

The **CENTRE** for the
HISTORY of the **EMOTIONS**
Queen Mary, University of London



Invites you to a public lecture and wine reception on 15 November 2010

‘The Psychological Construction of Emotion’

Professor James Russell



James Russell, Professor of Psychology at Boston College, and editor in chief of *Emotion Review*, is author and co-author of numerous scholarly articles on human emotion. His work focuses on affective responses to space, emotional interpretation of faces, and children's understanding of emotion. Along with his colleagues at the Emotion Development Lab at Boston, Russell's work challenges existing psychological paradigm of universal emotional expression. He has suggested abandoning the concept of emotion as a scientific term, treating it as a folk concept instead. This lecture will reflect his recent work in bringing these strands of enquiry together under the rubric of ‘the psychological construction of emotion’.



Time: Monday 15 November 2010, 6-8 pm.

The lecture and discussion will be followed by a wine reception.

Venue: Arts Lecture Theatre, Queen Mary, Mile End Campus.
Number 29 on map below

This is a public event and free of charge, but space is limited so please reserve a place by emailing **Tiffany Watt-Smith** t.k.watt-smith@qmul.ac.uk

