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Thursday, November 5

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3:00-8:00 Registration Desk Opens	4:00-6:00 Opening Reception for Martha Rosler's Library and Beyond the Instance of an Ending [Herter Art Gallery]	4:30-6:00 Concurrent Sessions [I]	
8:00-9:30 Roundtable on the Economic Crisis with Susan Feiner, Richard Wolff, Richard McIntyre and George DeMartino [Student Union Ballroom]	8:00-9:30 Plenary with Martha Rosler [Student Union Ballroom]	8:00-9:30 Plenary on Marxism and Nationalism with Halil Berktaay, Partha Chatterjee and S. Charusheela [Student Union Ballroom]	
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Friday 9:00-10:20

**A1 [162-175] Sexual Politics Between State and Class (I):
Sexuality, Class and Neoliberal Politics in the U.S.**

Suzanne Bergeron (University of Michigan at Dearborn) Chair

Barbara G. Brents (University of Nevada at Las Vegas) Neoliberalism
and Legal Prostitution in the American Heartland

Sam Brinkley (Emerson College) Coaching the Sexual Entrepreneur:
The Logics of Social and Neoliberal Conduct in the Government of
Sexuality and Relationships

Lynn Comella (University of Nevada at Las Vegas) Better Living
Through Orgasms: Feminist Sex Toy Stores and Neoliberal Culture

Ara Wilson (Duke University) Discussant

Jyoti Puri (Simmons College) Discussant

A2 [917] Visions of Community Economies

Abby Templer (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Organizer
and Chair

Abby Templer (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) and Leo
Hwang-Carlos (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Not Just
a Basket of Goods: Motivating Community Economies

Boone Shear (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) and Tim
Sutton (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Free Public
Higher Education: A New Revolutionary Imaginary

Robin Anderson (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) and
Fadia Hasan (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Building a
Community of Fairness: A Critique of Aarong

J.K. Gibson-Graham (Community Economies Collective) Discussant

**A3 [904-908] Reinterpreting Marx: Value, Money and Social
Need**

David Kristjanson-Gural (Bucknell University) Chair

David Kristjanson-Gural (Bucknell University) Money, Demand and
Value: How Changes in Demand Affect the Monetary Expression of
Value in Marx

Fabian Balardini (Borough of Manhattan Community College, City
University of New York) Marx on Demand and Market-value
Determination in Rent-bearing Sectors

Joseph Rebello (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Theoretical
Golden Fetters? Commodity vs. Non-Commodity Money in Marxian
Theory

Erik Olsen (University of Missouri at Kansas City) Marxian Social
Accounting and Modeling: A Social Accounting Matrix Approach

**A4 [101] Power in Civil Society: Gramscian Approaches to
International Political Economy**

Andrew Stant (Miami University) Chair

Steven Hess (Miami University) The Explosion at Shaoguan: Class
Subjugation, Labor Export Programs, and the Fostering of Ethnic
Division on the Chinese Shop Floor

Levar Smith (Miami University) A Gramscian Explanation of Civil
Society in Africa: Conflict or Cooptation

Andrew Stant (Miami University) How Hayek Came to America

Discussion

A5 [804-808] *Capital as Power (I): Toward a New Cosmology of Capitalism*

Ulf Martin (Germany) Chair

Shimshon Bichler (Israel)

Jonathan Nitzan (York University)

A6 [803] Alain Badiou's "Idea of Communism": A Radical Reconceptualization of Emancipation, or A Politics Locked Within The Confines of the Bourgeois World?

Raymond Lotta (Set the Record Straight Project) Organizer and Chair

Sam Datta (*Demarcations: A Journal of Communist Theory and Polemic*) A False Politics of Emancipation: Conciliating the State While Passively Awaiting the 'Event'

Raymond Lotta (Set the Record Straight Project) Alain Badiou and the Shanghai Commune of 1967, Or Alain Badiou Wants a Different Cultural Revolution Against The Party

David Morgan (University of Newcastle) Hegel, Mao, Badiou and the Subject as Outsider

A7 [903] Book Symposium: Escape Routes: Control and Subversion in the 21st Century

Esra Erdem (Fulda University) Organizer and Chair

Dimitris Papadopoulos (Author)

Vassilis Tsianos (Author)

Serap Kayatekin (The American College of Thessaloniki) Discussant

A8 [163C] Economies, Networks, and Socio-Economic Relations

Daniel Gousy (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Stan Harrison (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The Phantom Subject of the Internetworked Factory of Dead Writing and Dead Social Formation

Izabel Cristina Lima (Federal University of Minas Gerais) and Sueli Moro (Federal University of Minas Gerais) The Cyclical Fluctuations in the Brazilian Economy from Marx's Perspective, 1966-2006

Daniel Rosenberg (Haifa University) Karl Polanyi and Institutional Economic Theory

Daniel Gousy (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) A Process Theory of Spatial Networks

A9 [174] Reading Sohn-Rethel Today

Jason Read (University of Southern Maine) Organizer and Chair

Jason Read (University of Southern Maine) Sohn-Rethel and the Task of a Materialist Philosophy Today

William Clare Roberts (McGill University) Homo Oeconomicus and the Animal Laborans: Sohn-Rethel as Critic of Arendt

Alberto Toscano (Goldsmiths, University of London) Real Abstraction and the Origins of Philosophy

A10 [168C] Be Realistic, Demand the Impossible: The 2008-2009 CUPE 3903 Strike at York University

Noaman Ali (York University) Organizer and Chair

Tom Keefer (York University) *They'll go all the way*: Demanding the Impossible from the Neoliberal University in the York Strike of 2008-2009

Punam Khosla (York University) Left lessons from the York University Strike of 2008-2009: Unmasking neoracist patriarchal divides in the (post) neoliberal working class

Nikki Thorne (York University) *"Vanguard!"* Insults and Possibilities: Reflections of a fellow traveler on problems and possibilities and

spaces for anarchist ethic and creativity in the CUPE 3903 strike

Gregory Flemming (York University) Onitsha? It's Always Like This in Onitsha-York University on Strike

A11 [176] Postone and Postcapitalism: Getting off the Treadmill of History

Mela Heestand (University of California at Davis) Chair

Erin Paszko (University of California at Davis) Theorizing the Time of Terror in Vikram Chandra's Sacred Games

Mela Heestand (University of California at Davis) Indigenous "Public" Memory as an Alternative to Capitalist "Private" Memory in Jose Maria Arguedas' Deep Rivers

Laura Hudson (University of California at Davis) "Time to go": History and Memory in Atwood's Oryx and Crake

A12 [165-169] Between the Old and New Left: A Postwar Balance Sheet

Ian Morrison (Platypus Affiliated Society) Organizer and Chair

Chris Mansour (Platypus Affiliated Society) The End of Ideology Thesis: The American Left's Turn Towards the Right from the 1930s-1950s

Laurie Rojas (Platypus Affiliated Society) C. Wright Mills: The Decline of the Left and the Anti-intellectualism of Intellectuals

Ian Morrison (Platypus Affiliated Society) Intellectuals in Retreat: Max Schachtman and the Response to Fascism and Stalinism in America

Benjamin Blumberg (Independent Scholar) An Unmet Challenge: Marxism and the Problem of Anti-Black Racism in the United States

A13 [805-809] Workshop: Theater of the Oppressed: Evaluating Power Structures on College Campuses

Lindsay Ann Gargatto (Anne Braden Institute)

Jardanna Peacock (Anne Braden Institute and University of

Louisville)

A14 [905-909] Cultural Critique and the Global Corporation

Laura E. Lyons (University of Hawaii) Chair

Purnima Bose (Indiana University) General Electric, Corporate Personhood, and the Emergence of the Professional Manager

Margrit Talpalaru (University of Alberta) "Our People Make the Difference": Corporate Subjects and the Case of Wal-Mart

S. Shankar (University of Hawaii) Necessity and Desire: Coca-Cola and Water

Laura E. Lyons (University of Hawaii) What Is To Be Done Now?: Critical Corporate Studies and Activism

A15 [911] Marxist Applications of Feminist Theory

Sean Gill (York University) Chair

Nina Gabrielle Power (Roehampton University) One Dimensional Women: A Critique of Consumer Feminism

Sean Gill (York University) Towards a Post-Human Marx: Rethinking Consciousness, Labour, and Human Difference Using Feminist Science Studies

Jason Mallory (Independent Scholar) Prison Sexual Slavery, Ideology, and the Politics of Need Interpretation

A16 [178] Kapitalism 101 ("Temporal Value Theory at a Moment of Capitalist Crisis" Video Presentation Sponsored by Critique of Political Economy and Marxist-Humanist Initiative)

Brendan Cooney, Producer and Writer of Kapitalism 101 Videos

A17 [811-815] Resisting Nuclear Power

Karen Charman (Independent Investigative Environmental Journalist and Managing Editor of *Capitalism Nature Socialism*) Three Mile Island: What Really Happened and Why it Matters Now

Deb Katz (Executive Director of Citizen's Awareness Network)
Creating Sustainable Energy Communities: Challenging Nuclear
Power in Vermont, a Case Study

[B]

Friday 10:30-12:00

B1 [917] Pedagogies for Community Economies

Julie Graham (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Organizer

Ken Byrne (Conway School of Landscape Design) Discussant and
Chair

JK Gibson-Graham (Community Economies Collective) Take Back the
Economy-Any Time, Any Place

Chris Cavanagh (Catalyst Centre) From Common Sense to Good Sense:
Popular Education and Popular Economics

Stephen Healy (Worcester State College) Economic Difference,
Resistance and Pedagogical Ethics: Class in the Classroom

B2 [101] Applying Gramsci and Engaging Contemporary Social Theory (Sponsored by International Gramsci Society)

Peter Ives (University of Winnipeg) Chair

Nicola Short (York University) Power/Knowledge: A Gramscian Reading
of Neoliberal Restructuring of the Academy and its Methodological
Implications

Ian Bruff (University of Manchester) Thinking in a 'Common Sense'
Gramscian Way About State Practices

Owen Worth (University of Limerick) (Re)Applying and (Re)Examining
Hegemony at a Global Level

Kyle Murray (University of Limerick) Hegemony, Worldview and Class
Structure: The Fusion of Contradictory 'Conceptions of the World'
Within Systems of 'Thought' and 'Practice'

B3 [165-169] Psychoanalysis and Biopolitics

Samantha Hill (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Mourning
Marx: A Critique of Left Wing Melancholy

Eleanor MacDonald (Queen's University) Holding on to What We've
Got: Property and the Psyche

Greg Anderson (Ohio State University) Slavery and Biopolitics in
Classical Athens

Beverley Best (Concordia University) The Dialectic of Affect in
Postmodern Consumer Societies

B4 [803] Critiques of Pedagogy and Pedagogies of Critique: Education in Contemporary Marxist Theorization

Antonio Y. Vasquez-Arroyo (University of Minnesota) Chair

Eric Boyer (Colby-Sawyer College) Marx's Tenth "Despotic Inroad":
Education as Emancipation

Ross Edwards (University of Minnesota) All That is Solid Melts into Air:
Memory, Desire and the Capitalist Subject

Isaac Kamola (University of Minnesota) Teaching Africa in an African
University: A Structural Marxist Reading of the 1998 Curriculum
Debates at the University of Cape Town

Anthony Pahnke (University of Minnesota) The ABCs of Leadership
and Political Struggle: Brazil's Landless Workers Movement in and
outside the School

Antonio Y. Vasquez-Arroyo (University of Minnesota) Discussant

B5 [804-808] *Capital as Power (II): Framework, Concepts and Methods (Part A)*

D.T. Cochrane (York University) Chair

Jordan Brennan (York University) Myth, Metaphysics and Science in the Power Theory of Value

Daniel Moure (York University) Quantity and Quality in the Power Theory of Value

Shimshon Bichler (Israel) and Jonathan Nitzan (York University) Consideration and Elaboration

B6 [911] *The Socioeconomic Crisis of Capitalism: A View from the Colony*

Ian J. Seda-Irizarry (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Joel Colón-Ríos (York University) Sovereignty in Times of Crisis: An Approach from Colonial

Manuel Marqués-Bonilla (York University) Hegemonic Change in Puerto Rico and the Current Crisis

Ian J. Seda-Irizarry (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) A Critique of the Discourse of Economic Development During Times of Crisis in Puerto Rico

B7 [168C] *Rethinking the Young Marx: 1841-1847, Part I*

Norman Levine (Institute for International Policy) Organizer and Chair

Marcello Musto (York University) Marx in Paris: Manuscripts and Notebooks of 1844

Pareesh Chattopadhyay (University of Montreal) Political economy in Marx's early notebooks (1844-1847)

Andrew Chitty (University of Sussex) The Concept of Species Being in

Hegel and Marx's 1844 Manuscript

Nie Jinfang (University of Beijing) The Reappraisal of the Relationship Between Karl Marx and the Young Hegelians: A Reading of The Holy Family

B8 [805-809] *Cultural Re-Intervention: The "New" Imperialism, Postcoloniality, and the Crisis of "Resistance Literature"*

John W. Maerhofer (City University of New York) Chair

Joseph Ramsey (Fisher College) From Resistance to Revolution: The "Lost" Literary Radicalism of Guy Endore's Babouk

Jennifer Wenzel (University of Michigan) Green as the New Red: A Subterranean History of Environmental Resistance

Arun Kumar Pokhrel (University of Florida) End or Beyond Postcolonial Theory? Postcolonial Empires, New Imperialism, and "Accumulation by Dispossession"

John W. Maerhofer (City University of New York) Political Commitment in the Era of "Crisis Capitalism"

B9 [176] *The Left's Legacy and Unresolved Problems: Dialogue between Marxist-Humanism and Platypus (Sponsored by Marxist-Humanist Initiative and Platypus Affiliated Society)*

Andrew Kliman (Pace University) Co-Organizer and Chair

Joshua Howard (CUNY Graduate Center) Co-Organizer

Joshua Howard (CUNY Graduate Center) Totality Vs. Theory: Left Cognition and Social Change

Pamela C. Nogales ((Platypus Affiliated Society) 30 Years After: The Left and the Iranian Revolution

Laura Lee Schmidt (Massachusetts Institute of Technology) May the Left Have No Legacy

Soren Whited (The Platypus Affiliated Society) Totality and the Left

Anne Jaclard (Marxist Humanist Initiative) Discussant

B10 [903] Rethinking New Social Movements

Shannon Williams (University of Tennessee) Chair

Shannon Williams (University of Tennessee) The Bolivarian Alternative for the Americas: Rethinking Economic Integration After the Failures of Neoliberalism

Gabriel De La Luz (University of Puerto Rico) Crisis in the Puerto Rican Independence Movement: A Postnationalist and Cosmopolitan Alternative

Peter Funke (University of Pennsylvania) Neoliberalism and the World Social Forum: Social Forums as Relays for Class Struggle?

Jean Tible (University of Campinas) Teorias, lutas, movimentos: Marx e América Indígena

B11 [178] Film: How I Can Enjoy Mine When You Don't Have Any by Mary Filippo

Mary Filippo (Filmmaker) Introduction

Ric McIntyre (University of Rhode Island) Discussant

B12 [163C] The Crises of Global Capital – Another Political Economy is Possible (I) (Sponsored by Global Studies Association and *Critical Sociology*)

Lauren Langman (Loyola University of Chicago) Organizer/Chair

David Fasenfest (Wayne State University and *Critical Sociology*) Collateral consequences of Restructuring UAW Contracts

Walda Katz Fishman (Howard University) and Beth Gonzales (Institute for the Study of the Science of Society) Economic Revolution and Political Struggle Today

Carl Davidson (US Solidarity Economy Network and the Committee of Correspondence for Democracy and Socialism) A Bridge to Socialism: Solidarity Economy and Green Structural Reform

Ana Margarida Esteves (Brown University) Networked Collectivism?

Solidarity Economy as theory and practice

B13 [904-908] Party, Movement, Class: Rethinking Organizational Expressions in Radical Transformation

Abigail Bakan (Queen's University) Organizer/Chair

John Riddell (Independent Researcher) The Role of Front-Line Parties in Communist International Policy-Making

Paul Kellogg (Trent University) Mezhrayonka: The Lost Revolutionaries

Abigail Bakan (Queen's University) Party, Movement, Class: Gramscian Reconsiderations and the Case of the BDS Movement

B14 [811-815] Adorno, Benjamin, and the Subject

Christy Reynolds (University of Oregon) Chair

Richard Daniels (Oregon State University) Non-Pious Discourse: Adorno, Ethics, and the Politics of Suffering

Claudia Leeb (Roanoke College) Derrida, Adorno, and the Problem of the Subject

Christy Reynolds (University of Oregon) Profane Illuminations of Nature and Culture: Benjamin, Burtynsky, and the Problem of Capitalist Perception

K. Olive McKeon (New York University) A Spectator is Haunting the Stage: On Marxist Theories of Spectatorship

B15 [162-175] Author meets critics: *Ethical Marxism: The Categorical Imperative of Liberation* by Bill Martin

Richard A. Lee (DePaul University of Chicago) Philosophy is not for babies

Joseph Walsh (Stockton College) The ethical moment in politics and the question of violence

Bill Martin (DePaul University of Chicago) Kant for communists: the status of the universal in ethics, politics, and ontology

B16 [905-909] Contradictions Within Globalization

Tim Koechlin (Vassar College) Chair

Nick Dwyer-Whitford (University of Western Ontario) Multitude or Global Worker? Reconsiderations within Autonomist Marxism

Aaron Hess (Haymarket Books and Columbia University) The New Antagonisms of Global Capitalism?

Tim Koechlin (Vassar College) What Can Bourgeois Economists Teach Us About Globalization?

Ganesh Trichur (Bates College) East Asian Developmental Path and Global Financial Crises

B17 [174] Theorizing Surplus Production, Appropriation and Exploitation

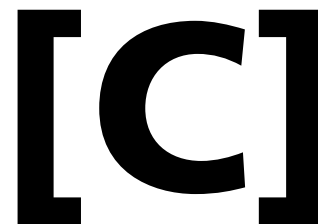
George DeMartino (University of Denver) Co-Organizer and Chair

David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame) and Kenan Erçel (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Labor, Exploitation, and a Marxian Approach to Ethics

Jonathan Diskin (Earlham College) What does it mean to "Appropriate"?

Bruce Roberts (University of Southern Maine) Productive/Unproductive: Conceptual Topology

Chris Spannos (Editor of *Znet*) Bridging the Gap: From Exploitation and Alienation to Equity and Participation



Friday 1:00-2:20

C1 [174] Roundtable: *Rethinking Marxism* and the "Revival of Marxism"

Joseph Childers (University of California, Riverside) Chair

S. Charusheela (University of Nevada, Las Vegas)

David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame)

Jack Amariglio (Merrimack College)

C2 [165-169] The Challenge of Zapatismo

Margaret Cerullo (Hampshire College) Organizer and Chair

Richard Stahler Sholk (Eastern Michigan University) Zapatismo and Social Movement Stability

Fernanda Navarra (Universidad Michoacana de San Nicolas de Hidalgo) The Zapatista Movement Fifteen Years Later

Kara Zugman (California State University at Dominguez Hills) The Politics of the Impossible: Assessing the Impact of the Zapatista movement on the Global Justice Movement and Immigrant Community Organization in the U.S.

Adolfo Gilly (Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico)

**C3 [101] Is Now the Time for a Radical Political Party?
(Sponsored by the 15th Street Manifesto Group and the
authors of *Manifesto for a Left Turn*)**

Stanley Aronowitz (City University of New York) The Demand for
Political Organization

Rick Wolff (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Updating the
Latest in the Phony Economic Rebound

Harriet Fraad (Feminist Psychotherapist/Hypnotherapist) Vicissitudes
in Everyday Psychic Life: What is to be Done?

William DiFazio (St. John's University) Ethnographic Notes on the
Working Class and the Crisis

Michael Pellios The Demand for Thinking the Totality Again Versus the
Postmodernist Fashion of Single Issue Politics

Bob Tanner (Independent Scholar) Discussant

**C4 [911-915] The "Autonomy of the Political" Revisited
(Sponsored by *Historical Materialism*)**

Sebastian Budgen (*Historical Materialism*) Chair

Peter Thomas (Academy of Finland and Jan van Eyck Academy) The
Politics of "the Political"

Matteo Mandarini (University of Queen Mary) Eliding Politics

Alberto Toscano (Goldsmith's University) Discussant

**C5 [168C] Gramsci: Hegemony and "Counter-Hegemony"
(Sponsored by International Gramsci Society)**

Marcus E. Green (Otterbein College) Chair

Rosemary Dore (Federal University of Minas Gerais, Brazil) Where
does the Concept of "Counter-Hegemony" Come From?

Noaman Ali (York University) Gramsci, Guha and Fanon: Hegemony,
Dominance and the (Anti-) Colonial

Derek Boothman (Università di Bologna) Gramsci: Structure of
Language, Structure of Ideology

Joseph Zaroni (University of Illinois at Chicago) Voice and Leadership
in Workers' Centers: Critical Discourse Analysis Utilizing Gramsci and
Bakhtin of Participant Informal Dialogue

**C6 [917] Banking on it! Two U.S. Projects that Harness the
Power of Banking, Credit, and Finance**

Karen Werner (Goddard College and Community Economies
Collective) Organizer and Chair

William Spademan (Common Good Finance)

Mike Leung (Worker Cooperative Credit Union)

C7 [803] Marx(ism) and Black Studies, Part I

James Ford (University of Notre Dame) Organizer/Chair

James Ford (University of Notre Dame) Interrupting the System:
Antonio Negri, Spinoza, and Maroon Thought

Seth Markle (Trinity College) The Autonomy of African Marxism:
Abdelrahman Mohammed Babu and the Legitimacy of the Black
Power Movement, 1964-1968

Greg Livingston Childs (New York University) Between Existential
Marxism and Existentia Africana: Reconsidering Richard Wright

C8 [163C] Marxist-Humanist Perspectives: From Marx to Today

Eli Messinger (New York Marxist School and U.S. Marxist-
Humanists) Chair

Kamran Afary (California State University at Los Angeles) and
Kevin B. Anderson (University of California at Santa Barbara)
Reflecting on the Upheaval in Iran

Peter Hudis (Oakton Community College) Philosophic Implications of
Marx's Critique of Value Production

Heather Brown (Purdue University) Reevaluating Marx's Relationship to Feminism

Stephen Weierman (Independent Activist) Marxist-Humanism and Queer Liberation

C9 [904-908] RE-Activism + 10: Rethinking Seattle Ten Years After and the Role of New Forms of Activism in Reshaping the Global Economy

Mary Sterpka King (Northeastern University) Organizer and Chair

Brian Martin Murphy (Niagara University) Historizing Indymedia at the Juncture of Post-Structuralist and Autonomous traditions in the 'New Left'

Kate Milberry (Simon Fraser University) Crabgrass: Spreading grassroots resistance online with Free libre software

Mical Osterweil (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill) Becoming-Woman: Theory, Practice and Potentiality

Jeffrey Juris (Northeastern University) The Rose of Fire: Anarchist Ideas and Practices among Global Justice Activists in Barcelona

C10 [811-815] The US Economy Today

David Brennan (Franklin and Marshall College) Chair

David Brennan (Franklin and Marshall College) The Bull-of-Last-Resort: How the U.S. Economy Capitalizes on Nationalism

Matthias Thiemann (Columbia University) Rethinking the State-Finance Nexus: The Pursuit of Domestic Policies Through International Finance

Antonio Callari (Franklin and Marshall College) 2008: The New US Economy

Mohammed Moeini (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Class Processes and Expansion of Total Output in the US Economy: Towards an Empirical Study

C11 [903] Studies in Marxian Theory of Value

Jan Philip Sailer (Freiburg University) Chair

Ariel Salleh (University of Sydney) From Metabolic Rift to 'Metabolic Value'

Jan Philip Sailer (Freiburg University) The Fetishism of "Fictitious Capital": On the Economic Might of Illusionary Wealth

William Thomas Workman (University of New Brunswick) Rorty, Radical Immanence, and Marx

C12 [162-175] *Capital as Power (III): Framework, Concepts and Methods (Part B)*

Tim Di Muzio (University of Helsinki) Chair

Ulf Martin (Germany) Rational Control and the Magma of Reality

Sean Starr (York University) State and Capital: False Dichotomy but Still Dialectical

Shimshon Bichler (Israel) and Jonathan Nitzan (York University) Consideration and Elaboration

C13 [805-809] Marx, History, and Historical Materialism

Andres Fabian Henao Castro (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Samantha Godwin (Georgetown University Law Center) Historical Material as an Indeterminate Theory of Social Evolution: A Reformulation of Marx's Theory of History

Carl Grey Martin (Fitchburg State College) New Times, New Pasts: Reading Medieval Culture Dialectically

Andres Fabian Henao Castro (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Reading Marx: Rethinking Historical Materialism

Julian Germann (York University) Transnational Historical Materialism and the Geopolitics of the 'Capitalist Heartland': The Seventies' Crisis Revisited

C14 [176] Globalization and Its Discontents

Brian Zbriger (Binghamton University) Notes for the World-Historical Study of Migrant Labor

Onur Bakina (Independent Scholar) Discontents of an Emerging Global Norm: Coming to Terms with the Past

Cory Jansson (York University) Workers of the World, We're Ambivalent! Immigration Politics in Denmark and Sweden

Howard Engelskirchen (Independent Scholar) Inversion and its Discontents

C15 [905-909] Marxism and the Possible?

Tim Johnson (The New School for Social Research) Chair

Derek Ruez (University of Kentucky) Is Another World (Im)possible? Derrida and Zizek on the Dilemmas of Democracy

Nigel C. Gibson (Emerson College) Fanon's Contemporary Relevance

Tim Johnson (The New School for Social Research) Stuart Hall and the Politics of Experience

Brendan Innis McQuade (State University of New York/Binghamton) This is Not an Immediately or Necessarily a Liberatory Struggle: How Deleuze and Guattari Can Help Conceptualize the Antisystemic

C16 [804-808] Roundtable on Financial capitalism: the legacy of Rudolf Hilferding's *Das Finanzkapital* Part I

Marcelo Milan (University of Wisconsin at Parkside) Organizer and Chair

Özgür Orhangazi (Roosevelt University) Organizer

Ghassan Dibeh (Lebanese American University at Byblos)

Gerald Epstein (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

David Kotz (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

Marcelo Milan (University of Wisconsin at Parkside)

Robert Pollin (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

Ellen Russell (Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives)

William Smaldone (Willamette University)

Peter Wagner (University of Wisconsin at Whitewater)

C17 [178] Kapitalism 101 ("Temporal Value Theory at a Moment of Capitalist Crisis" Video Presentation Sponsored by *Critique of Political Economy and Marxist-Humanist Initiative*)

Brendan Cooney, Producer and Writer of Kapitalism 101 Videos

[D]

Friday 2:30-4:00

D1 [168C] Rethinking Development

David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame) Organizer and Chair

Suzanne Bergeron (University of Michigan at Dearborn) Intimacy, Care, and Class in Global Development

Mwangi wa Githinji (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Class and the Developmental State

Snehashish Bhattacharya (New School University) Non/capital, Class and Development: Rethinking the Informal Economy in India

D2 [101] James Petras, Scholar and Revolutionary (Sponsored by *Critical Sociology*)

David Fasenfest (Wayne State University) Organizer and Chair

R.A. Dello Buono (Manhattan College) Keeping our Eye on the Ball: Petras on the Latin American Revolution

Fernando Leiva (State University of New York at Albany) Chile and the Formation of James Petras as a Revolutionary Intellectual

James W. Russell (Eastern Connecticut State University) The Anti-Imperialism of James Petras

Henry Veltmeyer (Saint Mary's University) Imperialism, Crisis and Class Struggle

James Petras (State University of New York at Binghamton) Comments

D3 [905-909] Major Aspects of Antonio Gramsci's Political Theory (Sponsored by International Gramsci Society)

Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of Notre Dame) Chair

Benedetto Fontana (Baruch College/City University of New York) The Politics of Space in Gramsci

Dhruv Jain (York University) Rethinking the Problem of Bureaucracy, 'Dialectical Separation' and Merger in *The Modern Prince*

Rita Medici (Università di Bologna) Gramsci: Marxism as a Philosophy of Praxis

Michele Fiorillo (Scuola Normale Superiore di Pisa) From Necessità to Freedom: On the Idea of Progress in Gramsci's Philosophy of Praxis

D4 [804-808] Roundtable on Financial capitalism: the legacy of Rudolf Hilferding's *Das Finanzkapital* Part II

Marcelo Milan (University of Wisconsin at Parkside) Organizer/Chair

Ozgur Orhangazi (Roosevelt University) Organizer

Ghassan Dibeh (Lebanese American University at Byblos)

Gerald Epstein (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

David Kotz (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

Marcelo Milan (University of Wisconsin at Parkside)

Robert Pollin (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

Ellen Russell (Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives)

William Smaldone (Willamette University)

Peter Wagner (University of Wisconsin at Whitewater)

D5 [811-815] Rethinking the Young Marx: 1841-1847, Part II

Marcello Musto (York University) Organizer and Chair

George Comninel (York University) Marx and the French Revolution

Terrell Carver (University of Bristol) The German Ideology Never Took Place!

Norman Levine (Institute for international Policy) Hegel as a Proto-Marxist

Michael Krätke (University of Lancaster) How to criticize political economy? Marx versus Proudhon

D6 [903] New Metrics of Inequality: Zizek, Violence, and their Ethnographic Implications

Boone Shear (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Christopher Sweetapple (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) In Defense of Shady Causes: On Leitkultur, For Example

Vin Lyon-Callo (Western Michigan University) Class and Racial Segregation in Michigan: Can There Be an Ethnography of Violence?

Boone Shear (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Charity, Violence, and Ethnography

D7 [803] Marx(ism) and Black Studies, Part II

James Ford (University of Notre Dame) Organizer and Chair

Njoroge Njoroge (University of Hawaii) Black Marxism and the Philosophy of Music

Ted Sammons (City University of New York) Black Consciousness and the Purchase of Neoliberalism

Cecilia Rio (Towson University) African American Women's Paid Domestic Labor and the Class Transition to Independent Commodity Production

D8 [904-908] Rethinking Economies: Rethinking Ecologies

Nathaniel Gabriel (Rutgers University) Chair and Organizer

Kevin St. Martin (Rutgers University) and Robert Snyder (Island Institute) Fishing for the Future: Enacting Alternative Markets and Community Economies in the Fisheries of New England

Ted White (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Growing, Harvesting and Propagating New Economies: Can Community Supported Agriculture Teach Us How to Create Diverse Economic Alternatives to Capitalism?

Nathaniel Gabriel (Rutgers University) Constructing Urban Nature: Environmentality and the Industrial Revolution

Eric Sarmiento (Rutgers University) Making Space for Possibility in Alternative Food Networks: Social Innovation and Emergent Subjectivities in the Oklahoma Food Cooperative

D9 [174] Dis/abling Marxism: A Roundtable Discussion on Disability Studies and Marxism

Liat Ben-Moshe (Syracuse University) Chair

Nate Johnson (Independent Scholar) Let's Get Physical

Marian Lupo (Ohio State University) The Crisis of Crisis Capitalism: Rethinking Rhetorics of Insurance/Disability

Renée Echols (University of Michigan) Labor and the Ability Society

Rachel Gorman (University of Toronto) Disabling Class: Disability, Labour Power, and the Expansion of Capital

Liat Ben-Moshe (Syracuse University) Disability Inc. (incarcerated) in the Prison-Institution-Industrial-Complex

Sandy O'Neill (Independent Scholar) On Killing the 'Crazies' and 'Cripples': Exploring the Nazi Campaigns Against People with Disabilities

D10 [917] Marx, Marxisms, and Social Institutions

Guillermina Seri (Union College) Dangerous Contempt: The Police in the Writings of Karl Marx

Christian Fuchs (University of Salzburg) Karl Marx and the Media

Marisol Sandoval (University of Salzburg) Marxian Philosophy as a Foundation for a Critique of the Political Economy of the Media

D11 [162-175] Sexual Politics Between State and Class (II): Sexualities, Pleasures, and Ethical Subjectivities

Svati Shah (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Christian Ravella (University of Washington) Sexual Properties: Dispossession and Freedom in Samuel Delany's *The Mad Man*

Merri Lisa Johnson (University of South Carolina Upstate) Dirty South: Another Look At Uses Of The Erotic — Queer Affect, Ludic Feminism, Materialist Praxis (and The Politics Of Trap Music)

Ara Wilson (Duke University) Sexual Latitudes: The Erotic Life Of Globalization

Drucilla Barker (University of South Carolina) Discussant

S. Charusheela (University of Nevada at Las Vegas) Discussant

D12 [165-169] Marxism and the Ecological Crisis

Elsa Wiehe (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Andrew W. Jones (St. Lawrence University) Ecological Problems in Capitalism and Socialism

Elsa Wiehe (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Race, Class, and the Environment: Exploring Children's Negotiations of State Discourses on Sustainable Development on Mauritius

Kevin Sutton (York University) The Scramble for Substitutes and the Struggle for Alternatives: Authoritarian and Democratic Responses to Peak Oil

Ganesh Trichur (Bates College) Ecological Futures of China's Expanded Reproduction

D13 [176] From Community Life-Space Reclamation to a Socialist Society: Making the Case for a Socialist Party Today

Jeff Noonan (University of Windsor) Organizer and Chair

Jamey Essex (University of Windsor) The Limits of the Local: Decommodification, Local Food Activism, and Fed Up Windsor

Jeff Noonan (University of Windsor) Making the Case for Socialism Today

Michael Joseph Roberto (North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University) Irreversible Crisis, Socialist Transition, and the Case for a Party

D14 [911-915] *Capital as Power (IV): State of Capital*

Daniel Moure (York University) Chair

Gibin Hong (Financial Economy Institute, Seoul) The Capital Control Complex: Twentieth-Century Capitalism

Joe Francis (London School of Economics and Political Science) On Capitalism and the Passions: The Case of State Terrorism in Argentina

Sean Starr (York University) Transnational Capital and American Power: Coming to Terms with the Contemporary Era

D15 [163C] Language, Discourse, and Dialectics

Phil Kozel (Rollins College) Chair

Phil Kozel (Rollins College) Pirates and Property

Jeff Van der Aa (University of Jyväskylä) How Marxism Contributes to Our Understanding of Language: Dell Hymes' Early Engagement

Banu Bargu (The New School for Social Research) Machiavellian Marxism? Constitutionalism, Republicanism, and Democracy

Donald Mender (Yale University) Quantum Dialectics and the Liberation of Work

D16 [805-809] Critical Political Economy: Class Conflict, Technology and Rationality

Aaron Pacitti (Sienna College) Organizer and Chair

Aaron Pacitti (Sienna College) Efficiency Wages and Class Conflict: New Perspectives on the Disciplinary Function of Unemployment

Daniel Tavani (Colorado State University) The Role of Technology in Factors-Discipline and the Bias of Technical Change: A Microeconomic Analysis

Alina C. Hogeia (Temple University) and Matthias Thiemann (Columbia University) Finance Capitalism's Legitimation Crisis? The Dangerous Lack of Formal and Substantive Rationality



Saturday 9:00-10:20

E1 [904-908] Subjectivity and Communism: Moving Beyond Theoretical Humanisms

Julie Graham (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Yahya Madra (Gettysburg College) and Ceren Özselçuk (Bogaziçi University) "Forms of the Commune" and the Question of Subjectivity

Stephen Healy (Worcester State College) Performing Green Economies: Communism and Subjectivation

Gerda Roelvink (Centre for Citizenship and Public Policy, University of Western Sydney, and Community Economies Collective) Species-Being in the Anthropocene

E2 [168C] Commemorating the Life and Work of Giovanni Arrighi (Sponsored by *Critical Sociology*)

David Fasenfest (Editor of *Critical Sociology*) Chair and Organizer

William Martin (State University of New York at Binghamton) Arrighian Confluences: Adam Smith in Pretoria?

Patrick Manning (University of Pittsburgh) Giovanni Arrighi, Africa, and the World

Harry Dahms (University of Tennessee) Schumpeter Reloaded: Arrighi

and the 21st Century

Beverly Silver (Johns Hopkins University) Discussant

E3 [174] Specters Old and New: Confronting Communism and Anti-Communism in Contemporary History, Theory, and Political Rhetoric" (Sponsored by *Cultural Logic*)

Joe Ramsey (*Cultural Logic*) Organizer and Chair

Grover Furr (Montclair State University) Revolution in Soviet History - the Soviet Archives "Speak"

Joe Ramsey (*Cultural Logic*) How Real is Zizek's (Re)Turn to Revolutionary Communism?

Barbara Foley (Rutgers University) Confronting Covert Anticommunism in the Rhetoric of President Barack Obama

E4 [804-808] The Materiality of Nations

Serap Kayatekin (The American College of Thessaloniki) Organizer

Neil Davidson (University of Strathclyde) The Necessity of Multiple Nation-States for Capital

Radhika Desai (University of Manitoba) Against the Cosmopolitan Bias: The Political Economy of Inter-National Capitalism

E5 [101] *Capital as Power (V): The Dual View: Power in Economics, Capital in Politics*

Joe Francis (London School of Economics and Political Science) Chair

Gilbert Skillman (Wesleyan University) Revisiting Marx's Structural Analysis of the Circuit of Capital: Commodification of Labor Power and Subsumption of Labor under Capital

Luis Fernando Medina (University of Virginia) Capital and the Limits to Electoral Redistribution

Claudio H. Dos Santos (Levy Economics Institute & IPEA) and Antonio Carlos Macedo e Silva (University of Campinas) Dealing

with Power in Macroeconomic Models: A Stock-Flow Consistent Perspective

E6 [165-169] John M. Cammett's Contributions to Marxism and Gramscian Studies (Sponsored by International Gramsci Society)

Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of Notre Dame) Chair

Frank Rosengarten (*Socialism and Democracy*) John Cammett, Antonio Gramsci, and the first Socialist Scholars Conference, 1965-1970

Benedetto Fontana (Baruch College/CUNY) John Cammett and the Democratic Philosopher: History, Politics and Theory in Gramsci's Marxism

Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of Notre Dame) John Cammett and the Renewal of Marxist Thought

E7 [917] Historical Archaeology and the New Marxian Times, Part I

LouAnn Wurst (Western Michigan University) Organizer and Chair

Thomas C. Patterson (University of California at Riverside) An Archaeology of Race Theory in the Histories of Early U.S. Anthropology: Where Are the Abolitionist and Subaltern Voices?

Stephen A. Mrozowski (University of Massachusetts at Boston) Marxism, Pragmatism and An Archaeology of the Future

Robert Paynter (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The National Historic Landscape as a Contested Terrain: The Case of the W.E.B. Du Bois Boyhood Homesite in Great Barrington, Massachusetts

E8 [903] Radical Political Change: Some Theoretical Aspects

Parakh Hoon (Virginia Tech University) Becoming Modern? Everyday Forms of Clientelism in an African Democracy

Janell Watson (Virginia Tech University) The Dark Side of Multiplicity,

or Mathematics of Politics in Badiou, Deleuze, and Serres

Kenneth Surin (Duke University) Radical Desire

E9 [803] Peasants, Politics, and Production

Mwangi wa Githinji (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Zhun Zu (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The Political Myth of Land Privatization in China

Hasan Tekguc (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The Importance of Land Ownership for Family Food Security

Rajesh Bhattacharya (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Peasants in Contemporary India

Zhaochang Peng (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Rethinking the Incentive Problem of Collective Farming in Maoist China

E10 [162-175] Filming Alternatives to Capitalism

Todd McGowan (University of Vermont) Chair

Todd McGowan (University of Vermont) How the Disaster Film Can Save the World

Sheila Kunkle (Metropolitan State University) Contingency, Causality, and the Disappearance of Capitalism: Imagining a Different Reality through Film

Jason Clemence (Tufts University) Parody, Pornography, Panopticism, Perversion, and Pasolini (Or, Sexuality and the State in *Salò*)

E11 [905-909] Feminism and Class Globally

Brooke Merideth Campbell (Colby College) Chair

Mia Son (Kangwon National University) The Politico-economical Status for Women Care Workers in the Transitional Era of Economic Crisis

Calvin Hui (Duke University) The Dialectic of Ideology and Utopia:

Feminism, Equality, and Difference in Post-Socialist China

Brooke Meredith Campbell (Colby College) Lost in Translation:
Prostitution and the Feminist Erasure of Class

E12 [176] Authoritarianism, Neoliberalism, and the Possibilities of Democracy and Socialism

George Ciccariello-Maher (University of California at Berkeley)
Building Dual Power

Joseph Feinberg (University of Chicago) Can Socialism Go Back to the
Power?

Bob Tanner (Independent Scholar) The Dictatorship of the Proletariat
and Freedom

Matt Whitt (Vanderbilt University) Neoliberal Sovereignty and Its
Challenges to Democratic Self-Determination

E13 [805-809] The Hegemonic Reproduction of Militarization Culture

Brian Martin Murphy (Niagara University) Organizer and Chair

Mary Sterpka King (Northeastern University) The Economic and Labor
Implications of Military Restructuring and the Network Centric
Operational Paradigm

Brian Martin Murphy (Niagara University) The Inter-Operability
Imperative: The Spread of the Network Centric Warfare Industry and
Ideology from the Pentagon to NATO and other "Allies"

Randal Nichols (Bentley University) History Belongs to the Winners:
Video Games as Ideological Apparatus

E14 [911-915] Art, Literature, Marxism, and Culture

Kimberly Macellaro (Rice University) Grappling with Her Historical
Moment: Sui Sin Far's Representation of Multiple Horizons of Social
Reality

Benli Schecter (University of Maryland at College Park) Reading

Trotsky in New York City: An Assessment of the Old Man's
Contribution to Partisan Review

Michael Stein (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Atmosphere,
Advertising, and Orange Juice

Richard Van Dyke (Lock Haven University) Radical Triangles for
Writers in New Marxian Times

E15 [163C] New Developments in Marxian Political Economics

Iren Levina (University of Massachusetts Amherst) Chair

Tomas Nielsen Rotta (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) and
Rodrigo Alves Teixeira (University of Sao Paulo) Modern Rent
Bearing Capital: New Enclosures, Knowledge-Rent and the
Reproduction of Valueless Commodities

Iren Levina (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Interest Bearing
Capital, Loanable Capital, and Dialectic of Circuit of Money Form of
Capital

Izabel Cristina Lima (Federal University of Minas Gerais) and Sueli
Moro (Federal University of Minas Gerais) The Rate of Surplus
Value, the Organic Composition of Capital, and the General Rate of
Profit in the Brazilian Economy, for the Period 1966-2006

E16 [811-815] Reconsidering Marx

Daniel Brudney (University of Chicago) Marx's Concern/Appreciation
Ideal

Renzo Llorente (Saint Louis University at Madrid) On Privileging the
Proletariat: Notes on Marxism's "Labor Metaphysics" and Marx's
Concept of a "Universal Class"

Jorgen Sandemose (University of Oslo) Marx, Hobbes, and Spinoza

Felizar Lozada (University of the Philippines) Enchantment and
Emancipation: Retelling Marx Through the Supernatural Perspective



Saturday 10:30-12:00

F1 [163C] The Crisis of Global Capitalism-Another Political Economy is Possible (II) (Sponsored by Global Studies Association and *Critical Sociology*)

Lauren Langman (Loyola University of Chicago) Organizer and Chair

Peter Hudis (Oakton Community College) The Legacy of Rosa Luxemburg in Light of the Ongoing Economic Crisis

Rick Wolff (University of Massachusetts at Amherst and New School for Social Research) The Crisis: A Surplus-focused Class Analysis

Lauren Langman, (Loyola University of Chicago) Capital and Crises: Toward a New Socialism or Old Barbarism?

David Schweikert (Loyola University of Chicago) Yes, Virginia, There Is An Alternative

F2 [165-169] Marx's *Grundrisse* 150 Years Later, Part I.

Marcello Musto (York University) Organizer and Chair

Terrell Carver (University of Bristol) Marx's conception of alienation in the *Grundrisse*

George Comninel (York University) Historical Materialism and Pre-capitalist Modes of Production in the *Grundrisse*

Kevin Anderson (University of California at Santa Barbara) From the

Grundrisse to *Capital*: Marx at the Margins

Pareesh Chattopadhyay (University of Montreal) Communism in the *Grundrisse*

F3 [811-815] Open Forum: Public Higher Education in Crisis: A View From the University of California

Joseph Childers (Dean, University of California at Riverside)

Stephen Cullenberg (Dean, University of California at Riverside)

F4 [904-908] Building a Solidarity Economy: Concepts and Practices for Economic Transformation

Ethan Miller (US Solidarity Economy Network) Chair

Ethan Miller (US Solidarity Economy Network) Solidarity Economy: Articulating Livelihoods Beyond Capitalism

Craig Borowiak (Haverford College) Solidarity Economy: Utopian Socialism for the 21st Century?

Julie Matthaei (US Solidarity Network and Wellesley College) Women, Feminism and the Solidarity Economy

F5 [168C] Sexual Politics Between State and Class (III): Capitalist Logics/ Heteronormative logics: Unsettling Assumptions

Jyoti Puri (Simmons College) Chair

Drucilla Barker (University of South Carolina) Queering Care

Randy Albelda (University of Massachusetts at Boston) Heteronormativity and Employment and Anti-Poverty Policies in the US: The Gendered- Class Divide

Kate Bedford (University of Kent) Bingo and Economic Development: Gender, Sexuality, and Class in Attempts to Regenerate Capitalism through Gambling

Colin Danby (University of Washington at Bothell) Discussant

Suzanne Bergeron (University of Michigan at Dearborn) Discussant

F6 [101] Agrifood Alternatives: Messier than Michelle's Garden

Lisa Markowitz (University of Louisville) Chair

Arthur Lizie (Bridgewater State College) Food Sovereignty: What Happens If The People Don't Care?

Lisa Markowitz (University of Louisville) Tensions at the Table: Whose Food System is It, Anyway?

Charalampos Konstantinidis (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Revisiting the Agrarian Question - Rural Transformations in Europe and Class Analysis

Elizabeth Ramey (Hobart and William Smith Colleges) "The Farmer Takes a Wife": Family Farm Feudalism and Agrarian Ideology

F7 [917] Historical Archaeology and the New Marxian Times, Part II

LouAnn Wurst (Western Michigan University) Organizer and Chair

Quentin Lewis (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The Contradictions of Rural Capitalism in Western Massachusetts

Hadley Kruczek-Aaron (State University of New York at Potsdam) An Archaeology of Social Movements and Social Relations: Lessons from Nineteenth-Century New York State

Charles Orser

Maria O'Donovan (Binghamton University) A Tale of One City: Urban Transformations in Binghamton, NY

LouAnn Wurst (Western Michigan University) and Christine Ridarsky (University of Rochester) Saving Farms? Archeological Reflections on the New New Deal

F8 [804-809] The Accumulation of Capital (Sponsored by Research in Political Economy)

Paul Zarembka (State University of New York at Buffalo) Organizer and Chair

Paul Zarembka (State University of New York at Buffalo) A Marxist Modeling of Capitalism, Suggesting Theoretical Over-emphasis on Accumulation of Capital

Jørgen Sandemose (University of Oslo) The Marxian Concept of Accumulation

Victor Kasper Jr. (Buffalo State College) A Simulation Model of Marxist Accumulation: An Analysis of the Financial Crises of 2008-2009

Samantha Ashman (University of the Witwatersrand) Neoliberalism, Financialisation and the Crisis in South Africa

F9 [903] Capital as Power (VI): Money & Finance

Gibin Hong (Financial Economy Institute, Seoul) Chair

Jongchul Kim (York University) Goldsmith-Banking as an Institutionalization of Trust

Sandy Brian Hager (York University) Financial Intermediation and Flow of Funds Accounting: A Power Perspective

Ulf Martin (Germany) Towards a Power Theory of Money

F10 [162-175] Globalization, Marginalization, and Marxist Analysis

Alin Rus (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Alin Rus (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Marxism as Linguistic/Conceptual Underpinning for Post-Socialist Romanian Political Confrontations

Cassandra Markoe (University of California at Los Angeles) Ethnography as an Integrated and Humanizing Methodology for

Studies of Marginalized People

Mark Salvaggio (University of Nevada at Las Vegas) and Lazri DiSalvo (University of Connecticut) Revolutionary Tourism: Revolutionary Subjectivity, Performativity, and Commodity Fetishism

F11 [905-909] Marxism, Subjective Differences, and the Possibilities of Equality

Renee Echols (University of Michigan) The Crusoe Myth: Labor Value and the Ability Society

Rachel Gorman (University of Toronto) Marxism, Disability, and Global Imperialism: Toward a Dialectical Materialist Disability Studies

Audrey Kallenberger (Independent Scholar) Rethinking Marxism: Rancière Notions of Identity, Difference and Equality

F12 [803] Maoism, Badiou, and the Renewal of the Communist Project

Bill Martin (DePaul University of Chicago) Organizer and Chair

Mike Ely (The Kasama Project) Maoist Conjuncture and Badiou's Event

John Stevenson (Columbia College of Chicago) Maoist 'Voluntarism' and Badiou's Onto-political Thinking

Bill Martin (DePaul University of Chicago) Badiou and Post-Maoism

F13 [176] Utopia, Religion, and Violence

Manuel Yang (Bowling Green State University) Chair

Jason Kosnoski (University of Michigan at Flint) Specter and Spirit: Ernst Bloch and Jacques Derrida and the Work of Marxist Utopia

Jeff Ewing (Independent Scholar) Can There Be a Critique of Earth Without a Critique of Heaven?: A Reevaluation of the Marxian Critique of Religion

Manuel Yang (Bowling Green State University) A Utopian Map of the World: Oscar Wilde's "The Soul of Man Under Socialism" and the

Libertarian Socialist Traditions of Anarchism and Marxism

Jed Murr (University of Washington) Conjuring the Hydra: Critical Utopianism, Neoliberalism and Systemic Violence

F14 [174] Money, Labor, and Commodity Fetishism

Edward Erickson (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Faruk Eray Düzenli (Denison University) Hegelian Idealism, Commodity Fetishism, and Marxist Critique

Edward Erickson (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The Mystical Force of Money

Pu Wang (New York University) From "Commodity Fetishism" to "Teleological Positioning": The Problematic of Labor in Lukács' Theoretical Trajectory

Justin Holt (New York University at Gallatin) The Choice of Economic Systems in the Rawlsian Original Position

F15 [805-809] Unraveling the Big Three Debacles: Oil, Banking, and Climate Change

Kenneth Levin (Borough of Manhattan Community College) Chair

Fabian Balardini (City University of New York) The Struggle to Appropriate Excess Profits in the International Oil Industry: Hybrid State-run National Oil Companies (NOCs) vs. Capitalist International Oil Companies (IOCs)

Kenneth Levin (Borough of Manhattan Community College) Capital in Recovery

Mohammad Soleymani (Borough of Manhattan Community College) Political Economy of Oil: Case Study of Saudi Arabia and Iran

F16 [911-915] RM/AESA Book Session: *Unions and Class Transformation: The Case of Broadway Musicians* by Cathy Mulder

Michael Hillard (University of Southern Maine)

Vin Lyon-Callo (Western Michigan University)

Cathy Mulder (John Jay College of Criminal Justice-City University of New York)

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Saturday 1:00-2:20

G1 [Herter East Gallery] *Rethinking Marxism: Meet the Editors*

S. Charusheela (University of Nevada at Las Vegas) Chair

Serap Kayatekin (The American College of Thessaloniki)

Joseph Childers (University of California at Riverside)

Susan Jahoda (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)

Elizabeth Ramey (Hobart and William Smith Colleges)

Philip Kozel (Rollins College)

G2 [803] Roundtable Discussion: *Writing Stories with a Hammer - But Where's the Sickle? How Working Class Writers Create and Publish Working Class Stories*

Tim Sheard (Veteran Nurse and Working Class Writer of the Lenny Moss Crime Novels)

Marcial Gonzalez (Author and Literary Critic)

Jane Latour (Labor Historian and Author of a Collection of Stories by Women in Nontraditional Occupations)

Ernie Brill (Novelist, Literary critic, and Teacher of Working Class Stories and Poems)

G3 [917] Marxist Insights on Nationalism and Imperialism

Bertell Ollman (New York University) Toward a Marxist Theory of Patriotism/Nationalism

John Schwarzmantel (University of Leeds) Marxism and Nationalism in a Globalised Age

Christian Fuchs (University of Salzburg) Reloading Lenin for the Study of New Imperialism

Radhika Desai (University of Manitoba) Developmental and Cultural Nationalisms: Report from a Project

G4 [168C] The 'Ontology' of the Left in Latin America: Figuring the Working Class in the Era of its Disappearance, Part I

Alessandro Fornazzari (University of California at Riverside) Organizer and Chair

Alessandro Fornazzari (University of California at Riverside) Towards a Materialist Critique for our Times: Theorizing Labor Beyond Human Capital and Virtuosity

Jon Beasley-Murray (University of British Columbia) Beyond the Working Class: The Multitude as Ontological Persistence in Latin American Development and Resistance

Sergio Villalobos-Ruminott (University of Arkansas) The Co-Belonging of Marxist and Liberal Historiographies in Chile

Oscar Cabezas (Concordia University) The Marxist Notion of the Working Class in Latin American Cinema

G5 [165-169] Althusserian Genealogies: Fifty Years after Montesquieu: *La Politique et l'Histoire*

David McNerney (University of South Australia) Organizer and Chair

Mikko Lahtinen (University of Tampere, Finland) and Juha Koivisto (Finnish Academy, Helsinki), The Concept of Conjuncture Between Gramsci and Althusser

Peter Thomas (Finnish Academy, Helsinki; Jan van Eyck Academy, Maastricht) Althusser's "Marx in his Limits"

David McNerney (University of South Australia) Reading Althusser on Oriental Despotism

Thomas Carmichael (University of Western Ontario) Partisanship, Indifference, and a New Practice of Philosophy: Althusser's Lenin

G6 [162-175] Worker Cooperatives in the Pioneer Valley and Beyond

Janelle Cornwell (University of Massachusetts and Community Economies Collective) Chair

Janelle Cornwell (University of Massachusetts and Community Economies Collective)

Michael Johnson (Ganas Community)

Adam Trott (Valley Alliance of Worker Cooperatives and Collective Copies)

G7 [101] Gramsci: History, Biopolitics, and Literature (Sponsored by International Gramsci Society)

Marcus E. Green (Otterbein College) Chair

Ian McKay (Queen's University) From Polemic to Reconnaissance: A Gramscian Prescription for Left History

Marco Antonio de Meneses Silva (University of Kent) Revisiting the Transnational Historic Bloc Thesis

Vincent Adiutori (University of Illinois at Chicago) Disciplined to Control: The Human of Capital

Yuri Brunello (University of Rome) Gramsci-Pirandello: From Theatre Criticism to the *Prison Notebooks*

G8 [811-815] Marxism and Marxists Historically

Manuel Yang (Bowling Green State University) E.P. Thompson, Yoshimoto Takaaki, and Anglo-Japanese Marxism

August Nitz (University of Minnesota) The Social Democratic 'School of Falsification': The Strange Case of Adam Przeworski

Brendan Hennessey (University of California at Los Angeles) Tracing National-Popular Interference: A Reception of Gramsci's Prison Notebooks in Italy (1950)

Lawrin Armstrong (University of Toronto) The Organic Intellectuals of Early Renaissance Florence

G9 [805-809] *Capital as Power (VII): The Scope and Limits of Capitalization*

Sandy Brian Hager (York University) Chair

D.T. Cochrane (York University) The Power of Love: A Power Theory Analysis of the De Beers Cartel

Tim Di Muzio (University of Helsinki) Capitalizing a Future Unsustainable: Global Energy and the Fate of Market Civilization

Kevin Sutton (York University) Powering Production and Accumulation: A Biophysical and Financial Analysis of the United States Energy Supply, 1950-2008

G10 [903] Health and Health Care Globally

Wei Zhang (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) The Impacts of Public Employment on Health and Health Inequality

Christoph Hermann (Working Life Research Centre and University of Vienna) The Marketisation of Health Care in Europe

Jason Borenstein (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) A Class Analysis of Health in the United States: A Rising Rate of Exploitation and Declining Health

G11 [174] Roundtable: Event of Women: History Global and Transnational

Yukiko Hanawa (New York University) Organizer

Tani E. Barlow (Rice University)

Jocelyn Olcott (Duke University)

Yukiko Hanawa (New York University)

G12 [163C] Temporal Value Theory at a Moment of Capital Crisis: Pedagogical Workshop (Sponsored by *Critique of Political Economy* and Marxist-Humanist Initiative)

Alan Freeman (University of Manitoba)

Andrew Kliman (Pace University)

G13 [904-908] Marxism, Media Studies, and Popular Culture

Carlin Elinore Wing (Harvard University) Hitting Walls: The Performance of Limits

Marisol Sandoval (University of Salzburg) Critical Theory-Foundations of Alternative Media Studies

Olga Kopenkina. (Independent Artist/Curator) Reading Lenin with Corporations

Constance Balides (Tulane University) Archive Cinema: Historicity, Heterotopia and History Writing

G14 [804-808] Film Screening and Discussion with Filmmaker: *Story of a Placard*

Juan Carlos Henao Castro (Fundacion Universidad de Cine)

G15 [905-909] Sympathy, Hope, and Poetics

Rochelle Green (Goucher College) The Body of Hope in Phenomenology and Marxism

Michael John Ristich (Wayne State University) Forgotten Sympathizers, Or the Rhetoric of Sympathy

Asaf Shamis. (The Graduate Center/The City University of New York) The Poetics of Marxism

G16 [911-915] Reconsidering Benjamin

Christopher Cutrone (School of the Art Institute of Chicago and Platypus Affiliated Society) Adorno and Benjamin's Philosophy of History: The Challenge of the History of the Left to the Progressive View of History

Alfred Frankowski (University of Oregon) Reframing the Task of History: Ideology, Death, Allegory and the Philosophy of History in Benjamin and DuBois

Donald Hedrick (Kansas State University) Productive Boredom-Labor

G17 [176] Rethinking Politics

John Kane (St. Joseph's College) Chair

John Kane (St. Joseph's College) Sobriety and its Discontents: American Politics in a 'Post-American World'

Fred Zaman (Independent Scholar) The Mainspring of United States Realpolitik: America's Redistribution of Wealth Upward

Fragano S. Ledgister (Clark Atlanta University) The First Caribbean President? Uprising on the Southern Flank

Matthew Morgan (York University) Towards New Revolutionary

Parties for the 21st Century: Lessons From the Past, Thoughts on the Future



Saturday 2:30-4:30

H1[174] *Commonwealth* and Marxism: A Discussion of the New Book by Michael Hardt and Antonio Negri

David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame) Organizer and Chair

Michael Hardt (Duke University)

Enrique Dussel (Universidad Autónoma de México)

Ceren Özselçuk (Bogaziçi University)

H2 [197] Marxist Perspectives on Global Environmental Concerns

Ariel Salleh (University of Sydney) Climate Crisis: Common but Differentiated Responses

Michelle Yates (University of California at Davis) Ecology, the Labor Theory of Value, and the Historical Specificity of Capitalism

Andrianna Vlachou (Athens University of Economics and Business) Evaluating the EU's Emissions Trading System

Brooke I. Chichakly (Marquette University) A Marxist Perspective of Global Environmental Inequity

H3 (165-169) Althusser after Althusser

Warren Montag (Occidental College) Chair

Warren Montag (Occidental College) Althusser, Foucault and Machiavelli (1975-1976)

Spencer Jackson (UCLA) The Khora, the Void and the Art of Making Space

Matthew Bonal (University of California at Berkeley) Althusser and Machiavelli on the Question of State Formation

H4 [904-908] Community Currencies in Action!

Karen Werner (Community Economies Collective)

John Bagert (Cape Cod Time Bank)

Cheryl Davis (Cape Ann Time Bank)

Katherine Ellin (Cambridge Time Trade Circle)

Asa Hardcastle (Berkshares)

Alex Jarrett (Florence Food Buying Time Bank)

Patrick Phillips (Martha's Vineyard Time Bank)

Louisa Rosenheck (Cambridge Time Trade Circle)

Karen Werner (North Quabbin Time Bank)

H5 [176] Marx's *Grundrisse* 150 Years Later, Part II

Marcello Musto (York University) Organizer and Chair

Moishe Postone (University of Chicago) Rethinking *Capital* in Light of the *Grundrisse*

Michael Krätke (University of Lancaster) Marx versus Marx: How Marx Had Reinvented Political Economy in an Age of Crisis

Fred Moseley (Mt. Holyoke College) Marx's Theory of the Distribution of Surplus-Value in the *Grundrisse*

Yutaka Nagahara (Hosei University) Reading *Grundrisse* from
Capital

H6 [168C] The 'Ontology' of the Left in Latin America: Figuring the Working Class in the Era of its Disappearance, Part II

Alessandro Fornazzari (University of California at Riverside)
Organizer and Chair

Pablo Perez Wilson (Cornell University) Between Hegel and Marx:
Notes on Juan Rivano

Marta Hernandez Salvan (University of California at Riverside)
Before and After the Law: Sovereignty and the Value of Blood

Karen Benezra (Cornell University) Letters to a General: On the Event
and Failure of the Peronist Left

H7 [162-175] Marxist Analysis and Critical Responses: Economic Crisis and Creative Labor

Patricia Keaton (Ramapo College of New Jersey) Chair and Organizer

Bonnie Blake (Ramapo College of New Jersey) Visual
Communications, Design, Multimedia: The New Itinerant Worker

Patricia Keaton (Ramapo College of New Jersey) Media
Concentration and the New International Division of Labor

Jane Pirone (New School University/Parsons School of Design) New
Battlegrounds for Creative Labor -- Who Does the Work? Who Gets
the Pay?

Susan Ryan (The College of New Jersey) The Creative Labor Crunch in
News and Television: Media Work in Crisis

H8 [804-808] Dialogue on the Economic Crisis: "Temporal Value Theory at a Moment of Crisis" Roundtable (Sponsored

by Critique of Political Economy and Marxist-Humanist Initiative)

David Calnitsky (University of Wisconsin) Capitalist Competition, Self-
Organization, and Crisis

Brendan Cooney (Kapitalism 101 Video Blogger) Crisis, Value, and
Marx's "Order of Operations"

Radhika Desai (University of Manitoba) The Demand Problem in the
Current Crisis: Marxist and Keynesian Reflections

Alan Freeman (University of Manitoba) How did 1929 End?

Andrew Kliman (Pace University) Contradictions of Capitalism's Value
Production: Internal, Inevitable, Insuperable

H9 [101] Roundtable on the Antonio Gramsci Dictionary (Sponsored by International Gramsci Society)

Derek Boothman (Università di Bologna)

Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of Notre Dame)

Marcus E. Green (Otterbein College)

Peter Ives (University of Winnipeg)

H10 [163C] Sexual Politics Between State and Class (IV): Sexuality and Class Imaginaries in State Policy

S. Charusheela (University of Nevada at Las Vegas) Chair

Geeta Patel (University of Virginia) Class Discernments: How Does
One Look at What Can't Be Seen?

Colin Danby (University of Washington at Bothell) Postwar Norm:
The United Nations, Family, and Population

Jyoti Puri (Simmons College) Analytics of Sodomy and the State

Kate Bedford () Discussant

Svati Shah (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Discussant

H11 [803] Analyzing India Through the Lens of Marxism

Vishnapud Mishra (Hampshire College and Columbia University)
Affect, Risk and Insurance in Post-Reform India

Henry Schwarz (Georgetown University) Marxist Aesthetic Theory and
Political Resistance in Contemporary Indian Performance

Deepika Marya (University of Southern Maine) Failure of Progressive
Writers Movement in India: A Critical Examination

Sreela Sarkar (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) New
Technologies and Development Initiatives: Questions of labor and
class among minority women in Delhi

H12 [805-809] Sexuality, Class and the Production of Gendered Subjects

Cristian Lo Iacono (University of Turin) Queering Work and
Affectiveness

Gina M. Sully (University of Nevada, Las Vegas) Gender, Genre, and
Consumption: The Constitution of Identities and the Interpellation of
Subjects

Debra Antoncic (Queen's University) Masculinity and Nationalism in
Quebec

Andrea Miller (University of South Carolina Upstate) Blunt
Representations: A Geography of the Heterosexual Imaginary,
Subjectivity, and Neo-Imperialist Shakedown in Showtime's *Weeds*

H13 [911-915] Reconsidering Althusser, Hegel, Marx

Larry Miller (University of Massachusetts at Dartmouth) Althusser
and the Possum: Notes Toward an Investigation of Subjectivity and
Ideology

Jonathan Diskin (Earlham College) Althusser's Hegel and the City as a
Totality

Tai Young-Taft (New York University) Labor, Society, and Capitalism:
Beginning of an Outline of Reality and Interpretation in Marx

H14 [811-815] Reconsidering Education

Amanda Walker Johnson (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)
Profiting from Failure: Race, Neoliberalism, and Public School
"Turnarounds"

Jonathan Church (Arcadia University) and Wesley Shumar (Drexel
University) Cutting Costs, Creating Commodities: Wither the
University

Jordy Cummings (York University) The Point is to Dismantle It:
Examining the Purpose of Socialist Academia

Christian Chun (University of Toronto) Intertextualities of
Neoliberalism in an English Language Classroom: Contesting the
Constructing of 'Global' Subjectivities?

Tom States (York University) eRacism

H15 [903] States of Futurity: Internment, Legitimacy, and the Time of Sacrifice

Tim Deines (Michigan State University) Is Political Legitimacy
Thinkable after the State?

Scott Michaelsen (Michigan State University) The Time of Sacrifice

Anthony Sze-Fai Shiu (University of Missouri at Kansas City)
'Startling' Citizenship: Rethinking Ethics and State Power

H16 [905-909] Labor, Appropriation, and Accumulation

Elliot Buckland (York University) Capital and Cunning: The Non-
Identarian Character of Accumulation

Onur Ulas Ince (Cornell University) Rethinking Primitive Accumulation:
Constitutive Outside of Capitalism

Brian Brown (University of Western Ontario) Primitive Digital
Accumulation: 'Privacy' and Social Networks as Oxymoronic
Concepts

Ozan Isler (University of California at Riverside) Social Necessity, Use-

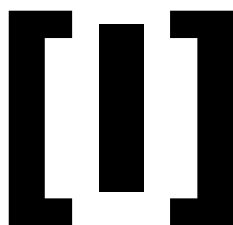
Value and Surplus in the Everyday

H17 [Herter East Gallery] Time/Value/Exchange: Exploring Alternative Economies Through Collaborative Public Art in Amherst MA

Wendy Ewald (Artist in Residence at Amherst College) Discussant

Joseph Krupczynski (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)
Discussant

Rick Lowe (Artist, Project Row Houses) Discussant



Saturday 4:30-6:00

I1 [101] Women, Economy, and Em(power)ment: Transnational Feminist Perspectives

Carole Biewener (Simmons College) and Marie-Hélène Bacqué (Université Paris) The Turn to Empowerment in International Development: What Class Politics are at Play?

Chizo Satu (University of Wageningen) Articulating Empowerment with Class

Drucilla Barker (University of South Carolina) Care Work and Disposable Populations

Suzanne Bergeron (University of Michigan at Dearborn) Discussant

Julie Graham (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Discussant

I2 [163C] Interrogating the Civil Society Agenda: Social Movements, Civic Participation and Democratic Innovation (Sponsored by Social Movements and 21st Century Cultural-Political Transformations: An Inter-University Consortium on the Americas in Comparative and Transnational Perspective)

Graciela Monteagudo (University of Massachusetts at Amherst)
Organizer and Chair

Kiran Asher (Clark University) Contesting Nature, Conserving the Environment in Colombia and India

Millie Thayer (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Feminists Negotiate with/in the Neoliberal Market

Margara Millan (Facultad de Ciencias Politicas y Sociales, UNAM) Fragmentos Mexicanos: Biopolitica Neoliberal y Resistencia

Matilde Ribeiro (de la Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Sao Paulo - Nucleo de Estudos Sobre) Negras e negros brasileiros construindo uma outra historia Movimentos Sociais

Michal Osterweil (University of North Carolina) Discussant

I3 [165-169] Monsters, Beasts, Courage, and Critique: Spinoza and the Future of Marxism

Warren Montag (Occidental College) Moderator

Sue Ruddick (University of Toronto) Beyond Te(r)atology

Hasana Sharp (McGill University) Humanism and Antinomian Dialectics: Spinoza on Beasts

Ted Stolze (Cerritos College) An Ethics for Marxism: Spinoza on Fortitude

Caroline Williams (University of London) Reconfiguring Political Subjectivity: Spinoza, Althusser, Badiou

14 [174] Ecosocialism or Ecocatastrphe? (Sponsored by Praxis Research and Education Center, *New Politics Magazine*, the Ecosocialist International Network, Metro DC Science for the People)

Richard Greeman (Victor Serge Foundation) Organizer

Jenny Greeman (Environmental Activist, Actor/Director *New Perspectives Theater*) Chair

Brian Tokar (Institute for Social Ecology) *Toward a Movement for Peace and Climate Justice*

David Schwartzman (Howard University) *Solar Communism NOW*

Richard Greeman (Victor Serge Foundation) *How to Get From Here (ecocatastrphe) to There (ecosocialism)?*

15 [804-808] Is There a Crisis for Capitalism Today?

David Kotz (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) *The Current Crisis of Capitalism and Marxist Crisis Theory*

Tyler Shipley (York University) *Live Richly!: Class Struggle and the Economic Collapse of 2008-09*

Özgür Orhangazi (Roosevelt University) *Marxian and Other Approaches to the Financial Crisis: Complementarities and Contradictions*

Christian Fuchs (Salzburg University) *The Crisis of Capitalism and the Information Economy*

16 [917] FORUM: Imagineering Green Economies

Stephen Healy (Worcester State College) Organizer and Facilitator

Boone Shear (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Organizer and Facilitator

17 [176] Politics, Struggle, and the Possibilities of Resistance Today

Andrew Culp (Ohio State University) Chair

John O'Conner (Central Connecticut State University) (Masked) *Identity Politics: A Marxist Critique of the "New Anarchism"*

Beth Gonzalez (Institute for the Study of the Science of Society) and Walda Katz-Fishman (Howard University) *Economic Revolution and Political Struggle Today*

Andrew Culp (Ohio State University) *Social War in the Coming Insurrection*

18 [903] RM/AESA Book Session: Roundtable Discussion with the authors of *Sublime Economy: On the Intersection of Art and Economics* by Jack Amariglio, Joseph Childers, and Stephen Cullenberg

Phil Kozel (Rollins College) Organizer and Chair

Joe Childers (University of California at Riverside)

Jack Amariglio (Merrimack College)

Steve Cullenberg (University of California at Riverside)

19 [803] Global Labor Movements in a Historical Perspective

Jeremy Green (York University) *The Uneven Development of European Labour Movements: Reading Working Class Politics Through the International*

Kit Smemo (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) *"You're Going to have to be More Militant Than You Were": Repression and Institutionalization in New Deal Labor Relations*

Ivan Ascher (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) *Freedom (TM) or the Power of Branding: Karl Marx on the Making of the English Working Class*

Vandana Swami (State University of New York at Binghamton)

Railway Construction and Forest Use: A World-Historical Narrative of Nature and Empire in 19th Century India

I10 [904-908] Neoliberalism and Post-Neoliberalism?

Marcin Grodzki (Binghamton University) Karl Polanyi's Multiple Economies Perspective: Thinking about Post-Capitalist Economy in the Post-Socialist and Post-Neoliberal Times

Marion Graham (Bethel College) and William Hetrick (Bethel College) Zombie Capitalism: The Dead Still Live!

Sayres Rudy (Hampshire College) Marxist Realism at the Dawn and Dusk of Sovereign Power

I11 [905-909] Erich Fromm and Socialist Humanism

Joan Braune (University of Kentucky) Organizer and Chair

Kevin Anderson (University of California at Santa Barbara) Erich Fromm's Socialist Humanism and his Correspondence with Raya Dunayevskaya

Nick Braune (South Texas College) Expanding Fromm's Distinction Between a Mere Rebel and a Revolutionary

Joan Braune (University of Kentucky) Erich Fromm's 'Prophetic Messianism' in Historical Context

I12 [162-175] Food, Hunger, And Ecology

Mary Stewart Butterfield (Vanderbilt University) Urban Agriculture and the Science of Production

Brad Bauerly (York University) The Global Food Crisis and Marxism: Reviewing and Interpreting Recent Analysis

Geoff Adelsberg (Goucher College) Hunger Beyond Hunger: Marx and a New Concept of Need

I13 [805-809] Nature, Ecology, Marx, and Economics

Zehra Yasin (State University of New York at Binghamton)

Constructing the Historical Sociology of Ecological Change, Reconstructing Marx

Kevin Sutton (York University) The Mechanical Baggage of Ecological Economics: Marxist and Veblenian Critiques

Jorgen Sandemose (University of Oslo) Marx and Hobbes, Exchange and Circulation, State of Nature and Commonwealth

I14 [801] Marxism and Humanism

Anne Jaclard (Marxist-Humanist Initiative) Uniting Philosophy and Organization: Structural Obstacles and an Effort to Transcend Them

Sean Gill (York University) A More Adequate Marxist Humanism: Towards the Human as Object of Labour

Bill Martin (DePaul University of Chicago) Was Althusser from Another Planet? *The Humanist Controversy* in light of E.P. Thompson's Novel, *The Sykaos Papers*

I15 [811-815] Marxism and Literary Interpretation

Jonathan Sadow (State University of New York at Oneonta) Chair

Aisha Karim (Saint Xavier University) Arundhati Roy's *God of Small Things* as 'Regional Flavor'

Shonnie Enelow (University of Pennsylvania) Monstrous Capital and Human Dismemberment: Marx and Wilde's Salomé

Jonathan Sadow (State University of New York at Oneonta) Repetition and Regret: Kundera, the Novel, and European Nationalism

Marie-Christine Leps (York University) DeLillo's *Cosmopolis*: Killing Time in New York

I16 [911-915] Rethinking Marxian Politics

Michiel Bot (New York University) Balibar's Arendt, Arendt's Balibar: A Transnational, Bottom-up Politics of Civility?

Dario Prepelitchi (Florida International University) Politics as a Practice of Freedom: Thinking Marx After Arendt

Loren Goldman (University of Chicago) A True Marxian Political Hope? The Case of Ernst Bloch

I17 [168C] Neoliberal China

Carmen Teeple Hopkins (York University) China's Rise Into Mauritius: Capitalist Imperialism Through Special Exporting Zones

Yu Hong (Muhlenberg College) China's Technocratic Steps towards Creating Domestic Market Demands in the Aftermath of Neoliberal Development

Laiban Sun (Wuhan University and New York University) On the Issue of China's Current Political Attributes of Housing



Sunday 9:30-10:50

J1 [163C] The Left Explores Personal life

Harriet Fraad (Feminist Psychotherapist/Hypnotherapist) Organizer and Chair

Harriet Fraad (Feminist Psychotherapist/Hypnotherapist) What Happened to America? A Look at the intersection of Economy and Psychology

Roger Salerno (Pace University) Decontextualizing the Fetish

Commodity

Lauren Langman (Loyola University of Chicago) Ideology, Character and Domination: Israel and the Subaltern

J2 [168C] False Alternatives to Capitalism: Proudhonism and Its Progeny Part I (Sponsored by Marxist-Humanist Initiative)

Andrew Kliman (Pace University) Chair

Greg Myerson (North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University) Green Capitalism

Michael Joseph Roberto (North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University) Proudhonism, *Then* and *Now*

Andrew Kliman (Pace University) Not Another "Labor Money" Scheme: Marx's Lower Phase of Communism

Discussion

J3 [811-815] Economics, Political Economy, and Critical Realism: Debating Tony Lawson's Contributions to Economics and Social Theory

Erik Olsen (University of Missouri at Kansas City) Organizer and Chair

Hans Despain (Nichols College) Ontology and Social Theory: A Critical Review of Tony Lawson and His Critics

Erik Olsen (University of Missouri at Kansas City) Lawson and Political Economy

David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame) (Un)Real Criticism

J4 [904-908] Building Social Enterprises in the Philippines and in Orange, MA: Strategies for Local Development (DVD Showing and Discussion led by Katherine Gibson)

Katherine Gibson (Centre for Citizenship and Public Policy, University of Western Sydney, and Community Economies Collective) Facilitator

Karen Werner (Community Economies Collective and Zen Peacemaker Zen House) Applying the Research in Western Massachusetts: Building Social Enterprises in Orange, MA

J5 [101] Roundtable: The Return of Marx

George Comninel (York University) Chair

Rick Wolff (University of Massachusetts at Amherst and New School for Social Research)

Terrell Carver (University of Bristol)

Marcello Musto (York University)

Yutaka Nagahara (Hosei University)

Wujin Yu (Fudon University)

Moishe Postone (University of Chicago)

J6 [804-808] Neoliberal Rhetoric and Marxist Critique

Catherine Chaput (University of Nevada at Reno) Organizer and Chair

Danika Brown (University of Texas Pan American) On the Job: The Rhetorical Construction of Labor and Alienation in Television Crime Drama

Catherine Chaput (University of Nevada at Reno) Affect and Belonging in Late Capitalism: A Speculative Narrative on Reality TV

MJ Braun (University of North Carolina at Pembroke) Rethinking What is to Be Done: Propaganda Analysis for Neo-Liberal Times

J7 [917] Ideal Places, Empty Spaces: Architecture, Las Vegas, and Tent Cities

Derek Merrill (University of California at Merced) Organizer and Chair

Eric Worcester (Manifold Architecture) Does Capitalism Realize Modern Architecture

Patricia Ventura (Spellman College) Las Vegas, The Mortgage Crisis and Strip Architecture

Derek Merrill (University of California at Merced) Dangerous Use Value: Tent Cities and the Avant-Garde

J8 [905-909] Marxism, Justice, and Ethics

Alexander Keller Hirsch (University of California at Santa Cruz) Chair

Evgeni Pavlov (Metropolitan State College of Denver) The Circumstances of Justice: David Harvey on "New Cosmopolitanism"

Serap Kayatekin (The American College of Thessaloniki) and Jack Amariglio (Merrimack College) From Marx to Levinas: An Antihumanist Ethics

Shane Jessie Ralston (University of Maine and Pennsylvania State University) The Vital Thread Connecting Marxist and Pragmatist Ethics: Reconstructing the Trotsky-Dewey Debate

Alexander Keller Hirsch (University of California at Santa Cruz) The Agon of Reconciliation: Transitional Justice from (Non)Responsibility to Fugitive Democracy

J9 [805-809] Third World Marxisms I: Africa and Latin America

Noaman Ali (York University) Chair and Organizer

Joshua Moufawad-Paul (York University) *Stretching the Marxist Analysis*: Frantz Fanon's Historical Materialism

Noaman Ali (York University) Africa and Marxism: Toward an Intellectual History of the Political Thought of the Mozambique Revolution

Arshavez Mozafari (York University) Marxism and the Left in Iran

J10 [174] Terror and Tyranny Post 9-11

Rachel O'Donnell (York University) Keeping the Illegal Away from Home: Migration, the Family, and the War on Terror

Paul Zarembka (State University of New York at Buffalo) and David MacGregor (University of Western Ontario) *Marxism, Conspiracy, and 9-11*

Norman Fischer (Kent State University) *Marxist Aesthetic Defenses of Civil Liberties from the Popular Front to Post 9/11*

J11 [903] Class and Fantasy: Capitalist Subjects

Ross Edwards (University of Minnesota) Chair

David Siar (Winston Salem State University) *Social Change from the Inside Out: Mark Bracher's Lacanian Cultural Criticism*

Ross Edwards (University of Minnesota) *All That is Solid Melts into Air: Memory, Desire, and the Capitalist Subject*

Forrest Perry (Saint Xavier University) *The Class Dimension of Hip Rebellion*

Ariane Fischer (Temple University) *Irrational Ideas and Real Interests*

J12 [911-915] Using Gramsci to Rethink the Present

Joel Wainwright (Ohio State University) Chair

Daniel Kuchler (State University of New York at Albany) *North and South: An "Orthodox" Approach to Gramscian International Relations*

Joe Collins (Charles Sturt University) and Drew Cottle (University of Western Sydney) *The Calm Before the Storm: Historic Bloc Formation From Hawke to Howard*

Joel Wainwright (Ohio State University) *Was Gramsci a Marxist?*

Carl Dyke (Methodist University) *ANT and Blogging as Gramscian Praxis*

J13 [162-175] *Capital as Power (VIII): Resistance*

Jordan Brennan (York University) Chair

George Mickhail (University of Wollongong and Université

d'Orleans) *The Agora-Pnyx Paradox*

Dan Bousfield (McMaster University) *Fighting the Power? Struggle and Resistance in 'Capital as Power'*

Jeff Monaghan (Carleton University) and D.T. Cochrane (York University) *The Struggle against Capitalism: Exploring the Power Theory of Value and Contemporary Anarchist Movements*

J14 [803] Foucault and Contemporary Conditions

Andrew Culp (Ohio State University) *Alternatives to Everyday Resistance to Neoliberalism: Foucault and Beyond*

Aliasghar Partovi (Islamic Azad University) *Analysis Power Structure in Islamic Republic of Iran on the Bases of Michel Foucault's Attitude*

Lenora Hanson (University of Nebraska at Lincoln) *The Insistence of Autonomy: Recuperating Labor Power within Biopower*

J15 [165-169] Twenty Years "after the Fall:" Post-Socialist Struggles in South Eastern Europe

Nikolay Raykov Karpov (Binghamton University) Organizer and Chair

Nikolay Raykov Karpov (Binghamton University) *What Was Communism, Or How Not to Read the History of the Recent Past in South Eastern Europe*

Kaya Akyildiz (Binghamton University) *Turkey's Patriotic Left: As Innocent as a Lamb*

Ovidiu Tichindeleanu (Binghamton University) *Is There a Future for Marx in Postcommunism?*

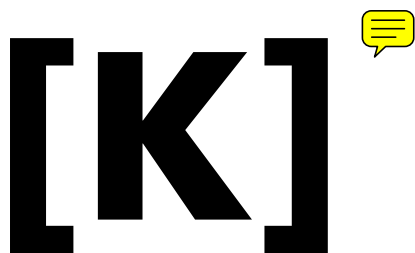
J16 [176] Under the Dome: The Ethics and Politics of Reading Capital

Sean Mallin (University of California at Irvine) Organizer and Chair

Ryan McCormick (University of Notre Dame) *The Parallax of Labor: Marx as a Moralist*

James Ford (University of Notre Dame) From Being to Unrest, From Objectivity to Motion: The Slave In Marx's Capital

Sean Mallin (University of California at Irvine) Market Fetishism, or Thinking Like An Economist



Sunday 11:00-12:30

K1 [101] Marxism in China Today

Marcello Musto (York University) Organizer and Chair

Yu Wujin (Fudan University) Scientific Outlook on Socialism in China

Zhnag Shuangli (Fudan University) Re-reading the Marxian Critique of Religion in the Context of China

Wang Xingfu (Fudan University) Socialism with Chinese Characteristics and the Problem of Universalism

Bertell Ollman (New York University) Discussant

John Ehrenberg (Long Island University) Discussant

K2 [168C] False Alternatives to Capitalism: Proudhonism and Its Progeny Part II (Sponsored by Marxist-Humanist Initiative)

Andrew Kliman (Pace University) Chair

Daniel Ankarloo (Malmö University) The Swedish Welfare Model: A Road Ahead? A Road to Socialism? Or a Dead End?

Anne Jaclard (Marxist-Humanist Initiative) You Can't Change the Mode of Production with a Political Agenda

Seth Weiss (Marxist-Humanist Initiative) Rethinking Communism: A Critical Examination of Richard Wolff and Stephen Resnick's Conception of Post-capitalist Society

Discussion

K3 [811-815] Science for the People

Jane Zara (DC Metro Science for the People) Organizer and Chair

David Schwartzman (Howard University, DC Statehood Green Party, DC Metro Science for the People) The Red and Greens Need the Sciences, the Sciences Need the Red and Greens

Jane Zara (DC Metro Science for the People) What Are the Effects of Corporate Personhood and Rampant Privatization on Scientific Research?

Karen Charman (Independent Investigative Environmental Journalist and Managing Editor of *Capitalism Nature Socialism*) What Would a Public Interest, Sustainable Science Look Like

K4 [805-809] Rereading C.L.R. James's Marxism

Nicholas Xenos (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Chair

Andrew Douglas (Loyola University of New Orleans) CLR James's Humanism: Between Hegel and Marx

George Ciccariello-Maher (University of California at Berkeley) Black Anti-Jacobins? A Comparative Political Theory in Sorel, James, and Fanon

Antonio Y Vasquez-Arroyo (University of Minnesota) Dialectics of Colonial Enlightenment

K5 [804-808] Beyond Socialism in One Classroom: Radical Teaching in Changing Times

Richard Ohman (*Radical Teacher*) Teaching in Bad Times

Nancy Welch (University of Vermont) From Soapboxing to the Troublemaker Schools: Reconnecting Critical Literacy to Popular Education for Social Change

Brian Jones (*International Socialist Review*) Teaching to the Test vs. Radical Pedagogy: Taking on Charter Schools and the Logic of Privatization

Jeffrey Bale (Michigan State University) Strategies for Linguistic Justice at School

K6 [163C] Ecosocialist alternatives and movement building (Sponsored by *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*)

Salvatore Engel-Di Mauro (State University of New York at New Paltz) Chair

Salvatore Engel-Di Mauro (State University of New York at New Paltz) Building an Ecosocialist Revolutionary Movement: Comparative Lessons from Anticolonial Struggles and the First and Second Internationals

Terisa E. Turner (University of Guelph) Energy and Society: Indicators of a Transition to Eco-Socialism

Leigh Brownhill (University of Guelph) Climate Change and the Imperative of Eco-Socialism

Joel Kovel (*Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*) Discussant

K7 [162-175] Solidarity Economy in Action: A Roundtable Discussion on Organizing, Networking and Movement-Building

Ethan Miller (US Solidarity Economy Network)

K8 [165-169] New Social Movements in South America

Anthony Pahnke (University of Minnesota) The ABCs of Leadership and Political Struggle: Brazil's Landless Workers Movement Inside and Outside the School

Jeffery R. Webber (University of Regina) Bolivia's Cycle of Revolt

Conrad Herold (Hofstra University) The Andean Peasant Community as a Fulcrum for Social Regeneration: Contemporary Experience, Possibilities, and Limits in Bolivia

K9 [905-909] *Capital as Power* (IX): Roundtable: Future Research on *Capital as Power*

Jonathan Nitzan (York University) Chair

K10 [904-908] Space, Place, and Class

Jacqueline Lasky (University of Hawaii) Preserving a Country Lifestyle: The Problematic Intersections of Class and Identity in Waiāhole-Waikāne, Hawai'i

Kate Driscoll Derickson (Pennsylvania State University) Discerning a Spatial Logic of Neoliberalism: Assessing the Political and Theoretical Promise of the Regulation Approach for Understanding Urban Politics and Spatiality

Mark Salvaggio (University of Nevada Las Vegas) The Backpacker Hostel: Primitive Accumulation, Capital Penetration, and Tourism

Yasser Munif (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Cartographies of Inclusion and Exclusion in Postcolonial France

K11 [917] *Hubert Harrison: The Voice of Harlem Radicalism, 1883-1918*: Slide Presentation and Discussion with the Author

Jeffrey Perry (Author)

K12 [176] Translating Class Voices

Liliana Lubomirova Herakova (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Organizer and Chair

Anilyn Diaz-Hernandez (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) Morphing Into Childhood: Changes, Chances, and Choices in the Life of a Middle Class Man

Liliana Lubomirova Herakova (University of Massachusetts at

Amherst) Journeys of Belonging

David Avishay (University of Massachusetts at Amherst) From the Kibbutz to Tel Aviv: The Formation and Reformation of an Isreali "Good Girl" Habitus

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