

**Session A: Thursday November 5, 1:30 pm – 3:15pm**

<p><b>Marxism and Weberian Legacies (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Jamie Woodcock  Sara Farris – Max Weber's Theory of Personality  Jan Rehmann – Modernisation as Passive Revolution  Victor Strazzeri – Discussant</p>	<p><b>Autonomy and Dual Power: between Social Mobilisation and the State</b>  (Latin American Marxism: Renewals, Transformations, Provocations, Panel 1)  Chair: Pedro Mendes Loureiro  Colin Mooers – Latin America: autonomy or dual power?  Horacio Legras – Latin America in the Age of Riots  Mike Geddes – Statism</p>	<p><b>Cultural Politics and the New Left in the UK</b>    Jordy Cummings – Counterrevolutionary Rock: The Rise of Conservative Rock Music and the Limitations of the New Left  Toby Manning – Le Carré, the 1960s and the New Left  Matthew Caygill – The Beatles and the Left</p>	<p><b>Interrogating Populism I</b>  Chair: Giorgos Galanis  Justin Paulson, Sabrina Fernandes – 'Post-political' protest, populism, and the Right  L. Larry Liu - The Decline of Centrist Mass Parties and the Rise of Right-Wing Populism (RWP) in Europe: Case Studies of Neoliberal Reform and Immigration in the UK, Germany and Austria  Vedi Hadiz, Richard Robison – Competing Nationalist and Islamic Populisms in Indonesia</p>
<p><b>Financialisation and Built Environment: A Response to or a Cause of Crisis?</b>  Chair: Özlem Çelik  Galip Yalman – Class, Crisis and Hegemony: A Comparative Analysis of Forms of Resistance to Neoliberalism  Aylin Topal – Changes of Built Environment in Ankara: From Cooperatives to Exclusionary Regeneration  Çağrı Çarıkçı – The Ravages of Mega-Projects in İstanbul: Class, Capital and the State in Turkey</p>	<p><b>Between Reformism and Revolution</b>  Chair: Thomas Marois  Colin Barker – Getting rid of the muck of ages: the continuing relevance of socialist revolution for social movements  Joao Nunes - Alvaro Cunhal as Left Eurocommunist  Paul Blackledge - The late Engels and the problem of Working-Class Reformism</p>	<p><b>The Political Economy of the Eurozone and its Critique</b>  Chair: Maia Pal  Miguel Garcia Duch – Eurozone: the avant-garde of postfordism  John Kannankulam, Fabian Georgi – Relationships of Forces in the Eurozone-crisis. A Class Analysis of Conflict Dynamics in Germany  Etienne Schneider, Sune Sandbeck – Between Sovereignty and Dependency: Monetary Integration in the Eurozone and Leftist Political Strategy</p>	

**Session B: Thursday November 5, 15:45 pm – 17:30pm**

<p><b>Nietzsche Contra Marx</b>  Chair: Harrison Fluss  Ishay Landa – The Social Individual and the Last Man: Marx and Nietzsche Agree to Disagree  Geoffrey Waite - Rethinking Marx with Nietzsche on Terrorism  Stefano G. Azzarà - Left-Wing Nietzscheanism in Italy: Gianni Vattimo</p>	<p><b>China and East Asia Today: Economy, State Power and Geopolitics</b>  Chair: Adam Hanieh  Charlie Hore – Party, state and opposition in China  Juan Chingo - China’s future  Kim Eo Jin – The Strategy of Imperialism and Anti-Imperialism in East Asia  Robert Pauls – Contradictions and crises of capitalist accumulation in China</p>	<p><b>Capitalism and Culture</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Nizan Shaked – The Value Form of Art: Art’s Monetized Market and the Nonprofit Institution  Robert Spencer - Late Capitalism and Late Style  Louis Bayman – Flog it: Fetishism, Performance Anxiety and Abuse in Contemporary Hollywood entertainment</p>	<p><b>Interrogating Populism II</b>  Chair: Maia Pal  Angelos Chryssogelos – Greek Populism between the State and the Nation  Paolo Gerbaudo What is "new" in Mediterranean neo-populism? The relationship between the movements of the squares, Podemos and Syriza and the centrality of the politics of citizenship  Michael Bray – What if ‘the party’ is populist? Thoughts on parliamentary cretinism and socialist strategy</p>
<p><b>Debates in Marxist Political Economy: Inequality, Money and the State</b>  Chair: Juan Grigera  Ozlem Tezcek – Neoliberal Economic Policies in the Turkish Energy Sector: The State, Capitals and Think Tanks  Paula Rauhala – The East-German debate concerning money-commodity relations  Carolina Alves – Revisiting the credit system in Marx from the perspective of fictitious capital</p>	<p><b>The Legacies of the 1905 Revolution: Beyond the Dress Rehearsal</b>  Chair: Sebastian Budgen  Peter Hudis – Soviets, Party, and Organization in the 1905 Revolution  Ottokar Luban – Rosa Luxemburg’s Evaluation of the 1905/06 Russian Revolution and its Traces in her crucial writings of the following years  Wiktor Marzec – The 1905 Revolution and the Fear of the Masses</p>	<p><b>Ecological Crisis: Strategies and Alternatives</b>  Chair: Thomas Marois  Nadia Singh, Pritam Singh – Bioenergy responses to the Capitalist Energy Crisis: An Eco-Socialist Critique  Les Levidow - Green Economy agendas: NGOs’ divergent alliances around natural capital and justice  Giorgos Velegrakis and Rita Calvario – From crisis to alternatives: The question of socio-ecological movements’ transition strategies</p>	

**Session C: Thursday Half-Plenaries 18:15 – 20:00pm**

**The History and Current State of the South African Working Class Struggle - The Case for NUMSA**

Chair and discussant: Patrick Bond

Andrew Chirwa (NUMSA President)

Norma Craven (office head of the NUMSA Movement for Socialism Task Team)

Patrick Craven (member of the NUMSA Movement for Socialism Task Team)

Christopher Malokane (Chair, NUMSA Movement for Socialism task team) – TBC

**Social Reproduction Theory and the Insistence of Integrative Theorizing**

Chair: Paul Reynolds

Tithi Bhattacharya – Ontology of a 'Unique' Commodity: Rethinking Labor Power and Laboring

Alan Sears – Sexual Liberation and the Social Reproduction Frame

Hester Eisenstein – Feminism and Social Reproduction: The Politics of Women's Emancipation

Kate Davison – 'Counting Dead Women': Sexual and Non Sexual Domestic Violence under Capitalism

Session D: Friday November 6, 9:45 – 11:30 am

<p><b>Concerning the Gravediggers: Contemporary Challenges for Theory and Practice</b>  Chair: Matt Cole  Simon Joyce – Why Are There So Few Strikes?  Raymond Morrell – Can we rebuild workplace power?  Charlotte Bence – (Not So) Pale, Male &amp; Stale: Organising Precarious Workers</p>	<p><b>Marx, Engels and the Critique of Politics and Law</b>    Tim Fiske – Is there a Marxist theory of sovereignty?  Susan Dianne Brophy - Law, Dialectics, and Uneven and Combined Development  Jill Poeggel and Helge Petersen – “The Rule of Law and Its Other” Some Reflections on State Power and Exclusion based on Racism and (Non-)Citizenship</p>	<p><b>Capitalism in the Novel</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Caroline Edwards – Petrocapitalism and the Post-Oil Novel: Unearthing the Energy Unconscious in Apocalyptic Fiction  Thomas Travers – An Aesthetic “Strategy of Refusal”: Representations of Unemployment in the Fiction of Don DeLillo  Marcial Gonzalez – Salvador Plascencia’s <i>The People of Paper</i>: A Farm Worker Critique of Capitalism</p>	<p><b>Rosa Luxemburg and 'Luxemburgism': A Tale of Two Legacies</b>    Jörn Schütrumpf – 'Luxemburgism' versus Rosa Luxemburg  Holger Politt – Conclusions Drawn by Luxemburg from the 1905 Russian Revolution  Evelin Wittich – International (Political) Responses to Rosa Luxemburg  Marion Schütrumpf – How Rosa Luxemburg’s Life is Presented in English</p>	<p><b>Developments in the Critique of Political Economy</b>  Chair: Mary Robertson  Jim Kincaid – Faltering Accumulation in the Global Economy: the Marxist Controversy  Riccardo Bellofiore - Is there life on Marx? The value theory of labour as a theory of exploitation and as a theory of crisis  Michael Roberts – Is inequality the cause of crises?</p>
<p><b>Egypt: From Revolution to Counter-Revolution</b>  Chair: Brecht De Smet  Philip Marfleet – Egypt: Counter-revolution and the Left  Sameh Naguib – Understanding Counter-Revolution in Egypt  Anne Alexander – Journalists and the Generals: Media and Counter-Revolution in Egypt</p>	<p><b>Geographies of Dispossession: Gentrification, Migration, Deportation</b>  Chair: Adam Hanieh  Cory Hansson – Just Writing on the Wall? Rethinking the Relationship Between Stigmatization and Gentrification in Neukölln, Berlin  Parastou Saberi – Rethinking Urban Policy and Working-Class Struggles: State Intervention and the 'Immigrant' Problematic in Toronto  Stephen Yang-Smith – Spaces of Detention and Deportability: A Case Study of Rohingya Irregular Migrants in Myanmar and Indonesia</p>	<p><b>Histories of Communism and Socialism 1: M.N. Roy and Mahdi Amel</b>  Chair: David Broder  Maria-Daniela Pomohaci – M.N. Roy and the Beginning of the Communist Movement in India  Hicham Safieddine -The Dialectics of Sectarianism and the State in the Marxist Thought of Mahdi Amel  Nadia Bou Ali - Mahdi Amel and the Temporalities of Capitalism</p>	<p><b>Class Struggles and Class Projects</b>  Chair: Giorgos Galanis  Ricardo Antunes - Labour, the New Proletariat of Services (Infoproletariat) and Value Today  Jonah Birch - Working Time Reduction and Class Struggle in France  Ana Podvršič – Spatialization Accumulation Strategies of Slovene State and their embeddedness in the EU class project</p>	<p><b>Social Reproduction: Theories and Practices</b>  Chair: Alan Sears  Andres Saenz De Sicilia – Materialism and social reproduction  Thonette Myking - Social reproductive work today and in the future  Serap Saritas – Financialisation of Social Reproduction: Pension Reforms</p>

Session E: Friday November 6, 11:45am – 13:30 pm

<p><b>The Politics of Transindividuality (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Emma Dowling  Jeremy Gilbert  Caroline Williams  Jason Read – Respondent</p>	<p><b>Queer Marxism and the Problem of the Desire</b>  Chair: Alan Sears  Morgane Merteuil – From desire to radical needs: saving desire from itself  Paul Reynolds – From Identity to Practice: The Roots of Queer Marxism  Holly Lewis – Marxism and the Normative Turn: A Queer Reading of Christoph Henning's Philosophy After Marx</p>	<p><b>Marxism in Art and Culture</b>  Chair: Mike Wayne  David Mabb – "We are Fucking Angry": Protest Paintings and History Lessons  Warren Carter - Jack Levine and the Reorientation of Social Realism in the 1950s  Andrew Witt – Prefiguring Disaster: The Case of Mike Mandel And Larry Sultan</p>	<p><b>Alternative Strategies for the Left Today in the Light of Past Theoretical Debates</b>  Chair: Matthew Caygill  Pete Green – The Use and Abuse of Gramsci by Theorists  Who Have Influenced Podemos  Ed Rooksby – André Gorz, Nicos Poulantzas and the Question of 'Structural Reform'  Susan Pashkoff – The Debate Over Alternative Economic Strategies and Persistent Unemployment in Capitalism  [Room with T-loop]</p>	<p><b>Left, Ultraleft and the United Front: Werner Scholem and the factional struggles in German Communism 1921-1928</b></p> <p>The panel features a premiere of the documentary "Utopia and Counter-Revolution: the Lives of Werner &amp; Emmy Scholem", directed by Niels Bolbrinker, Berlin 2014, 20 min, German with English subtitles.</p> <p>Ralf Hoffrogge: Werner Scholem and the origins of the KPD-Ultraleft in 1921</p> <p>Florian Wilde: The united front and its protagonists in German Communism 1922-1928</p>	<p><b>Greece and Spain Between Social Movements and the Party-Form</b>  Chair: Peter Thomas  Angelos Kontogiannis-Mandros, Christina Maria Kontogiannis - Between incorporation and relative autonomy: organisational and political reflections of the "Squares' movement"  Alberto Martínez Delgado - The New Left Party: Podemos, Pragmatism, Ethical Idealism and Techno-Academicist Elitism  Silvia L. López – Elective Affinities: Artistic communities of sense and new forms of politics in Latin America and Spain</p>
<p><b>Populism, Hegemony, and Integral State in the 'Pink Tide' Conjuncture (Latin American Marxism: Renewals, Transformations, Provocations, Panel 2)</b>  Chair: Peter Thomas  Samuelle Mazzolini – Populism and Hegemony: the Latin American lesson to Europe  Michela Russo - Contingent hegemonies  Angus McNelly – Limits of Gramscian Theory: Lessons from the Bolivian Conjuncture</p>	<p><b>Commodifying Reproductive Bodies in the Neoliberal Bio-Economy</b>  Chair: Siggie Vertommen  Adi Moreno – Surrogacy Between Biopolitics and Micropolitics  Michal Nahman – The Repro-politics of Migrant Romanian Egg 'Donors'  Vincenzo Pavone – Egg Donation in Spain: Economic Compensation as a Catalyzer  Verena Namberger – Unravelling the South African Economy of Egg Donation</p>	<p><b>Persistent Inequalities (Book discussion)</b></p> <p>Howard Botwinick  Charles Post  Kim Moody</p>	<p><b>Urban Marxism and the Neoliberal City</b>  Chair: Mary Robertson  Marco Marques Pestana – Rio de Janeiro's favelas in the neoliberal city: expropriation and precariousness in working class life  Ståle Holgersen – A Marxist theory of urban planning?  Paul Watt - Clearing Paths for Urban Accumulation: Council Housing Estates, Regeneration and State-Led Gentrification in London</p>	<p><b>Islamophobia, Secularism and Feminism</b>  Chair: Tithi Bhattacharya  Ian Birchall – From the Schoolroom to the Trenches: Laïcité and its Critics  Narzanin Massoumi, David Miller, Tom Mills, Hilary Aked - Contesting racialisation: Islamophobic social movements and the battle of ideas  Nancy Lindisfarne – Gendering Islamophobia: Or how and why 'protecting women' hides class relations so very well</p>	<p><b>Biology, Ecology, Anthropology: Marxist Encounters</b>  Chair: Harrison Fluss  Kohei Saito – The MEGA and New Insights into Marx's Ecology  Paul Guilibert - Materialism against constructivism: proposal for a Marxist critic of Descola's <i>Anthropology of Nature</i></p>

Session F: Friday November 6, 14:15 – 16:00pm

<p><b>Marxism and Theology</b></p> <p>Jan Rehmann – Fine-Tuning a Marxist Critique of Religion  Harrison Fluss – What is Pelagianism? A Contribution to Marxist Heresiology  Roland Boer – Marxism and Transcendence</p>	<p><b>Marxism, Materialism and Form: From Lukács to Jameson</b>  Chair: Mike Wayne  Daniel Hartley - Marxist Poetics: Form and Political Organization in Gramsci, Lukács and Rancière  Julia Podziewska – Jameson, Lukács and sensation  Alexander Galloway – Old and New  Materialism: Fredric Jameson Today</p>	<p><b>The Militant Image: Documentary in the 1970s</b>  Chair: Steve Edwards  Jorge Ribalta - Not yet. On the Reinvention of Documentary and the Critique of Modernism  Kodwo Eshun - Voyages: When Cinema tracks Photojournalism  Doreen Mende - Dedocumenting Economics</p>	<p><b>Greek Strategies of Exit</b>  Chair: Sebastian Budgen  Stavros Mavroudeas - Alternative Strategies for exiting the Greek crisis  Nikos Stravelakis - The Economic Policy of GREXIT  Papageorgiou Theofanis, Roussopoulos Iason, Koskoletos Sotiris – IMF in Greece: Between Default and Suffocation</p>	<p><b>Feminist Debates</b>  Chair: Tithi Bhattacharya  Shruti Iyer – Taking a Break from the State: Indian feminists and legal reform  Ankica Cakardic – The “transition to capitalism” and feminist unitary theory  Crystal Stella Becerril – Beyond Capital: Towards a Marxist Xicanisma</p>	<p><b>Studies in Political Economy</b>  Chair: Mary Robertson  Thomas Haines-Doran - The Political Economy of Rail Privatisation in Britain  Tomas Rotta – Unproductive Accumulation in the United States: A New Analytical Framework  Elif Karacimen, Ahmet Hasim Kose – Financialisation of Non-Financial Corporations and the Role of the State: The Case of Turkey</p>	<p><b>Bad New Days (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Gail Day  Hal Foster  Alex Potts  Kodwo Eshun  Julian Stallabrass</p>
<p><b>Challenging the Canon: Indigenous, Subalternity and Intellectual Production (Latin American Marxism: Renewals, Transformations, Provocations, Panel 3)</b>  Chair: Peter Baker  Irina Feldman - Marxist and Indianist Horizons: redefinition of the intellectual canon in Bolivia  Felipe Lagos - Along with Lenin and Sorel: Mariátegui’s conception of uneven development, imperialism, and temporalities  Isabelle Gribomont - Literariness as Decolonial Subversion in the Zapatista Discourse</p>	<p><b>Facets of Imperialism</b>  Chair: Giorgos Galanis  Ella Wind - The American Push for Industrial Planning in Turkey: Unpacking the Black Box  Zeno Leoni - “Pivot to Asia”: uneven geographical development and values of territory in Obama’s foreign policy towards China  Tony Norfield – Shifting Tectonic Plates: the West and the Rest</p>	<p><b>Digital Labour</b>  Chair: Christina Grammatikopoulou  Moritz Altenried – The Container and the Algorithm: Labour and the Production of Space in Digitised Logistics  Nick Dyer-Witheford - The Cybernetic Vortex and the Global Proletariat  Jamie Woodcock – Crowdsourcing: understanding the implications, from citizen science to microwork</p>	<p><b>Race, Class, Gender and Nation: Challenges for Critical Marxist Theory</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Benjamin Mabie – The Making of America's Lumpenproletariat: Class Composition and the Strategic Legacy of the Black Panther Party  Brendan McGeever and Satnam Virdee - The Breakup of Britain: Race, Class and Nation in Scotland and England  Sharon Smith - Intersectionality and Marxism</p>	<p><b>Historicising Capitalism</b>  Chair: Alex Anievas  Jonathan Stafford – Toward a Marxist Aetiology of Global Capital Flows: The introduction of steam power to nineteenth century imperial shipping  Faruk Yalvac - Islam, Capitalism and Uneven and Combined Development  Samuel Knafo – The Challenge of Historicism</p>	<p><b>Problems in Marxist Theory</b></p> <p>Frédéric Lordon - What makes workers work?  Giorgos Kalampokas – Towards a New Practice of Politics  Ted Stolle – Marxism and Human Happiness</p>	

Session G: Friday November 6, 16:15 – 18:00

<p><b>Ernst Bloch in Perspective: Politics, Philosophy and Pedagogy</b>  Chair: Paul Reynolds  Cat Moir – <i>Heimat</i> and the Politics of Bloch's Utopia  Nathaniel Barron – Essence, the Old, the New: The Significance for Marxism of Ernst Bloch's Doctrine of Essence  Yazhi Li – Hurdling the Ravine: The Depth of Meta-religion by Ernst Bloch</p>	<p><b>Ireland, the Crisis and Neoliberalism</b>  Colin Coulter – Ireland Under Austerity: Neoliberal Crisis, Neoliberal Solutions  Angela Nagle – Ireland and the New Economy  Sinéad Kennedy – Ireland's Perfect Storm: Crisis, Capitalism and Democracy</p>	<p><b>Documentary Histories</b>  Chair: Steve Edwards  Duncan Forbes - Japanese Protest Books  Simon Constantine – The Camera is Not A Machine Gun  Trevor Stark - Marker and the Medvedkin Project</p>	<p><b>Global Neoliberalism</b>  Chair: Mary Robertson  Mariano Félix – Transformations in Argentina's capitalist development since the neoliberal age: Limits and possibilities of a peripheral development strategy  Al Campbell - Neoliberalism's Lower Rate of Capital Accumulation  Ricardo Noronha - This little piggy went to market - Southern Europe between two crises (1973-2008)</p>	<p><b>Climate crisis and counter-austerity</b>  Chair: Andreas Malm  Patrick Bond – The BRICS join climate-crisis capitalism amidst competition in emissions laxity  James Anderson and Eoin Flaherty – Climate Crisis: Beyond Growth/No Growth to Eco-Socialism  Heikki Patomaki – Reflexive Self-Regulation on a Planetary Scale: From Privatisation of the Atmosphere to Global Taxes and Common Good</p>	<p><b>Strategy and Ruination: A Salvage Panel</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Jamie Allinson – Don't Mourn, Accelerate  Rosie Warren – Pessimism, Hope and the Necessity of Salvage  Richard Seymour - Why the Right Succeeds</p>
<p><b>Strategies for Labour in the Twenty-First Century</b>  Chair: Matt Cole  David Ravensbergen – The Limits to Work: Degrowth as a Strategy for Labour?  Jeff Goodwin, Jane McAlevey – Preemptive Class Struggle 'from Above': Union-Avoidance Practices by U.S. Corporations  Win Windisch – The dialogics of work place activism.  Leadership and participation skills in a retail store</p>	<p><b>Keywords for Marxist Theory: Nature, Domination, Solidarity</b>  Chair: Liam Campling  Raji Steineck – Nature: The Shadow of Capital  Jon Masin-Peters – Domination and Democracy in the Work of Karl Marx and W.E.B. Du Bois  Kenneth Surin - Producing Solidarity: Contrasting Raymond Williams and Raúl Zibechi</p>	<p><b>Brazil: History and Contemporaneity</b>  Chair: Juan Grigera  Pedro Salgado – The Making of Brazil: the historical process of Portuguese colonialism between the 16th and 18th centuries  Bernhard Leubolt, Wagner de Melo Romão – Multiple Crises in Brazil and a Rebellious Middle Class  Victor Strazzeri – A Third Way for the tropics: the path of Brazil's Worker's Party from "Eurocommunism" to Austerity</p>	<p><b>Class Formations and Political Movements</b>  Ayse Arslan – Turkish Nationalism, The “Terrorism” Label And The Organization Of The Working Class: The Case Of Tuzla Shipyard Workers In Turkey  John E. O'Brien - Amid India's Parties, Classes and Masses: Why Delhi's Turn Left in a Country that Just Turned Right?  Mark Bergfeld – Beyond in/stability: Power and Polarisation in German Trade Unions</p>	<p><b>Between States and Markets</b>  Craig Brandist – Stalinism, Neoliberalism and the Origins of New Public Management  Paul Heideman – Business and the Politics of Education Reform in the United States  Michael Albert – Towards a Marxist Security Theory</p>	<p><b>The Dark Side of Knowledge: Neoliberalism, Academic Labour and Crime</b>  Jana Bacevic – Neoliberalism from nowhere? On the use(fulnes)s of the term in understanding the transformation of knowledge production in East-Central Europe  Krystian Szadkowski – Unpacking the “transnational association of capitals”. Rankings and subsumption of academic labour under academic publishing capital in peripheral Poland  Stratos Georgoulas, Aimilia Voulvouli – White Collar Crime in Greek Academia</p>

**Friday November 6, 18:15 – 20:00pm**

**Isaac and Tamara Deutscher Prize Lecture**

**Chair: Gilbert Achcar**

**Roland Boer - Marxism, Religion and the Taiping Revolution**



Session H: Saturday November 7, 9:15 – 11:00am

<p><b>Psychoanalysis and Critique of Political Economy: The Case of Jacques Lacan</b> Samo Tomsic - How to do things with Lacan Andreja Zevnik - Politics beyond Oedipus Nathaniel Boyd - Capitalism and the unconscious</p>	<p><b>Spaces of Dispossession 1</b> Chair: Jamie Woodcock Vasna Ramasar – Inherited futures: Race and class in water struggles in South Africa Sanjay Lanka, Steffen Böhm – Accumulation by dispossession: The agrarian crisis in India Jonathan Beacham – Back to the land ethic: spatialities and moralities of food in the age of austerity Nevra Akdemir - Accumulation, Crises and Spatial Fix: The Case of Tuzla and Yalova Shipyard Regions</p>	<p><b>Surplus Populations: History, Theory, Analysis</b> Chair: Alberto Toscano Stuart Elden – Foucault, Porshnev and the Revolt of the Nu-pieds Aaron Benanav - Surplus Populations in the Global Economy Erin Chun - Surviving Steeltown: Social reproduction, surplus populations, and de-industrialization in America's Rust Belt</p>	<p><b>How To be a Marxian: The Legacy of Suzanne de Brunhoff for Critical Political Economy</b> Chair: Adam Hanieh Riccardo Bellofiore - How To be a Marxian: The Legacy of Suzanne de Brunhoff for Critical Political Economy Maria Ivanova - On de Brunhoff's Reading of Marx's Theory of Money Martha Campbell – The Importance of Method in Reconstructing Marx's Theory of Money: Suzanne de Brunhoff's Marx on Money</p>	<p><b>Contradictions of Liberalism: Past, Present, Future</b> Mike Hill – Adam's Divisions of Knowledge: Philosophy, Imagination, Multitude Andrew Pendakis – In the Middle of Things Towards a Critique of Centrist Reason William Dixon - Money, philosophy, economics and moral competence</p>	<p><b>The Adventures of Value</b> Toni Prug – Social and economic form-determination of wealth and its production processes Patrick Murray, Jeanne Schuler – Of the Kinds of Sociality Involved in Value: Two Meanings of 'Purely Social' Andrea Fumagalli - The concept of life subsumption in bio-cognitive capitalism: valorization and governance</p>
<p><b>Conceptualizing the Left from Latin America (Latin American Marxism: Renewals, Transformations, Provocations, Panel 4)</b> Chair: Mike Geddes Peter Baker - Álvaro García Linera and the Question of What's Left Kristin Ciupa - Venezuelan Oil Development and Regional Responses to Neoliberalism Jeffery R. Webber – Andean Labyrinth: The New Left in Bolivia, Ecuador and Venezuela</p>	<p><b>Histories of Communism and Socialism 2: Imperialism, Gender and Class Struggle</b> Chair: David Broder Selim Nadi, Leandros Fischer – A history of German anti-imperialism after 1945 Gregory Bekhtari – Bringing black women to the fore : Claudia Jones's Marxist agenda Lucas Poy - Between the strike and the ballot box. The Socialist Party of Argentina as a case study of the politics of the Second International in Latin America (1890-1914)</p>	<p><b>Against Fate: Feminist Figures, Feminist Practices, Feminist Aesthetics</b> Chair: Gail Day Christina Chalmers – Feminist Reconstructions Rose-Anne Gush – Fate in Elfriede Jelinek's Women as Lovers, or, Against Fate Hanna Proctor – Corday's Skull/Meinhof's Brain: Gender, Pathology and Political Violence Josefine Wikström – The Materiality of the Social? The Body, Performance and Materiality in Contemporary Art</p>	<p><b>Insurgent Politics</b> Martin Bak Jørgensen – 'A goat that is already dead is no longer afraid of knives' – politics of (necessary) interference in Hamburg Brecht De Smet – Mighty Oaks From Little Acorns Grow (Unless They Rot in the Ground) A Vygotskian Critique of Anarchist Prefigurative Politics Richard Jermain - A Defense of Politically Progressive Fanaticism</p>	<p><b>Austerity and Socialist Strategies</b> Chair: Maia Pal Brian O' Boyle, Sean Mitchell – Socialist Strategy on the Island of Ireland Loren Balhorn – Strategic impasse in Europe's core: Die LINKE 10 years on James Meadway - Returning Chartism: zero-sum capitalism and the re-emergence of populist politics</p>	<p><b>Class Struggles in Europe</b> Sylvain Laurens – The political role of EU bureaucrats in class struggles in Europe Yiorgos Vassalos – Consolidation of autocratic rule in the EU and opposition to it: the parallel processes of the Troika's emergence and the economic governance reforms and how could they be overthrown Christakis Georgiou - The eurozone crisis: a sign of the terminal crisis of the 'European project' or a catalyst for the next step in European unification?</p>

**Session I: Saturday November 7, 11:15 – 13:00 pm**

<p><b>Althusserian Variations</b> Chair: Jason Smith Dimitris Papafotiou, Panagiotis Sotiris – 'Reading Capital' as a contribution to the debates on Marx's theory of value and the value-form Sam Carlshamre - Althusser, Marxism and the historicity of Islamic philosophy Thomas Carmichael – Aleatory Materialism and Speculative Realism: Althusser and the Speculative Turn</p>	<p><b>Spaces of Dispossession 2</b> Chair: Alex Anievas Sami Khatib - The 'Tradition of the Oppressed' and its Discontents: Benjamin, Palestine, and the Non-Place of Radical Thought Giorgos Velegarakis, Olga Balaoura – Spatial insights of land dispossession in crisis-ridden Greece Baraneh Emadian - Strategies of Primary Accumulation of Capital in Contemporary Iran</p>	<p><b>Feminist Documentary Today</b> Chair: Amy Charlesworth Siona Wilson - The Politics of Feeling: Feminism and Documentary in 1970s Britain Madeleine Bernstorff Rehana Zaman Marina Vishmidt - Discussant</p>	<p><b>Marx's Economic Manuscript of 1864-65 (Marx's Original Draft of Volume 3 of Capital)</b> (Book discussion) Chair: Steve Edwards Andrew Brown Jorge Grespan Michael Kraetke Fred Moseley - Discussant</p>	<p><b>Questioning Intersectionality I</b> Chair: Paul Reynolds Peter Drucker - Applying Marxist intersectionality to sex: neoliberalism, homonormativity, homonationalism Lise Vogel – Social Reproduction and Intersectionality Heather Brown – Marx, Class and Gender: Toward a Marxist Theory of Intersecting Oppressions</p>	<p><b>The Politics of the Right - Launching Socialist Register 2016</b> Chair Greg Albo Liz Fekete - Neoliberalism and popular racism: the shifting shape of the European right Richard Seymour - UKIP and the crisis of Britain Richard Saull - Capitalism and the politics of the far right Avishai Ehrlich - Israel's hegemonic right</p>
<p><b>Critical Perspectives on French Politics Today</b> Chair: Sebastian Budgen Olivier Besancenot – The Nouveau Parti Anticapitaliste: The Old and the New Mathieu Bonzom – The poverty of voluntarism? Making sense of resistance to strategic theory and practice Ugo Palheta – Right-wing populism or neo-fascism? Theses on the Front National and the (resistible) rise of fascism in France</p>	<p><b>Precarious Workers and the City</b> Chair: Jamie Woodcock Carmen Teeple Hopkins – Precarious Women Workers and the City: Thinking through the New Urban Working Class Ludmila Costhek Abilio - The very modern and precarious entrepreneur: Brazilian forms of labour exploitation Farah Kobaissy – Organizing the Unorganized: Migrant Domestic Workers Labor Union Organizing in Lebanon</p>	<p><b>Histories of Communism and Socialism 3</b> Chair: David Broder Sean Larson - The Free Trade Unions in the German Revolution 1918-23 Suzi Weissman - Portrait of Stalin's Master Spy Marc Zborowski, aka Etienne, Charged with dividing, discrediting and destroying the International Left Opposition in Europe and the US. Ralf Hoffrogge – Discussant</p>	<p><b>'Who Stole the Soul?' Understanding Cultural Exchange Under Neoliberalism</b> Chair: Shanice McBean Crystal Stella Becerril – Beyond(cé) Postcolonial: A Marxist Understanding of Cultural Production &amp; Exchange Nikeeta Slade – Beyond Appropriation: Towards a Radical Cosmopolitanism Bill Crane – Reflections on Migration, Cosmopolitanism and the Formation of Culture Alexander Billet – Race, Class and Musical Expression in Uneven (Under)Development</p>	<p><b>The Housing Question Today</b> Chair: Mary Robertson Diana O'Dwyer – The Housing Crisis in Ireland: A Class Analysis Mary Robertson – Housing-in-political-economy in the era of financialised capitalism Özlem Çelik – Financialisation of Housing: An Emerging Form of Housing Provision in İstanbul</p>	<p><b>Feminism, Politics and the Aesthetics of Social Reproduction</b> Chair: Alan Sears Maya Weeks – You Don't Need Anti-Surveillance Makeup When You're Carrying a Ton of Bricks Christina Grammatikopoulou – Exiting digital utopia: Gender, labour and visual culture in the Internet Era</p>

**13:00 pm – 13:45pm**

**Lunchtime meeting with Editorial Board members**

Session J: Saturday November 7, 13:45 – 15:30 pm

<p><b>The End of <i>Homo Sacer</i>: Assessments and Prospects</b>  Chair: Peter Thomas  Jason E. Smith – Mode of Production, Form-of-Life  Jessica Whyte – ‘how many mosquitoes are born and die’?  Collateral Damage and Surplus Populations in Agamben and Marx  Alberto Toscano – Images of State and <i>Stasis</i>: The Frontispiece of the <i>Leviathan</i> in Agamben, Ginzburg and Bredekamp</p>	<p><b>How the West Came to Rule: The Geopolitical Origins of Capitalism (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Andreas Malm  Neil Davidson – Western Supremacy in the Longue Durée of Uneven and Combined Development  Maia Pal – 'My Capitalism is Bigger than Yours': Early-Modern Legal Sovereignties and Uneven and Combined Development's Theoretical Delusions  Charles Post– Explaining the Origins of Capitalism: A Critique of Anievas and Nisancioglu  Discussants – Alexander Anievas and Kerem Nisancioglu</p>	<p><b>Allan Sekula and the Reinvention of Documentary</b>  Chair: Stephanie Schwartz  Edward Dimendberg – Allan Sekula and the Prehistory of Social Documentary  Photography in Los Angeles  Gail Day &amp; Steve Edwards - Combined and Uneven temporalities in the work of Allan Sekula</p>	<p><b>Questioning Intersectionality II</b>  Chair: Paul Reynolds  Sara Salem - Critiquing Intersectionality: Marxist Feminism and the case of Egypt  Ashley Bohrer – Towards an Intersectional Marxist Feminism  Elmar Flatschart – Intersectionality and the 'Taboo of Abstraction' in Feminist Theory: How the value-dissociation-theorem can help us to delineate foundational mechanism of oppression</p>	<p><b>Late Marx</b>  Chair: Harrison Fluss  Tomonaga Tairako - A Turning Point in Marx’s Theory on Precapitalist Societies-Marx’s Excerpt Notebooks on Maurer in MEGA IV/18  Kevin B. Anderson – Late Marx and the Prospects for Revolution Outside the "Developed" World  Luca Basso – “Transition” and “Communism” in the late Marx</p>	<p><b>Lessons from the Left in Government: From the PT to Syriza Launching SR2016 (Chair, Hilary Wainwright)*</b>  Andreas Karitzis, Nicos Poulantzas Institute, former Syriza Central Committee member  Michael Spourdalakis, Political Science, Athens University, Syriza Pireaus*  Alfredo Saad Filho – Brazil: Lula, Dilma, and the Débâcle of the PT</p>
<p><b>Force and Consent: Primitive Accumulation and the Production of Nature and Culture (Latin American Marxism: Renewals, Transformations, Provocations, Panel 5)</b>  Chair: Irina Feldman  Luis Andueza - Nature, Power, and Primitive Accumulation: the contested production of nature in south central Chile  Pedro Mendes Loureiro - Reformism, Class Conciliation and the Pink Tide  Adriana Johnson - Infrastructures</p>	<p><b>Southern Insurgency: The Coming of the Global Working Class (Book discussion)</b>  Amanda Latimer  Maurizio Atzeni  Tim Pringle  Immanuel Ness - Respondent</p>	<p><b>Neoliberalism, kleptocracy, war, and the vice of capitalist imperialism in Ukraine</b>  Chair: Alex Anievas  Simon Pirani – Capitals Clashing: The Ukrainian Energy Sector in Wartime  Yuliya Yurchenko - Social Forces in the Making of Contemporary Ukraine:  Capitalist Rivalries and the Dispossessed  Christopher Ford – The Recurrent Ukrainian National Question and Retrogression on the Left</p>	<p><b>Rethinking the Politics and Economy of Crisis</b>  Chair: Sebastian Budgen  Robert Brenner - Finance, the Real Economy, and Crisis  Frédéric Lordon – Hopeless Euro  Stathis Kouvelakis – Lessons of the Greek Crisis</p>	<p><b>Histories of Communism and Socialism 4: Italy, Ireland</b>  Chair: David Broder  David Broder – “Quando verrà Baffone...”: Italian communism and the cult of Stalin  Michael Di Benedetto – Palmiro Togliatti, socialist strategy and the "Catholic Question"  Shaun Harkin – James Connolly and World War I: Striking A Blow Against Empire</p>	<p><b>Manuel Sacristán: Critical Perspectives</b>  Chair and Discussant – Jules Townsend  Daniel Mourenza – Understanding Science in the Bad Side of the Socio Historical Movement: Manuel Sacristán on the Role of Science and Technology in the Communist Project  Renzo Llorente – The Philosophical- Political Legacy of Manuel Sacristan  José Sarrión Andaluz – The Notion of Science in Manuel Sacristán</p>

Session K: Saturday November 7, 15:45 – 17:30 pm

<p><b>Podemos: Past, Present and Future</b> Chair: Alberto Toscano Josep Maria Antentas – Podemos: strategy, power, elections and self-organisation Juan Domingo Sanchez Estop - The Under-Theorization of Podemos Jaime Pastor - Spain: The crisis, Podemos and the search of an alternative project</p>	<p><b>Writing the 1926 General Strike: Literature, Culture, Politics</b> Chair: Mike Wayne Dougal McNeill Elinor Taylor Jamie Allinson</p>	<p><b>Feminist Documentary Today: Film Screenings</b> Chair: Amy Charlesworth &amp; Marina Vishmidt Works by Rehana Zaman / Maria Ruido</p>	<p><b>Poulantzas Now</b> Cédric Durand, Tristan Auvray – Is there a European Capital ? The Mandel-Poulantzas debate revisited Bob Jessop - Revisiting Poulantzas on Imperialism Sebnem Oguz – After the June Elections: The Rising Tide of Fascism in Turkey</p>	<p><b>Endnotes (Journal issue launch and discussion)</b> Chair: Jason Smith Aaron Benanav John Clegg Maya Gonzalez Rob Lucas Zoe Sutherland</p>	<p><b>Beyond Parliamentary Socialism? Corbyn's Labour Party (Socialist Register)</b> Chair – Leo Panitch Seamus Milne Andrew Murray Hilary Wainwright</p>
<p><b>Historical Explorations</b> Chair: Maia Pal Christina Petterson – In search of a Marxist Approach to Historical Archives Andrew Murray – The Mourners of Philip the Bold's tomb and the Ideology of the Common Good Martin Platais – 'Locke supplanted Habakkuk': Bourgeois Revolution and the Problem of Genre in 'Paradise Lost' Sven-Eric Liedman - Marx and Engels: intellectual twins or "a tragic deception"?"</p>	<p><b>Geography and Political Economy of Resource Conflicts</b> Rogerio Fae, Steffen Bohm – Global geographies of extractivism: The social and environmental costs of Brazil's role in the global economy Brian Parkin and Jonny Jones - Petrocide: Oil in the context of imperialism, resource conflict and environmental crisis</p>	<p><b>Cultures of Uneven and Combined Development</b> Chair: Alex Anievas Michael Niblett – Peripheral Irrealisms: Water-Spirits, World-Ecology, and Uneven Development James Christie – Fredric Jameson and World Literature: From World Systems Theory to Uneven and Combined Development</p>	<p><b>Warped: Gay Normality and Queer Anti-Capitalism (Book discussion)</b> Chair and Discussant: Paul Reynolds Alan Sears Peter Drucker Holly Lewis</p>	<p><b>Crisis Situations: The Roots of Neoliberalism</b> Luiz Renato Martins – The Contribution of Eurocommunism to Neoliberalism Jorge Grespan – Crisis and the Monstrous Representations of Capital</p>	

**Saturday 18:00 – 20:00 pm Plenary**

**Austerity and Socialist Strategy in Southern Europe**

Chair: Juan Grigera

Panagiotis Sotiris – The Realism of Audacity: Rethinking Revolutionary Strategy Today

Isidro Lopez and Emmanuel Rodriguez – The Long Transition and the Rise of Podemos

Mariana Mortágua – The (Complex) Political Situation in Portugal: Building Alternatives to Austerity

Stathis Kouvelakis - Discussant

Session L, Sunday November 8, 10:00 – 11:45 am

<p><b>Rethinking Fetishism: Alienation, Collective Action and Neo-Liberalism (<i>Marx and Philosophy Society Panel</i>)</b>  Chair: Jan Derry  Sean Sayers – The Theme of Alienation in Marx's Economic Thought  Andrew Chitty – Collective Action, Social Relations Action, and Fetishism  Robert Cannon – Contesting Money's Capacity to Conduct Value-Judgment</p>	<p><b>New Perspectives on Rosa Luxemburg's Writings on the 1905 Revolution</b>  Chair: Maia Pal  Henry Holland – Civil servants, peasants, soldiers, anarchists and priests: Rosa Luxemburg on the various groups contesting the Russian Revolution in 1905-1906  Rory Castle – Revolutionary Honour, Sacrifice and Death: Rosa Luxemburg and the Revolutions of 1905 and 1918/19  Bill Pelz – Luxemburg's Mass Strike: Historical Document or Relevant today?  Axel Fair-Schulz – In Very Good Hands: The Revolution of 1905 as a Catalyst for Rosa Luxemburg's Evolving Concept of Socialist Democracy</p>	<p><b>Art's convulsions: Revolution and the Long Avant-Garde</b>  Dave Beech – Revolution, Art and Labour  Kim Charmley – Institutional Critique and Revolutionary Marxism: Art&amp;Language, New York, 1975-76  Ben Fitton – In Advance of a Broken Attestant  Mark Hutchinson – The Negation of Art: Dada 1917</p>	<p><b>Fossil Capital (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Esther Leslie  Kate Soper  Alberto Toscano  Bhaskar Sunkara  Andreas Malm - Respondent</p>	<p><b>Debates in Marxist Political Economy: Transformation and Super-Exploitation</b>  Geert Reuten – The redundant transformation to prices of production: a Marx-immanent critique and reconstruction  Andy Higginbottom – A fresh look at the transformation problem, super-exploitation and capitalist underdevelopment  Juan Grigera – TBA</p>
<p><b>Peasants, Left-wing Governments, and Neo-Developmentalism in Latin America</b>  Leandro Vergara-Camus – Peasants, Left-wing Governments, and Neo-Developmentalism in Latin America: Exploring the Contradictions  Pablo Lapegna –The National and Sub-national Political Economy of Genetically Modified Soybeans in Argentina  Salvador Marti i Puig – TBA  Jeffery Webber – Discussant</p>	<p><b>Scotland's Social Movement, Britain's Crisis State</b>  Chair: Mary Robertson  Jamie Allinson – The Unmaking of the Scottish Ruling Class  Cat Boyd – Radical Scotland and the Neoliberal Centre  Neil Davidson – Scotland and the Actually Existing Crisis of the British State</p>	<p><b>Portugal in Crisis: Social Relations in Times of Austerity, European Integration, and Lessons from the Revolution of 1974</b>  Chair:Victoria Stadheim  Miguel Perez: The Portuguese labour movement from social revolution to general strike (1974-1982)  Ricardo Noronha: The Portuguese road to neoliberalism (1976-1989)  Victoria Stadheim: Phases of crisis management: the shift from expansionary policies to austerity in the case of Portugal  Mariana Mortágua: Espírito Santo - Fraud and family, two elements of capital accumulation in Portugal</p>	<p><b>'Leninism', Philosophy and the Primacy of Politics</b>  Chair: David Broder  Alexandre Feron – The Philosophical Reading of Lenin by Merleau-Ponty  Alex de Jong – Pannekoek's criticism of 'Leninism' and its afterlives  Darren Roso – Can we break the hellish cycle of the commodity?  Daniel Bensaïd and the primacy of politics</p>	<p><b>Life in Crisis: Social Reproduction and Social Movements</b>  Chair: Alan Sears  Georgios Nikolaidis – The predictable impact of crisis in health and welfare in Greece  Chris Giovanopoulos - The self-organized solidarity movement in Greece: Transcending the dichotomy between political struggle and social movements</p>

Session M, Sunday November 8, 12:00 – 13:45 pm

<p><b>Crisis and Contradiction: Marxist Perspectives on Latin America in the Global Political Economy (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Juan Grigera  Leandro Vergara-Camus  Susan Spronk  Jeffery R. Webber</p>	<p><b>Competitive Accumulation in the Oceans</b>  Chair: Maia Pal  Katy Fox-Hodess – Capital, Labour and States in the Global Maritime Industry  Liam Campling and Alex Colas – Territoriality, sovereignty and accumulation strategies in the global ocean  Alastair Couper and Azmath Jaleel – Global Enclosures, Corporate Power and Fishers</p>	<p><b>New Approaches to Documentary</b>  Chair: Steve Edwards  Werker magazine  Active Stills  Doreen Mende - Discussant</p>	<p><b><i>Money and Totality: A Macro-Monetary Interpretation of Marx's Logic in Capital and the End of the 'Transformation Problem'</i> (Book discussion)</b>  Chair: Mary Robertson  Anders Ekeland  Simon Mohun  Alfredo Saad-Filho  John Weeks  Fred Moseley - Respondent</p>	<p><b>Concepts in Marxist Political Economy</b>  Chair: Matt Cole  Jeremy Valentine – Rent and Marxism in Contemporary Capitalism  Elena Louisa Lange – What's pure about theory? On Uno Kōzō's method in light of 'Capital'  Juha Koivisto, Olli Herranen – Keynesian and Marxist Approaches on Capitalist Social Relations</p>
<p><b>Life, Libidinal Economy and Social Reproduction</b>  Chair Paul Reynolds  Catarina Príncipe - We can't labor without our lives  Cassandra Troyan, Maya Andrea Gonzalez – Disavowed Intimacy: The Abject Labor of Sex Work in the Libidinal Economy  Nat Raha - Queer Social and Capital Reproduction</p>	<p><b>Caesarism, Nationalism, Counter-Insurgency: Marxist Perspectives</b>  Guillaume Fondu – Marxism and the national question from an epistemological point of view  Francesca Antonini – Caesarism, Passive Revolution and Hegemony in Gramsci's Prison Notebooks  Ryan Toews – Gramsci, Mao, and American Counterinsurgency Doctrine</p>	<p><b>Whither the Greek Left?</b>  Chair: Sebastian Budgen  Savas Michael-Matsas – Greece: The Broken Link  Kostas Skordoulis – The Greek Anticapitalist Left (Antarsya) and the challenge for revolutionary strategy  Kevin Ovenden - The primacy of which politics: Lenin's, Gramsci's and the Greek crisis</p>	<p><b>Labour, Class and State</b>  Chair: Jamie Woodcock  Raji Singh Soni, Ralph Callebert – Claims of labor: post-national citizenship and the culture of the state  Anu Sabhlok - The New Public Sector Labour Geographies in India  Miris Meryem Kurtulmus, Kurtar Tanyilmaz – A Critical Assessment of the Global Production Chains Approaches and Their Implications for Labour: The Case of the Automotive Industry in Turkey</p>	<p><b>Revisiting 1960s Italian Marxism</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Giorgio Cesarale – Marxism and Subjectivity: Sartre and the Italian Marxists at the Gramsci Institute in 1961  Félix Boggio – Political economy and revolutionary politics: Insights from Italian workerism on strategy  Andrea Cengia – A new critique of capitalist rationality thanks to the thought of the Marxist heretic Raniero Panzieri</p>

**Session N: Sunday November 8, 14:30 – 16:15 pm**

<p><b>Dilemmas and Contradictions of Leftist Praxis</b>  Chair: Sebastian Budgen  Emmanuel Barot - From Zimmerwald to the Migration Crisis Passing Through Greece: Which National Struggles for Which Internationalism?  Loren Goldner - Four Studies in Revolution, Defeat and Theoretical Underdevelopment: Russia, Turkey, Spain, Bolivia  Giorgos Kalampokas – Dual Power Revisited</p>	<p><b>Directions in Critical Theory</b>  Chair: Esther Leslie  Mauro Farnesi Camellone – Knowing and Changing. Bloch's cut of Marx's Eleven Theses on Feuerbach  Jacob Bard-Rosenberg – Angelic Satire: Benjamin and Marx on Movement and Standstill  Magda Schumkalla - Gestures from places that never were: Adorno, art and post-communism</p>	<p><b>The Aesthetics of Uneven and Combined Development</b>  Chair: Steve Edwards  Nick Lawrence – Uneven and Combined Development: Culture and World-Ecology  Wendy Knepper – Margaret Atwood's Recycled Futures: Uneven and Combined Developmental Horizons  Nesrin Degirmencioglu – Allegory and Fantasy: Reshaping the Contours of Aesthetics in a Neoliberal Era</p>	<p><b>Struggles in South Africa</b>  Chair: Thomas Marois  Jasper Finkeldey and Steffen Böhm – Lessons from Marikana? South Africa's sub-imperialism and the rise of Blockadia  Michael Neocosmos – Lessons from the South? The antinomies of nationalism and national consciousness in South Africa  Peter Alexander, Carin Runciman and Trevor Ngwane - Triangulating and explaining South Africa's Rebellion of the Poor</p>	<p><b>Theorising Austerity, Financialisation and Neoliberalism</b>  Chair: Matt Cole  Patrick Neveling – Financialisation or Capitalism? Sovereign Default, Structural Adjustment, and Capitalist Accumulation  Alan Bradshaw/Jacob Ostberg – Commodity Fetishism During European Austerity  Jaswinder Blackwell-Pal – The Theatre is a Factory: Acting out Neoliberalism</p>
<p><b>Dependency Theory Revisited</b>  Chair: Juan Grigera  Viviane de Souza Rodrigues – Brazil and the Question of Dependency  Juliana Rodrigues de Senna – From subimperialism to sub-hegemony: the role of ideology on semi-peripheral international insertion  Victor Hugo Tonin – Marxist Dependency Theory: origins and conflicts</p>	<p><b>Cinema: Crisis and Form</b>  Chair: Alberto Toscano  Nicolas Vieillescazes – The Horror Film as Social Form: A Theoretical Proposal  Roberto Mozzachiodi – Under the Skin: Alienating Social Realism  Jeremy Spencer – The Representation of Political Crisis in Godard's Counter-Cinema</p>	<p><b>Neoliberalism, Sexuality and Social Reproduction</b>  Qian Zhu – The Neoliberal Subject of Feminism in Contemporary China: Case Studies  Ozgur Genc – Women in Communes and Collectivising Social Reproduction  Colin Wilson – The Left, Women and Sexuality in Weimar Germany – Practice and Theory  Katharina Hajek – The Biopolitics of the Family: Social Reproduction, Gendered Subjectivation and the Renegotiation of the Public-Private Divide in Germany</p>	<p><b>In the Tracks of Western Marxism</b>  Chair: Harrison Fluss  Robert Jackson – Lukács, Rupture and Phenomenology  Baraneh Emadian - Nietzsche and Lukács: The Legacy of Romantic anti-Capitalism  Katarzyna Bielińska-Kowalewska – The Yugoslav Praxis-Philosophy: A New Approach</p>	<p><b>Figures of Radical Thought</b>  Itai Farhi – Logics of Representation: State, World and Capital  Jai Bentley-Payne - Contract, Capital and Event  Ben Fulman – Adorno and Horkheimer on Hatred of Utopian Groups</p>



**Closing Plenary Sunday November 10: 17:00 – 19:00 pm**

**Sunday plenary – Race, Mobility and the State**

Chair: Maia Pal

Marcus Rediker – Capitalism, Unfree Labor, and the Atlantic Class Struggle over Mobility

Amrit Wilson - 'The Mercy and Wisdom of a Government' - Race, violence against women and the British state

Rafeef Ziadah – Discussant