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Gender-based violence across borders: challenges and opportunities to establishing routes to safety in a migratory world.

Join us on 24 April 2025 in CCE1-403 at Northumbria Law School, Newcastle upon Tyne, for a Modern Law Review funded seminar which explores the following themes:

- The nature, scale and forms of cross-border gender-based violence.
- The impact of developing technologies and social media on tracking and surveillance.
- The reality of seeking legal protections and remedies in a foreign jurisdiction.
- The impact of a victim's migrant or insecure immigrant status on seeking refuge in a new jurisdiction.
- Securing the safe return of victims of forced marriage and female genital mutilation.
- The interrelationship between domestic abuse and child abduction.
- The impact of the UK's departure from the European Union on victim safety when travelling across borders.
- The desirability of law reform to better support victims moving between jurisdictions and the potential form and substance of any reform.

Confirmed speakers include the Forced Marriage Unit, the Hague Conference on Private International Law, and academics, activists and legal professionals working in this field.

Registration is mandatory. To sign up to attend the event, please visit: <u>https://genderbasedviolenceacrossborders.eventbrite.co.uk</u>

