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Dear Nicole,

I hope this newsletter finds you well. Unbelievably, we are already in June, and there are not many of our seminar sessions left for this academic year:

On the **12 June 2023 at 11 am UK time** Dr Kay Sidebottom will discuss how to ethically account for environment, atmosphere and presence of non/human others in research.

Register for this seminar via [Eventbrite](#).

And the final seminar will take place on the **21 June 2023 at 12 noon UK time** with Professor Jenny Parkes sharing reflections on ethical challenges and dilemmas encountered when researching violence with young people. If you would like to attend, please, register via this [Eventbrite](#) page.

I am already looking ahead to the next academic year and would like to ask you to help me determine the focus for upcoming talks. Having covered positionality and ethics in Practice As Research, **what should be next?** To this end, please, [complete this Microsoft Form](#), which should only take 2 minutes.

Also, I am excited to share some news: The article [Competition and Collaboration in Higher Education: An \(Auto\)Ethnographic Poetic Inquiry](#) authored by Áine McAllister and myself was published in Qualitative Inquiry last month. And a team from our Social Fiction Writing group have submitted a first abstract for an article. The **Social Fiction Writing** group will meet again on the 21 June at 2pm UK time. If you're interested to find out more and/or to join, please [email Nicole Brown](#). If you're interested to find out more about the **Poetry As Research** group and/or to join on the 21 June from 4.15 pm, please [email Áine McAllister](#).

Future seminars:

21 June 2023 at 12 noon: Prof Jenny Parkes.

Recent recordings:

- [Prof John Potter and Dr Michelle Cannon's presentation](#) about ethical challenges during the online research into children's play during the pandemic.

I will deliver the **course** "Positionality and doing reflexivity in qualitative research" in the week of the 29th and 30th June 2023 for Methods@Manchester. Please, pass on the details, especially to any doctoral students and early career researchers. [Link to more information and booking](#).

The Practice As Research network with its resources is free and always will be, but it does of course incur costs to run and to keep it running. If you use it and benefit, enjoy it and would like to keep it going, please, consider [leaving something in the tip jar](#). **Thank you!**
Wishing you a very good week ahead, until the next time...

Nicole

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