Plenary Speaker: Marcus Wood, (Professor of English, University of Sussex)

The Sixth Annual English Postgraduate Conference will be held this year at the University of Dundee on Wednesday June 4th. This interdisciplinary postgraduate conference invites proposals for papers under the heading ‘Alienation and Resistance: Representation in Text and Image’. What are the roles, forms and conditions of alienation and resistance in our culture and its diverse media? Suggested topics include (but are not limited to): Subalternity and Diaspora; Competitive Histories/Historical Imposition; Postmodern Idiosyncrasy; Agency and Identity; Urban Spaces/Rural Wastelands; (De)Constructing Gender; the Sublime; Enlightenment Rationalisation; Victorian Scepticism; Romantic Angst; Genre, Form and Technique; In/humanity; Selves and Others; Mutation and Monstrosity; Positive Alienations; Satire and Humour; Resisting Alienation; Globalisation and Locality; Neo/imperialism and Terror.

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