

NARRATIVES AND IMAGINARIES

Concepts of narratives and imaginaries are increasingly drawn on by scholars across the social sciences and humanities, including at the SVT, which inspired us organize some interesting speakers and discussion for a general audience. Particularly it will look at how narratives are told through film and visual media, before looking at related concepts of imaginaries.

The symposium will start at 16.30 on Wednesday the 2nd at the SVT, where we will show and discuss Mieke Bal's film 'Madame B'. On Thursday the 3rd we will host a full day of talks and discussions at Litteraturhuset, with the morning session devoted to narratives and the afternoon to imaginaries.

We have invited the following speakers to explore the two concepts:

Mieke Bal University of Amsterdam, Asbjørn Grønstad University of Bergen, Rasmus Slaattelid SVT, Tomas Moe Skjølsvold, NTNU, Ingrid Foss Ballo University of Bergen, Kjetil Rommetveit SVT

The symposium is free and open for all interested, welcome.

<u>02. September 16.30 – 19.00 Mieke Bal's movie 'Madame B', Allègaten 34</u>

03. September 09.00 – 16.30 Symposium, Litteraturhuset Østre Skostredet 5-7

For more information and programme, please see www.uib.no/svt