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seminar paper from the year 2006 in the subject english language and literature studies literature grade 2 00 university of göttingen seminar für englische philologie course multiethnic britain language english abstract 1 introduction 1 1 brief introduction to home and belonging as a general idea home has a significant function in our lives thinking of home we associate notions like shelter and comfort and when we come home we want to feel safe and welcome john mcleod argues in this sense that to be at home is to occupy a location where we are welcome where we can be with people very much like ourselves 1 we are looking for who we are where we come from and try to find our place in life when one is born in a country but moves to another where is one s home country then this question is hard to answer because migration is always a process which implies a struggle of identities when the 2nd generation is born in the host country where do they belong if the host country does not accept them as full members the term home is highly complicated in a complex and multicultural world like ours 1 2 procedure and approach of my analyses i have centered my term paper on an attempt to identify and characterize the concepts of home and belonging in postcolonial literature comparing how the idea of home and belonging is presented in the novels white teeth by zadie smith and small island by andrea levy i have tried a text extrinsic approach furthermore i have analysed the authors intentions with regard to the time of publication and the time of the narrative however the main aspect of my analyses is which concepts of home and belonging exist and which of them can be found in the novels of my comparison i have chosen white teeth because it is a novel that deals with the colonial past and the postcolonial present and i have selected small island because it is a novel that deals with migration in the past small island is set at the beginning of migration when many colonized people came to england andrea levy presents different views the white and black british point of view at the beginning of migration my motivation to compare both novels is to go back to the beginning of colonial migration and to show the difference between the concepts from the past to the present 1 john mcleod beginning postcolonialism manchester new york manchester university press 2000 p 210 2 zadie smith white teeth london penguin books 2001

### Postcolonial London 2004

explores the substance and significance of j g farrell s the empire trilogy 1970 1978 one of the major achievements of post war fiction this study assesses its critique of british colonial rule it shows how his novels attempt to satirize the perspectives of those who served the empire and were caught up in its decline

Concepts of Home and Belonging in Postcolonial Literature compared in the novels "Small Island" by Andrea Levy and "White Teeth" by Zadie Smith 2009-11-20

the routledge companion to postcolonial studies offers a unique and up to date mapping of the postcolonial world and is composed of essays as well as shorter entries for ease of reference introducing students to the history of the great european empires and the cultural legacies created in their wake this book brings together an international range of contributors on such topics as the colonial histories of britain france spain and portugal the diverse postcolonial and diasporic cultural endeavours from africa the americas australasia europe and south and east asia the major theoretical formulations poststructuralist materialist culturalist psychological with a comprehensive a to z of forty key writers and thinkers central to contemporary postcolonial studies and featuring historical maps this is both a concise introduction and an essential resource for any student of postcolonial culture whatever their field

### J.G. Farrell 2007

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this book locates spatial dimensions possible for a global identity while incorporating the presence of collaborative and contentious religious psycho social and physical borders it highlights the significance of space in the construction of racial gender religious cultural idiosyncrasies where private and public space projects the power mechanisms which allocate borders the literary narratives discussed in this collection project a trajectory of voices of the east and west male and female crossing boundaries between identity race gender and class the book proffers that spatial borders are social constructs to propagate the power mechanisms of hierarchical structures defying imbrications explored here which may be used to reflect diversity as a model for global space these explorations are journeys back and forth in time and space towards hierarchies formed through the imposition of borders defining race gender and power which may be considered post in the postmodern postcolonial post 9 11 post secular and postfeminist senses

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adoptions that cross the lines of culture race and nation are a major consequence of conflicts around the globe yet their histories and representations have rarely been considered life lines writing transcultural adoption is the first critical study to explore narratives of transcultural adoption from contemporary britain ireland and america fictions films and memoirs made by those within the adoption triad or those concerned with the pain and possibilities of transcultural adoption while acknowledging the sobering inequalities which engender transcultural adoptions and the lasting upset of sundered relations at the same time john mcleod considers the transfigurative and creative propensity of imagining transcultural adoption as radically calling into question ideas of biogenetic attachment racial genealogy cultural identity and normative family making how might the predicament of being adopted transculturally enable the transformative agency of adoptive being for all exploring works by andrea levy barbara kingsolver toni morrison sebastian barry caryl phillips jackie kay and several others life lines makes a groundbreaking intervention in such fields as transcultural studies postcolonial thought and adoption theory and practice

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## A Cartographic Journey of Race, Gender and Power 2021-05-14

colonialism and imperialism continue to impact the personal and social identities of north american preachers and listeners in decolonizing preaching sarah travis argues that sermons have a role in shaping the identity and ethics of listeners by helping them formulate responses to empire and colonization travis employs postcolonial theories to provide important insights for the practice of preaching today she also turns to the social doctrine of the trinity to offer a vision of the divine human community that effectively deconstructs colonizing discourse this book offers preachers and other practical theologians a gentle introduction to colonial history postcolonial theories and social trinitarian theology while equipping them with tools to decolonize preaching and strategies for preventing resisting and responding to colonizing discourse travis effectively casts a vision of a perichoretic space in which preacher and listener encounter the living god in trinity and are transformed reconciled and sent out to others in the church and beyond

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## Life Lines: Writing Transcultural Adoption 2015-10-22

postcolonial studies have made significant inroads into biblical studies giving rise to numerous conference papers articles essays and books this book offers an introduction to postcolonial biblical criticism and probes it from a number of different but interrelated angles to bring it into focus so that its promise can be better appreciated

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### Decolonizing Preaching 2014-11-13

bringing together contributions from various disciplines and academic fields this collection engages in interdisciplinary dialogue on postcolonial issues covering african anglophone romance and new world themes linguistic literary and cultural studies and historiography music art history and textile studies the volume raises questions of inter disciplinarity methodology and entangled histories the essays focus on the representation of slavery in the transatlantic world the usa jamaica haiti and the wider caribbean west africa and the uk drawing on a range of historical sources material objects and representations they study jamaican creole african masks knitted objects patchwork sculpture newspapers films popular music and literature of different genres from the caribbean west and south africa india and britain at the same time they reflect on theoretical problems such as intertextuality intermediality and cultural exchange and explore intersections postcolonial literature and transatlantic history postcolonial and african american studies postcolonial literary and cultural studies the final section keys in with the overall aim of challenging established disciplinary modes of knowledge production exploring schools and universities as locations of postcolonial studies teachers investigate the possibilities and limits of their respective institutions and probe new ways of engaging with postcolonial concerns with its integrative interdisciplinary focus this collection addresses readers interested in understanding how colonization and globalization have influenced societies and cultures around the world contributors anja bandau sabine broeck sarah fekadu matthias galler janou glencross jana gohrisch ellen grünkemeier jessica hemmings jan hüsgen johannes salim ismaiel wendt ursula kluwick henning marquardt dennis mischke timo müller mala pandurang carl plasa elinor jane pohl brigitte reinwald steffen

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richard lane explores the themes surrounding the postcolonial novel written in english

#### Postcolonial Biblical Criticism 2007-02-14

this book examines the perceptions of european travelling writers about southern western australia between 1850 and 1914 theirs was a narrow vision of space and people in the region shaped by their individual personalities their position in society and the prevailing discourses and ideologies of the age christian enlightenment and romantic philosophies had a major influence on their responses to the land its cultivation and conservation and its aesthetic qualities and on their views of both indigenous and settler colonial society their class and assumptions of race and ethnicity the travelling men and women perpetuated an idealised view of a colonised landscape and a pioneer community that eliminated class struggle and inequality even though an analysis of their observations suggests otherwise nevertheless although limited their narratives are invaluable as a reflection of opinions attitudes and knowledge prevalent during an age of imperialism their perspectives reveal unique viewpoints that differ from those of immigrants who wrote about their hopes and fears in making a new life for themselves these travellers were economically secure literate and educated foundations which provide an insight into the way power and privilege implicit in their writings governed the way they imagined western australia in the colonial and immediate post federation period the tinted lenses through which european travelling writers narrowly observed space and people presented a mythical imagined sense of southern western australia

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this collection is unique in bringing together key thinkers on language and literature to discuss the future of english in asia many of the contributors are themselves responsible for important sub genres in english linguistics and literary studies and this collection gives them the opportunity to respond to each other directly the different chapters also respond to different contemporary debates and emerging trends and discourses that are hugely important for the future of english language teaching in schools across asia this volume is also ground breaking in bringing english literary studies and applied english linguistics together in the contemporary asian context the future of english in asia includes studies on the following subject areas cultural translation in world englishes multilingual education english futures and the function of literature english literary studies in japan and english and social media in asia well into this century it appears that it is still very difficult to know what to expect when it comes to the future of english the future of english will continue to be determined by complex local contexts as it has in other parts of the world the future of english in asia will continue to rely on the proliferation of its transformations as much as its hegemonic status this volume reflects the widespread acknowledgement that whatever future english has will inevitably be shaped by its fate in asia the collection will be a welcome resource for scholars and students of english linguistics english literary studies and topics related to the teaching of english in asia

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### The Postcolonial Novel 2006-07-21

introduces postcolonial literary studies through close readings of a wide range of fiction and poetrythis guide places the literary works themselves at the centre of its discussions examining how writers from africa australasia the caribbean canada ireland and south asia have engaged with the challenges that beset postcolonial societies dave gunning discusses many of the most studied works of postcolonial literature from chinua achebes things fall apart to salman rushdies the satanic verses as well as works by more recent writers like chris abani tahmima anam and shani mootoo each chapter explores a key theme through drawing together works from various times and places the book concludes with an extensive guide to further reading and tips on how to write about postcolonial literature successfully key featuresclose analysis of texts including sam selvons the lonely londoners j m coetzees disgrace roddy doyles a star called henry shani mootoos cereus blooms at night tsitsi dangarembgas nervous conditions zadie smiths white teeth mohsin hamids the reluctant fundamentalist tahmima anams a golden age michael ondaatjes anils ghost and amitav ghoshs in an antique land as well as poetry by derek walcott eavan boland agha shahid ali chris abani and others discusses important new themes in postcolonial literature including global islam postcolonial sexualities and the representation of military conflict includes a chronology a guide to further reading and tips on writing about postcolonial literature

## Myths and Memories 2015-02-27

english summary close relationships that go beyond family ties and kinships have become an interdisciplinary research subject that has received a lot of attention variations of social ties such as friendship patronage and social networks ensue from different historical and cultural contexts and hence constitute a significant yet under represented subject of interdisciplinary research questions such as the changing semantics of friendship historical intercultural and political practices of friendship patronage and loyalty were the focus of an international conference for a critical discussion and re assessment of values and norms that constitute such relationships in different cultures and epochs as well as the social circumstances that determine them aspects of interest included the constitution and representation of the body and gender and the growth of trust and deceit as well as the culturally and historically different practices and semantics of friendship and patronage and the way they are perceived according to social status and social and historical contexts the results of the conference are presented in this volume german description nahbeziehungen die uber familiare und verwandtschaftliche bindungen hinausgehen haben sich zu einem vielbeachteten thema interdisziplinarer forschung entwickelt beziehungen wie freundschaft patronage und soziale netzwerke als variationen sozialer bindungen sind das ergebnis unterschiedlicher historischer wie kultureller kontexte und stellen deshalb einen wesentlichen aber immer noch unterreprasentierten gegenstand interdisziplinaren forschens dar fragen nach sich andernden freundschaftssemantiken historischen und interkulturellen bzw politischen praktiken von freundschaft patronage und loyalitat standen im mittelpunkt einer internationalen tagung die eine kritische diskussion und neubewertung von werten und normen die z b freundschaft in verschiedenen kulturen und historischen epochen konstituieren sowie der sozialen umstande die diese nahbeziehungen bedingen vorgenommen hat aspekte wie konstitution und reprasentation von korper und gender und das entstehen von vertrauen und betrug waren dabei ebenso von interesse wie die kulturell und historisch unterschiedliche praxis und semantik von freundschaft und patronage sowie deren jeweilige wahrnehmung in abhangigkeit von ihrer gesellschaftlichen situation in verschiedenen sozialen und historischen kontexten die ergebnisse dieser tagung werden nun im vorliegenden band prasentiert

### The Future of English in Asia 2015-10-05

this book offers an in depth discussion of how postcolonialism entered the baltic cultural and literary domain and what difficulties it had and often still has to face while encountering local and international cultural and literary discourses initially viewed as entirely alien to the baltic as well as eastern european academic milieu postcolonial studies have recently started to overcome previous academic prejudices and take shape in this part of the world this study provides timely insights into lithuanian prose writing and analyzes some of lithuania s best postcolonial literary texts the author examines novels written during the last decade of the soviet period as well as some more recent writings produced in the post soviet era the book will be useful to cultural historians and literary scholars interested in the past and present of eastern european and baltic cultures and societies



indian writers of english such as g v desani salman rushdie amit chaudhuri amitav ghosh vikram seth allan sealy shashi tharoor arundhati roy vikram chandra and jhumpa lahiri have taken the potentialities of the novel form to new heights against the background of the genre s macro history this study attempts to explain the stunning vitality colourful diversity and the outstanding but sometimes controversial success of postcolonial indian novels in the light of ongoing debates in postcolonial studies it analyses the warp and woof of the novelistic text through a cross sectional scrutiny of the issues of democracy the poetics of space the times of empire nation and globalization self writing in the auto meta docu fictional modes the musical pictorial cinematic and culinary intertextualities that run through this hyperpalimpsestic practice and the politics of gender caste and language that gives it an inimitable stamp this concise and readable survey gives us intimations of a truly world literature as imagined by francophone writers because the postcolonial indian novel is a concrete illustration of how language liberated from its exclusive pact with the nation can enter into a dialogue with a vast polyphonic ensemble



seminar paper from the year 2006 in the subject english language and literature studies literature grade 1 university of marburg institut für anglistik und amerikanistik course postmodern and or postcolonial contemporary writing from britain and the commonwealth language english abstract zadie smith s novel white teeth deals with families and generations from diverse ethnic backgrounds and in the four main chapters archie 1974 1945 samad 1984 1857 irie 1990 1907 and magid millat and marcus 1992 1999 she approaches them from several angles as a result there has been a discussion on who is to be treated as the central character in this novel one possible answer to this is offered by nina shen rastogi the main character in white teeth isn t a character in any traditional sense it s the city of london itself smith s goal is less to paint a portrait of any particular character than it is to create a large scale character sketch of a particular place and a particular time white teeth is about the foibles of a community of near strangers and almost friends as it collectively stumbles towards an uncertain future the paper will investigate this approach by dealing with london as it is depicted in this postcolonial novel after a working definition on the diversely discussed notion of postcolonialism i 1 there will be a closer look on london both as a physical location i 2 a and a literary region i 2 b the main issues will be the history of immigration facts about multiculturalism today and a brief look on how the colonial legacy has been depicted in postcolonial literature in london a conclusion i 3 will summarize the results and present some main questions for the analysis of white teeth ii here the paper will take a look on the role of the characters interacting with each other and on how they compromise between their cultural legacy and london s society ii 1 this will be the major part of the analysis in two sho

### Postcolonial Literature 2013-09-05

the great romance a two volume novella published under the pseudonym the inhabitant was one of the outstanding late nineteenth century works of utopian science fiction volume 1 was a possible model for edward bellamy s phenomenally successful looking backward while volume 2 was assumed lost for over a century until uncovered in the hocken library in dunedin new zealand together these volumes represent a remarkable piece of science fiction writing as they proffer one of the first serious considerations of the colonization of other planets and the impact of human beings on an alien culture here for the first time readers encounter descriptions of spacesuits and airlocks space shuttles and planetary rovers interplanetary colonization and cross species miscegenation behind these genre defining elements is the story of john hope who by means of a sleeping elixir awakes to a utopian community in a distant future a kingdom of thought where the struggle for existence has been eliminated and humanity operates under an unwritten law of civility and harmony aided by telekinesis that inerrantly reveals all wrong doers since only two of the probably three volumes are extant the tale ends with a chilling cliffhanger in his introduction dominic alessio discusses the cutting edge aspects of this work and its significance in both the realm of science fiction and the history and culture of its day

### Freunde, Gönner und Getreue 2011

the sites from which postcolonial cultural articulations develop and the sites at which they are received have undergone profound transformations within the last decades this book traces the accelerating emergence of cultural crossovers and overlaps in a global perspective and through a variety of disciplinary approaches it starts from the premise that after the spatial turn human action and cultural representations can no longer be grasped as firmly located in or clearly demarcated by territorial entities the collection of essays investigates postcolonial articulations of various genres and media in their spatiality and locatedness while envisaging acts of location as dynamic cultural processes it explores the ways in which critical spatial thinking can be made productive testing the uses and limitations of translocation as an open exploratory model for a critically spatialized postcolonial studies it covers a wide range of cultural expressions from the anglophone world and beyond literature film tv photography and other forms of visual art philosophy historical memory and tourism the extensive introductory chapter charts various facets of spatial thinking from a variety of disciplines and critically discusses their implications for postcolonial studies the contributors essays range from theoretical interventions into the critical routines of postcolonial criticism to case studies of specific cultural texts objects and events reflecting temporal and spatial material and intellectual physical and spiritual mobility what emerges is a fascinating survey of the multiple directions postcolonial translocations can take in the future this book is aimed at students and scholars of postcolonial literary and cultural studies diaspora studies migration studies transnational studies globalisation studies critical space studies urban studies film studies media studies art history philosophy history and anthropology contributors diana brydon lars eckstein paloma fresno calleja lucia krämer gesa mackenthun thomas martinek sandra meyer therese m meyer marga munkelt lynda ng claudia perner katharina rennhak gundo rial y costas markus schmitz mark stein silke stroh kathy ann tan petra tournay theodotou daria tunca jessica voges roland walter dirk wiemann

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