The Modern Greek Studies Association invites proposals for our inaugural pre-conference Graduate Workshop Series to be held online Friday, November 19th, 2021. The workshop is designed to offer graduate students feedback on their work-in-progress ahead of the 27th MGSA Symposium’s Call for Papers.

Organized broadly around the theme of Transnational Connections, the workshop welcomes submissions that relate to the study of Modern Greek trajectories, transitions, and interruptions (15th century-present), using any methodology or approach.

Students from any year, program, university, and country may participate, though priority will be given to advanced doctoral students, who are invited to present work from their dissertations. Eight students will be selected for two half-day sessions. A written sample of their work should be submitted in advance (e.g. a relevant chapter). Two faculty mentors will be assigned as discussants in each session.

By facilitating discussions among students and faculty along transnational lines and with an emphasis on mobilities, we aim to generate new ways of thinking about Modern Greek Studies within the context of wider regional comparisons, juxtapositions, and connections. We welcome graduate student work from related fields and disciplines that engage Modern Greek Studies. The workshop seeks to foster innovation and original thought, make space for mentorship relationships and peer connections, and produce a framework for ongoing mutual support among emerging and established scholars.

To apply, please submit an anonymous short abstract (300 words) as well as a separate cover page (including your name, affiliation, title of your presentation, and the stage of your work) to graduates@mgss.org.

Abstract Submission Deadline: September 30th, 2021