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Organizing for Peace Refugee Entrepreneurship and Beyond

In this seminar, Dr. Huriye Yeröz will elaborate on the emerging stream of Entrepreneurship for Peace Studies, which aims for a critical interrogation of entrepreneurship studies, including migrant and refugee entrepreneurship, for how it has tended to privilege certain forms of engagement around positive economic and societal perspectives by and for the benefit of Global North. It seeks to extend entrepreneurship research horizons by highlighting the changing patterns and climate of migration and entrepreneurship, focusing on prevailing conflict and violence that informs the emergence and practice of refugee entrepreneurship. In this seminar, Huriye, in particular, will provide some insights from her ongoing research on Syrian refugee entrepreneurship in Turkey on how different entrepreneurial actors-refugee entrepreneurship support organizations, civil society organizations, and refugees themselves organize their activities in the context of ongoing conflict concerning Syrian Refugee entrepreneurship in Turkey.



SPEAKER

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Huriye Yeröz is a Senior Lecturer in Entrepreneurship at Leicester Castle Business School, De Montfort University, United Kingdom, and a visiting scholar at Sabancı University, Turkey. Dr. Yeröz's research concerns the identity and capital development processes of migrant-refugee and women entrepreneurship around intersecting gender, ethnicity, and social class axes. She uses diverse perspectives in her research, such as feminist theory, practice theory, and institutional theory, and specializes in the narrative/life-story approach. Her work has been published in international journals. Her ongoing research is titled 'Integration of Refugees into Entrepreneurship: Empirical Analysis of New Venture Legitimation Processes in the Context of Syrian Refugee Entrepreneurship in Turkey,' which has received funding from the EU Horizon 2020 research and innovation program and the Turkish Scientific and Technology Council.

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