**Doreen Massey Day Event 2019**

**The Open University, Hawley Crescent, Camden Lock 27th June 2019**

**Environmental engagement and the politics of creative practise.**

10.00 – **Registration / Coffee**

10.30 - **Introduction**

10.35 – 11.50 Session 1 **Theorising environment, democracy and creative practice**

What might arts-based and creative practices contribute to forms of public engagement and how do these practices fit conceptually into an expanded environmental politics?

Dr Julian Brigstocke

Dr Marit Hammond

Dr George Revill

11.50 – 13.05 Session 2 **Art practice, environment and Politics**

What are the most important political issues raised by the practice of arts based creative engagement? How do these politics enable and constrain possibilities for environmental politics?

Dr Andrew Hewitt

Malaika Cunningham

David Buckland (tbc)

Dr Stephen Pritchard

13.05 – 14.00 **Lunch**

14.00 – 15.15 Session 3 **Working with creative engagement**

How can arts-based and creative practices help engage publics around complex environmental issues? Where and how can creative engagement practices bet play a role in co-creating environmental knowledge?

Dr Bronislaw Szerszynski

Dr Emma Roe

Sounding Coastal Change team

15.30 – 16.45 **Discussion / Conclusions**

Discussants:

Professor Nigel Clark

Professor Tim Collins

16.45 – 17.45 **Wine Reception**