

## KEYNOTE LECTURE

# Postcolonial Poundland and Mismanaged Decline

**Thursday, 28 November 2024**

17:00 hours s.t.  
Mohrenstr. 60  
1st floor, Room 105  
10117 Berlin

## Prof Paul Gilroy, FRSL, FBA

**Professor of the Humanities**

**Founding Director of the Sarah Parker Remond Centre for the Study of Racism & Racialisation, Institute of Advanced Studies, University College London**

This lecture will make an assessment of the contemporary politics of nationalism, racism and anti-immigration sentiment in the UK and connect that analysis to the similar situations found elsewhere. Professor Gilroy is particularly interested in the impact of technology and changes in political communication.

Paul Gilroy was born in the East End of London in 1956. He is currently Professor of Humanities at University College London where he was founding director of the Sarah Parker Remond Centre for the study of racism and racialisation. Gilroy has taught in several universities in the UK and abroad. Outside his academic writing, he has published widely on art, music and culture.

*Everyone is welcome to attend.*

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