

TOWARDS NEURO-SOCIAL SCIENCE

Exploring novel methods for multidisciplinary collaboration

Workshop organised by the Neuroscience and Society Network

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Adamson 2+3, Ortus Center, IoPPN

82-96 Grove Ln, Camberwell, London SE5 8SN

3:00 – 3:10

Introduction: what is neuro-social science?

3:10 – 4:20

Experiences with multi-disciplinary collaborations

This panel will reflect on experiences with multi- and interdisciplinary collaborations, and how collaborations between the social sciences, humanities, neurosciences and psychiatry can continue to develop.

- *Nikolas Rose*, Professor of Sociology at the Department of Global Health and Social Medicine, KCL
- *Sir Robin Murray*, Professor of Psychiatric Research at the Institute of Psychiatry, KCL
- *Dr Daniel Glaser*, Director, Science Gallery London, KCL
- *Sir John Strang*, Head of the Addictions Department at the Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology & Neuroscience, KCL

4:20 – 4:30

Coffee Break

4:30 – 5:50

Activity: Unity/Multiplicity

'Neuroscience' is commonly represented as a unified whole with no internal tension. 'The brain' is also represented as a singular entity that can be abstracted from the body and world in which it exists. However, there are significant tensions in the neurosciences that limit collaborations and there are multiple understandings of what brains are and how they should be studied. In this session, we seek to explore how scientists perceive the tension between unity and multiplicity.

With the help of a facilitator, we will be addressing the following questions:

- What is the brain to you?
- Neuroscience or neurosciences?

5:50 – 6:00

Conclusion

6:00 – 7:00

Reception @ Ortus Mezannine

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