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CONFERENCE STREAMS

Art Manifestos: The Future of
an Evolving Form

Evangelos Chrysagis
Panos Kompatsiaris

Automating Inequality: AI,
Smart Devices and the
Reproduction of the Social

Juljan Krause
Matthias Benzer

Cold War Then and Now:
Theories and Legacies

Maria Christou

Culture/Politics of Trauma

Simon Lee-Price

Difference, Evolution and
Biology

Niall Sreenan

Gendered Technologies,
Gender as Technology

Clementine Boucher

Immanence, Conflict and
Institution: Within and
Beyond Italian Theory

Laura Cremonesi
Mattia Di Pierro
Francesco Marchesi
Elia Zaru

Multiplying Citizenship:
Beyond the Subject of
Rights

Demet Gülçiçek
Irene Dal Poz

Radical Ventriloquism: Acts
of Speaking Through and
Speaking for

Lee Campbell
Christabel Harley

Rethinking New
Materialisms: Ethics, Politics
and Aesthetics

Hannah Richter
Ignasi Torrent

Thinking Critically with Care

Fay Dennis
Jade Henry
Emily Jay Nicholls

OVERVIEW

Friday 5th July

Registration	— 9:00-9:30
Parallel Sessions 1	— 9:30-11:00
Culture/Politics of Trauma 1	
Cold War Then and Now 1	
Rethinking New Materialism 1	
Gendered Technologies, Gender as Technology 1	
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Difference, Evolution and Biology 1	
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Multiplying Citizenship 2	
Art Manifestos 2	
Gendered Technologies, Gender as Technology 2	

Saturday 6th July

Registration	— 9:00-9:30
Parallel Sessions 1	— 9:30-11:00
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Difference, Evolution and Biology 2	
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9:00-9:30	Registration - Room 300			
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11:00-11:30	Break			
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13:00-14:00	Lunch			
14:00-15:30	Thinking Critically With Care 1	Multiplying Citizenship 1	Art Manifestos 1	Difference, Evolution and Biology 1
15:30-16:00	Break			
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SATURDAY	ROOM 356	ROOM 307	ROOM 308	ROOM 309
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16:00-17:30	Multiplying Citizenship 3	Cold War Then and Now 4	Culture/Politics of Trauma 3	Rethinking New Materialism 4
17:30 -	Post-Conference Drinks			

FRIDAY 5TH JULY

Registration – 9:00-9:30

Parallel Sessions 1 – 9:30-11:00

Culture/Politics of Trauma 1

Indelible in the Hippocampus: Ford/Kavanaugh, Trauma, and Juridical Forms in Crisis

Phil Yakushev

From Trauma to Memory Activism: collective interventions in public spaces of violence and ruination

Dimitra Gkitsa

Damnation of Memory: Cultural Trauma and the Politics of Forgetting/ Remembering from Antiquity to the Present

Hrvoje Cvijanović

Cold War Then and Now 1

Waves and Radiation: Contemporary American Television and the Nuclear Uncanny

Daniel Grausam

Posthumanism and Cold War

James Purdon

Felo de se: the *Munus* of Remote Sensing

Ryan Bishop

Rethinking New Materialism 1

Vitruvian Mantology: Architecture and Posthuman Politics

Debra Shaw

Re-thinking the performative and the archive in New Materialism through the art museum and the natural history museum

Hélia Marçal and Bergit Arends

Gendered Technologies, Gender as Technology 1

Digital and arts production: escaping alienation and the deviation available through post-studio making"

Paul Stewart

Gender monstrosities under military dictatorship

Patricia Branco Cornish

Break – 11:00-11:30

Parallel Sessions 2 – 11:30-13:00

Automating Inequality 1

A Critical Examination of Artificial Intelligence and Big Data in Computational Social Science

Peter Krafft and Karen Huang

Remixing the soundtrack of oppression. How to sing back to the machine?

Abdelrahman Hassan

Cold War Then and Now 2

Women in the Network: Cold War Communication and Women's Poetry

Alex Goody

Stranger Things in Strange Times: Surveillance, Nostalgia and Contemporary American politics

Antonia Mackay

Checking Out the Books: Textuality and the Archive in Late Cold War Culture

Daniel Cordle

Rethinking New Materialism 2

Is Matter Ethical? Is Ethics Material? An Enquiry into the Ethical Dimension of Karen Barad's Agential Realism

Małgorzata Kowalcze

The Crisis is Real. A Material-Discursive Approach to Corbyn and the NHS Crisis

Calvin Duggan

For a Modest Human Exceptionalism: Simone de Beauvoir and the "New Materialisms"

Sonia Kruks

Immanence, Conflict and Institution 1

Rereading Rancière beyond immanence? Cartographies of the possible and registers of experimentation

Anders Fjeld

From social inquiry to political subjectivation. Romano Alquati in the heretical marxism

Matteo Polleri

Savage democracy with and beyond Lefort and Abensour

Arthur Guichoux

Lunch – 13:00-14:00

Parallel Sessions 3 – 14:00-15:30

Thinking Critically With Care 1

Feminist para-ethnographies: De-medicalising interdisciplinary in (health)care

Andrea Núñez Casal

Care relations in the cystic fibrosis clinic: distancing, proximities and convergences

Christina Buse, et al

Choreography of care

Keely Macarow

Multiplying Citizenship 1

Fuck-ability: Intimating Sovereignty and Sexual Citizenship in Benjamin and Bataille

Chrys Papaioannou

Surveying the Landscape of the Social Contract: The Insufficiency of Being as a Juridical Subject

Elizabeth Pimentel

The 'Tragedy' of Residency: local citizenship in Italy between emancipation and social control

Enrico Gargiulo

Art Manifestos 1

Introduction

Evangelos Chrysagis and Panos Kompatsiaris

Never-ending Empire roadwork: towards a theory of what is and has been - and perhaps will continue to be – a mediated and artistic lacuna in academic and public institutions

Helly Chahal

No title

Jacobus Koster

Difference, Evolution and Biology 1

Why There is No Sexual Relationship: On the Coming Materialism of Eros

Oleg Gelikman

The difference affective neurobiology makes

Andrew Bevan

Spaltungstetigkeit: 'schizophrenia' across the great divide

Michael Flexer

Break – 15:30-16:00

Parallel Sessions 4 – 16:00-17:30

Thinking Critically With Care 2

Opening the medicine cabinet and finding black boxes

Adam Christianson and Franziska Sörgel

Ayahwasca and the mental health care of prison inmates in Brazil

Marcelo Mercante

Compelled by an emotional economy of care: exploring the 'career' of 'widening participation' graduates

Ricky Gee

Multiplying Citizenship 2

Agency Beyond Crossing: Re-Thinking the Politics of Migration Through the 'Political'

Antonella Patteri

Immigrant Religion in American Literature: A Transdisciplinary Study in Borderland Identities, Neighborhood-Creation, and Post-Nationalism

Jeanne-Arli Crocker Hammer

The Individual and Polity of Post-Global Civil Society

Genevieve Costello

Art Manifestos 2

Language games with "Manifesto"

Nana Ariel

Exegesis as manifesto

Paul Williams

A Brand (new?) Manifesto

Danai Tselenti

Bringing Metaphor Home

Tom White

Gendered Technologies, Gender as Technology 2

The International Council of University Microreparations

Tyler Denmead

Reception & Book Launch – Room 300 at 17:30

SATURDAY 6TH JULY

Registration – 9:00-9:30

Parallel Sessions 1 – 9:30-11:00

Radical Ventriloquism 1

AutoInterruption: Abstraction and disembodiment of the performed voice

Gemma Marmalade

Writing from diaspora as an act of radical ventriloquism

Ting J. Yiu and Nadja Schaetz

Desktop films: the act of seeing with someone else's eyes

Gala Hernandez

Difference, Evolution and Biology 2

The Problem with Games: Towards a Deleuzian State of Nature Political Theory

Jeffrey Bell

Evolution as selection of differences

Jernej Kaluza

(Re)Thinking New Materialism with Whitehead: From Ontology to 'Process Relation'

David Chandler

Immanence, Conflict and Institution 2

Parrhesia between institution and communitas: re-reading Foucault with the Italian Thought

Andrea Di Gesu

Agamben's Hobbes, Hobbes's commonwealth and the fragility of law

Luke Collison

The politics and the living: normativity and negation in Canguilhem's thought

Raffaele Grandoni

Thinking Critically With Care 3

Mobilising for more liveable lives: affective tensions in gynae cancer patient activism

Lisa Lindén

Caring for Beirut: Neighborhood Activism in Lebanon

Sophie Chamas

Break – 11:00-11:30

Parallel Sessions 2 – 11:30-13:00

Radical Ventriloquism 2

Using Alternative forms of Communication to Interview Adults with Deafblindness

Atul Jaiswal

Nothing About us Without Us: The Challenges of Participatory Autism Research

Lisa Quadt

Normative sightedness, non-normative blindness: how museums represent 'Blindness' through access provision

Marinella Tomasello

Art Manifestos 3

Manifesta without a Manifesto? Artistic Statements in Times of Political Turbulence

Margarita Kuleva

Hungarofuturism: A Manifesto for the Pan-Periphery

Miklósvölgyi Zsolt and Mario Nemes

Artur Żmijewski's *The Applied Social Arts* (2007) as an art manifesto

Wiktoria Koziol

Towards Antifascist Futures

Antifascist Culture

Gendered Technologies, Gender as Technology 3

Emancipated Household in Czechoslovakia: a resource to reinvent the domestic space

Tereza Stejskalová

Automating Inequality 2

Sophia's place: A Marxist perspective on AI and migration

Eman Shehata

Your Smartphone is an Atom Bomb – Günther Anders and the rise of Anaesthetic Violence

Chris Muller

Lunch – 13:00-14:00

Parallel Sessions 3 – 14:00-15:30

Radical Ventriloquism 3

Listening to Materials – co-designing in the Anthropocene

Jane Norris

Throwing voices: the commodification of culture, from art Biennials to celebrity

Ian Brown et al

Wet Words and Dirty Talk: speaking through ecosex intimacies in the work of Annie Sprinkle and Elizabeth Stephens

Jon Cairns

Cold War Then and Now 3

The Cold War Did Not Take Place: Philosophy and the Critique of International Relations

Neil Turnbull

Real Data: Hyperlegibility in Talk and MacNamara's Infodumping

Emily Foister

The Bombgod Wants Maximum Profit, Perpetual Growth: Finding New Narratives Outside of Capitalism's Apocalypse

Niall Heffernan

Culture/Politics of Trauma 2

The cutouts: belaboring unseen, unspeakable

Mantas Kvedaravicius

Trauma, Memory and the Politics of Literature

Miguel Alirangues Lopez

Trauma, wit(h)nessing and carriage in Aurora Lubos' performance *Witajcie / Welcome*

Anna Chromik

Rethinking New Materialism 3

Mistrust Self-Loathing and the Platonic Throne. A Brief Account of Metaphysical Abjection

Jonathan Morgan

Fluid Resistance: The Literary Politics of Water

Katharina Donn

Multispecies (hi)stories in the context of HIV prevention: reflections on the practical, ethical and symbiopolitical implications of imagining a future with HIV

Bryan Lim

Inside an attachment

Harshavardhan Bhat

Break – 15:30-16:00

Parallel Sessions 4 – 16:00-17:30

Multiplying Citizenship 3

Liminal citizenships: Repression, Prison Literature and Citizenship in post-Soviet Cuba

Desiree Diaz

Reclaiming Agency – Defying ontologies

Jenny Anghelike Papassotiriou

Displacement, Film, and the Future: Seeking Refuge in Contemporary USA

Yehuda Sharim

No title

Claudia Garcia-Rojas

Cold War Then and Now 4

Non-Narrative Future Tenses and the “Problem” Children of Nuclear Fiction

Francis Parr

Trans* and Cold War legacies of socialism: Reading queer postsocialism in *Tangerine*

Bogdan Popa

Apocalyptic Masculinity in the Novels of Kurt Vonnegut

Sanna Melin

Culture/Politics of Trauma 3

Trauma Beyond Guilt & Atonement: Améry with Nietzsche & Freud

John R. Spiers

Durational Trauma: Employing Bergson to Elucidate Embodied Tactics of Enduring

Hannah Bacon

Trauma and The Refugee

Claire Marshall

Rethinking New Materialism 4

Containing Globalization

Daniel Quiroga-Villamarin

Government as habitat: red imported fire ants and the state

William Rollason

Voids, Vacuums and Loopholes: Law, Sovereignty and New Materialism

Charlie Blake and Lucy Finchett-Maddok

Post-Conference Drinks

Venue to be announced