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Displacement: Thoughts on the Writing of Migration History

Monday 24th August (12-1pm)

The paper will deal with displacement as a key process in history (not only migration history), using as a case study the displacement and resettlement in Australia of Russians (former Soviet citizens, as well as former emigres in Europe) after the Second World War, which is the subject of my forthcoming book WHITE RUSSIANS, RED PERIL: A COLD WAR HISTORY OF MIGRATION