



THE FAILURE OF KNOWLEDGE
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Workshop: Embodied Knowledges & the Failures of Neoliberal Work Culture

June 10-11, 2021

The workshop "Embodied Knowledge & the Failures of Neoliberal Work Culture" investigates the potential of disability narratives to shed critical attention on the failure of contemporary work cultures to accommodate disabled bodies. In doing so, we explore how representations of 'unproductive' bodies uncover not only the fragility and precariousness of neoliberal notions of efficient laboring bodies, but especially how they imagine alternative, more inclusive work environments.

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June 10, 2021

6:00-7:30 p.m. (CEST)

David T. Mitchell &
Sharon L. Snyder
(George Washington University)

"What We Talk About When
We Talk About Disability"

June 11, 2021

11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (CEST)

Mita Banerjee
(Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz)

"Life Writing, Writing Life:
From Benjamin Franklin to
Mitchell Levitz' and
Jason Kingsley's *Count Us In*"

**Both keynote lectures are open to the public
and will be held via Zoom.**

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