Nicola Padfield has long worked on parole in England and Wales, as well as working in collaborative pan-European projects (for example, see Padfield N. et al (eds) (2010) *Release from prison – European policy and practice* (co-editor with Dünkel, F and van Zyl Smit, D; Padfield, N, Recalling conditionally released prisoners in England and Wales (2012) 4 *European Journal of Probation* 34-45 + Editorial to that special issue; Padfield, N, ‘Dominant executive decision-making: England and Wales: Does it matter who enforces English sentences? In Herzog-Evans, M (ed) *Offender release and supervision: the role of courts and the use of discretion* (Wolf Legal Publishers, 2015), pages 53-80). She has also long been interested to compare English parole processes with those which apply in France (see Padfield N. *An entente cordiale in sentencing?* (2011) 175 Criminal Law and Justice Weekly 239-42, 256-9, 271-4 and 290-293; *The JAP: lessons for England and Wales?* (co-authored with Martine Herzog-Evans, 2015, Criminal Justice Alliance). (Both these are available on line and so an announcement could link to them?)

In this seminar she will report on her latest (2016-17) research in England, observing oral hearings in a number of prisons and hearings by video links, and she will comment on how she sees processes in France (JAP) today compared to those in England (Parole Board).

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