

Call for Papers

ESRC supported workshop entitled 'Free Trade Agreements in a Changing Landscape of Global Governance'

**30 June and 1 July 2015
London**

**Venue: London School of Economics
Rosebery Hall, 90 Rosebery Avenue
London EC1R 4TY**

Following an ESRC grant award entitled 'Transformations in Global Governance: Integration via Free Trade Agreements', a series of workshops are being organised that focus on:

- Regulatory, economic and social aspects of regional integration through free trade agreement (FTAs)
- Effects of FTAs with and in partner countries
- The current state of play in FTA activity in the EU, USA and Asia

The second workshop will be held in London on 30 June and 1 July 2015. The event will primarily focus on EU FTAs and cover issues such as:

- The rationale for EU's rationale for negotiating FTAs with Asia and USA.
- Social, economic, political, geo-political and political economy aspects of EU FTAs.
- Are trading agreements an integral part of 'Global Europe' strategy and EU foreign policy?

We particularly welcome paper proposals addressing these questions from diverse disciplinary approaches (Economics, Politics and Law) and methodological positions.

PhD students are strongly encouraged to apply. The workshop will be attended by prominent and senior academics working in the area of EU trade policies. PhD students participating at the workshop will have an opportunity to get first hand feedback on their work.

Please note that **registration to the workshop is free.**

Please submit your abstract/proposal for 20-minute presentation to projectgifta@gmail.com

The deadline for submission of proposal/abstract is 6 May 2015. Information on acceptance will be provided to participants by 10 May 2015.