

Activism and Integrity Workshop

Monday, December 16th 2013

Northumbria University, Newcastle-upon-Tyne

Lipman Building 121

1pm-4:30pm

This workshop is hosted by Northumbria University's *Histories of Activism* research group, in association with *The Integrity Project* at the University of York. This workshop will explore the ways integrity has shaped debates among activists from across the political spectrum; how it has governed action as well as intention; and how forms of organization and collective action are negotiated to preserve the integrity of the actors.

Programme

1pm Arrival and Welcome

1:15-2:30 **Panel One: Integrity and nineteenth-century reform movements**

Dr Charlotte Alston (Northumbria) 'Facing life as a whole: Tolstoy, Tolstoyans and the philosophy of non-resistance'

Dr James Gregory (Plymouth) 'What's my motivation?' Personal integrity and other 'springs of action' in the lives of nineteenth-century reformers'

Roundtable discussion

2:30-3:00 Coffee and break

3:00-4:15 **Panel Two: Conservative and radical activists in the twentieth century**

Dr Joe Street (Northumbria) 'The Black Panther Party and street protest'

Dr Mark Pitchford (Visiting Research Fellow, King's College London)
'Conservative Activism'

Roundtable discussion

4:15-4:30 **Concluding remarks and close**