

COME ALONG SHARE A DRINK HAVE A CHAT WITH EXPERTS

# SCIENCE

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# CAFÉ

at Alliance Française de Nairobi  
from 6.30pm  
Ground Floor Gallery  
Free entrance

## Commemorating the abolition of Slavery: What is the meaning of slavery and its legacies today?

- In a landmark year, Kenya celebrates the 107 years of the abolition of Slavery. This Science café will discuss the meaning of this abolition and the contemporary challenges posed by the legacies of slavery. A short documentary will precede the discussions.

### Discussants :

- Pr. Myriam Cottias, Historian, President of the National Committee for the Commemoration of the Abolition of Slavery (Cpmhe, France) and Director of the International Centre of Research on Slavery (Ciresc, France)
- Prof. Samuel Nyanhoga, Historian, Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences and Director of the Institute of Regional Integration and Development (IRID) at the Catholic University of Eastern Africa.
- M. Patrick Abungu, Senior Curator of the Shimoni Slavery Museum and Heritage Site, National Museums of Kenya
- Dr. Marie-Pierre Ballarin, Historian, Researcher at the Institute of Research for Development (IRD), member of the research unit Migrations and Societies (URMIS), Associate Researcher at NMK

Moderated by Dr. Giulia Bonacci, Historian, Researcher at the Institute of Research for Development (IRD), member of the research unit Migrations and Societies (URMIS)