



# DDE Newsletter No. 49

## Articles ...

How Black cartographers put racism on the map of America. [Read more ...](#)

Sean Creighton - International Women's Day 8 March - BAME Women and Leadership. [Read more ...](#)

New crackdown on Extinction Rebellion and Black Lives Matter needed due to 'huge inconvenience', minister says. [Read more ...](#)

Cast out: the Yazidi women reunited with their children born in Isis slavery. Yazidi elders disown former slaves of Islamic State, forcing them to choose between their children and their community. [Read more ...](#)

Bus brings 'hope' to the doorstep of India's disabled children. Group runs Therapy on Wheels programme for children with developmental disabilities in Himachal Pradesh's remote villages. [Read more ...](#)

## World at Lunch ...

Trinity College reckons with slavery links as Ireland confronts collusion with empire. White supremacists spread a myth of the plight of 'Irish slaves'. Now academics and authors are bringing the true history to light. [Read more ...](#)

Doing more harm than good? Our latest report on the UK's development bank, CDC. [Read more ...](#)

'Wildly unfair': UN says 130 countries have not received a single Covid vaccine dose. UN secretary general calls for 'global vaccine taskforce' led by G20 in what he says is a 'moral test' of world community. [Read more ...](#)

The global line for coronavirus vaccines stretches back to 2023. [Read more ...](#)

Tanzania still in denial about Covid-19 existence despite surge in cases. [Read more ...](#)

Covid-19: Families 'denied care home visits' despite new policy. [Read more ...](#)

Nigerian women use fashion to ease the trauma of war. In displacement camps in northeast Nigeria, dressmaking helps women earn an income and dream of a brighter future. [Read more ...](#)

Mexico City has launched the first of what it hopes will be several cable-car lines in the poorer outskirts of the city of 9 million. [Read more ...](#)

### Local news ...

Inaugural Director for City of Literature announced on World Book Day. [Read more ...](#)

An update from Exeter City Futures. [Read more ...](#)

New sign remembers Exeter bridges used in D-Day training. [Read more ...](#)

### Videos and podcasts ...

Why Is Covid Killing People of Colour? BBC One with David Harewood. [Watch ...](#)

How to stop pending famine in Yemen? UN says millions of people in Yemen are at risk of famine and billions of dollars in aid is needed to avoid a disaster. [Watch ...](#)

### Things to do ...

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 7:30pm to 9:00pm** *SOS Ocean Emergency* with Simon Reeve and Alasdair Harris organised by TEDxExeter. [Details ...](#)

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> March 7:30pm** The Mark Thomas Comedy Product Vintage Cuts 3. [Details ...](#)

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 7pm to 8pm** COVID-19 vaccine research: ask the experts. [Details ...](#)

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> March 7:00pm to 8:30pm** RAMM Q&A with Felicity Aston MBE, British polar explorer. [Details ...](#)

### Campaigns ...

Update - The US-UK trade deal is on hold. [Read more ...](#)

A 1% pay rise for NHS staff is not good enough. [Petition ...](#)

Update: Prime Minister to meet with Holocaust survivors ahead of vote on the Genocide. [Read more ...](#)

Many large banks and speculators – including Blackrock, JP Morgan, HSBC and UBS – continue to demand debt repayments from some of the poorest countries across Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean. [Petition ...](#)

On the ten anniversary, if some of the largest and wealthiest countries in the world have learnt the lessons of Fukushima, why can't Britain? [Petition ...](#)

Free from Patents. A people's vaccine, not a profit vaccine. [Read more ...](#)