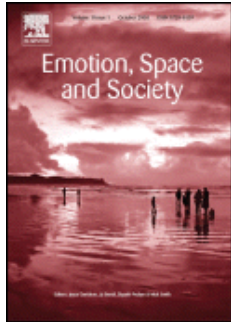


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Queen's Professors Named as Editors of Ground-Breaking New Journal



KINGSTON, CANADA — Dr. Joyce Davidson, Assistant Professor in the Department of Geography at Queen's University, will be the lead editor of a new journal to be launched in October 2008 by UK-based Elsevier, the world's largest science and health press and publisher of the prestigious *Lancet* medical journal.

Dr. Mick Smith, Associate Professor of Philosophy and Environmental Studies at Queen's, will be joining Davidson as editor of *Emotion, Space and Society*, as will Dr. Liz Bondi, Professor of Social Geography and Counselling Studies at the University of Edinburgh, and Dr. Elspeth Probyn, Professor of Gender and Cultural Studies at the University of Sydney.

An interdisciplinary journal, *Emotion, Space and Society* is attracting attention from across the humanities and social sciences. The journal's origins can be traced to the Second International and Interdisciplinary Conference on Emotional Geographies held at Queen's University in May 2006. The conference (co-organized by Davidson and Dr. Laura Cameron, also an Assistant Professor in the Department of Geography at Queen's) was an overwhelming success and revealed a critical groundswell of support for and commitment to the subject of emotions. The editors responded by proposing a less transient forum for debate.

Emotion, Space and Society provides this forum, offering informed and innovative approaches to emotion, feeling, and affect with appeal to students and researchers across the globe.

For possible publication in 2008, submissions to *Emotion, Space and Society* must be received by January 15, 2008. Submissions should investigate the multiplicity of spaces and places that produce and are produced by emotional and affective life. Contributors are encouraged to explore an inclusive range of theoretical and methodological engagements with emotion as a social, cultural, and spatial phenomenon.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION on *Emotion, Space and Society*, please visit the journal homepage (<http://www.elsevier.com/wps/locate/emospa>) or contact the editors directly:

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