

## **The Queer Question:**

World politics-as-usual has always been disrupted by querulous constituencies demanding the apparently impossible. At various historical junctures, we have had the Jewish Question, the Woman Question, the Race Question, the Question of Palestine, and many other lower-case questions that have struggled to make it on to the agenda of the global. I want to ask whether there is a Queer Question. If so, what does it look like? Who is asking it? And what does posing the queer question do to the very notion of questioning the place of troublesome groups in relation to a putatively common humanity?