

Identity and Authenticity in the Narratives of Craft Drinks Producers Thomas Thurnell-Read (University of Loughborough)

The recent increased popularity of 'craft' drinks, made in small batches by skilled workers and positioned as being of particularly high cultural value, raises a number of questions relating to the reconfiguration of production and consumption practices. This talk will explore the renewed interest in craft production and craft products as a means to examine the themes of locality, heritage and authenticity as they are framed in the narratives of UK craft beer and real ale brewers and craft gin distillers.

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