Lane: Love the study. As I am based in Kenya, I wonder how this would play out for African scholars going abroad to Europe Vs Asia, Vs America.

01:03:04 Alena Nefedova: Dear Aline, many thanks for this super-interesting research!

I would love to read more about it. At the moment, I have two questions:

1) do you think that women are more tend to be under precarious situation during mobility or it's just coincidence that women makes almost 3/4 of your sample?

2) what do you think about personal experience during mobility: some researchers claim that they gain some "good personal skills in living in different country" but in your research it is more about 'drain' than 'gain', 'trauma' instead of 'advantage". ...So how we could explain that, is it more about initial resources or personal traits or something else?

Again, thanks a lot, that was really interesting!

01:07:50 CGHE Webinars: Thank you for joining us today. A recording of this session will be posted on the CGHE site: https://www.researchcghe.org/events/cghe-seminar/mobility-or-precarity-constructions-and-uses-of-international-mobility-among-long-term-precarious-academics-in-ireland/

01:09:25 CGHE Webinars: Our next webinar, 'The (im)mobilities of internationally mobile scientists in global science regimes', will take place on Tuesday from 2pm (UK). You can register here: https://www.researchcghe.org/events/cghe-seminar/the-immobilities-of-internationally-mobile-scientists-in-global-science-regimes/

01:14:16 MUTIA Alnimrat: Thank you for presenting this research. I think it depends on the place you mobile to and the aim of mobilisation.

01:18:11 Kalpana Shankar: The Anti-Racism Principles recently published by the HEA will hopefully provide more grounding for data collection

01:18:41 Aline Courtois:Ebun Joseph's work as well

01:19:38 Rosarii Griffin: Wonderful seminar Aline. Thank you so much. I'm not sure there are any good examples elsewhere, but it would be very interesting to do a crossnational comparative. Thank you all very much for hosting.

01:19:44 Kalpana Shankar: Reacted to "Ebun Joseph's work a..." with 👍

01:19:50 Cláudia Sarrico: International data here: https://doi.org/10.1787/0f8bd468-en.

- 01:20:00 Rosarii Griffin: Reacted to "International data h..." with 👍
- 01:20:38 Andrea Lane: Thanks so much for your presentation!
- 01:20:41 Paula Tumulty: Thanks Aline, great presentation and research.
- 01:20:47 Rosarii Griffin: Reacted to "Thanks Aline, great ..." with 👍
- 01:20:50 Theresa O'Keefe: Reacted to "International data h..." with 👍
- 01:20:52 Alena Nefedova: thanks a lot to everyone!
- 01:20:59 Filmor Murillo: Thanks Aline and thanks Simon!