

The Sixth International Conference Rethinking Marxism 2006

26-28 October University of Massachusetts Amherst

Conference Schedule

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Thursday 26 October 2006

1:00-3:00 Concurrent Sessions **[A]**

3:30-5:30 Concurrent Sessions **[B]**

7:30-9:30 Plenary Session **The Power of the Left Media** [Student Union Ballroom]

Friday 27 October 2006

9:30-11:30 Concurrent Sessions **[C]**

1:00-3:00 Concurrent Sessions **[D]**

4:00-6:30 Art Event **Setting in Motion** [Flavin Auditorium]

8:00-10:00 Plenary Session **Imperialism and the Fantasies of Democracy**
[Student Union Ballroom]

Saturday 28 October 2006

9:30-11:30 Concurrent Sessions **[E]**

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7:30-9:30 Plenary Session **Rethinking Communism** [Student Union Ballroom]

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All sessions except noted will take place in **Campus Center**.

NB If you submitted a paper or panel proposal for RM06, and you do not see it listed on the conference program, please contact Vin Lyon-Callo at <mailto:vincent.lyon-callo@wmich.edu> immediately.

[A] Thursday 1:00-3:00

A1 [163C] RM/AESA Book

Session on *Liberating*

Economics: Feminist

***Perspectives on Families, Work, and Globalization* by Drucilla**

Barker and Susan Feiner

Chair: Suzanne Bergeron

(University of Michigan-Dearborn)

Carole Biewener (Simmons College)

Eiman Zein-Elabdin (Franklin and Marshall College)

Ulla Grapard (Colgate University)

Respondents: Drucilla Barker

(Hollins University) and Susan

Feiner (University of Southern Maine)

A2 [917] The Other Side of

Globalization

Chair: Heather Brown (Purdue University)

Balmurli Natrajan (William Patterson University) "Is Caste Cultural Identity? Rethinking Caste as Process"

Heather Brown (Purdue University) "Multilinearism, Contingency, and Revolutionary Subjectivity: Reevaluating Marx on Historical Development in Non-Western Societies"

Sooenn Park (Washington University) "The 'Human' in the Making: Politics of Human Rights without 'the Human' Foundation"

Patrick Hayden (University of Oregon) "Social Forums, Social Movements and the Old New Left"

A3 [168] Nataliy, Action, Violence: Arendt and Benjamin and the Time of the Political

Chair: Catherine Kellogg (University of Alberta)

Catherine Kellogg (University of Alberta) "Arendt and the Political: After Sovereignty"

Charles Barbour (University of Alberta) "Arendt and Benjamin on the Time of the Political"

Amy Swiffen (University of Alberta) "Action and Violence in a Non-moral Sense"

A4 [805-809] Apologists for Capital? Exploring Corporate Social Responsibility as a "New" Mode of Governance

Chair: Megan Dombrowski (York University)

Simon Enoch (Ryerson University) "A Greener Potemkin Village? CSR & the Limits of Growth"

Ryan Foster (Queen's University) "The Political Economy of 'Divide and Sponsor': Wal-Mart, Corporate Social Responsibility, and Labour Market Discipline in Low-Wage America"

Sandra Ignagni (York University) "Stretched to the Limits or the

Limits of Stretching? The Yoga Industry and Corporate Social Responsibility at Work"

Discussant: Paul Mazzocchi (York University)

A5 [911-915] Allegories of Capital: Rethinking Jameson through Genre Film and Television

Chair: Jason Cato (University of Texas)

Mikel Parent (Brandeis University) "Sam Peckinpah's New Western and the New Imperialism"

Jason Cato (University of Texas)

"The Horror of the Hills: Urbanoia, the 'Hillbilly Horror' Film, and Racialized Class Formation"

Daniel Worden (California College of the Arts) "Neoliberalism, Sovereignty, and Circulation in HBO's 'Deadwood'"

A6 [803] The Production of Inequality in Contemporary Capitalism

Chair: J. Andres Ramirez (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Jason L. Mallory (Estrella Mountain College) "Panopticism and Mass Incarceration"

J Andres Ramirez (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Leave No Mistake Behind: Determinism in Current U.S. Literacy Policy"

Elizabeth Ramey (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
"Poverty in Plenty: Class and the Industry of Agriculture"

David Black (Bristol University)
"Expedient Exceptions: Neoliberal Penalty and the Strategic Production of 'Bare Life'"

A7 [162] Revisiting "Lost" Marxisms

Chair: Brian Waddell (University of Connecticut)

Clyde Barrow (University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth) "The Poulantzas-Althusser Debate: State Theory and the Epistemologies of Structuralism"

Bradley J. Macdonald (Colorado State University) "Marcuse and the Triumph of the Warfare State"

William Niemi (Western State College) "Revisiting the Lost Marx: Politics, Praxis, and Democracy"

Discussant: Brian Waddell (University of Connecticut)

A8 [905-909] In Defense of Mao and the Chinese Revolution: Critical Responses to Mao, the Unknown Story, and "Dark Age Memoir Literature"

Chair: Raymond Lotta (Set the Record Straight)

Dongping Han (Warren Wilson College) "The Unknown Cultural Revolution: Its Impact on Rural Development"

Raymond Lotta (Set the Record Straight) "A Maoist Critique of Mao: The Unknown Story"

Xueping Zhong (Tufts University) "A Critical Response to 'Dark-Age Memoir Literature'"

A9 [174] On the 200th Anniversary of Hegel's Phenomenology of Spirit: Can His Power of Negativity Speak to Today's Reality?

Chair: Ron Kelch

Ron Kelch "Harris's Paradox and Dunayevskaya's New Beginning: Can Hegel's Method Shape a New Unity of Theory and Practice"

Urszula Wislanka "Hegel's Dialectic and Feminism"

Franklin Bell "Christopher Arthur's New Dialectic and the 'Absolute Historicism' of Marx's Humanism"

Eugene Gogol (Independent Scholar) "Dialectics of Organization and Philosophy"

A10 [164] Reassessing Frantz Fanon

Chair: Aisha Karim (Saint Xavier University)

Anthony Garavente "The Wretched of the Earth as the Marxist Revolutionary Vanguard"

Noah De Lissovoy (University of Texas San Antonio) "'Stretched Dialectic': Recovering a Fanonian Materialism"

Nigel Gibson (Emerson College) "The Damned Translation and the Reduction of Fanon"

Aisha Karim (Saint Xavier University) "Frantz Fanon and the Problem of Postnationalism"

A11 [176] Materialism Reloaded

Chair: Norman Levine (Institute of International Policy)

Norman Levine (Institute of International Policy) "The Philosophic Presuppositions for the Renewal of Marxism"

Frieder Wolf (Free University of Berlin) "Spinoza's Contribution to the Philosophic Presuppositions of a Marxism of the 21st Century"

Jean-Francois Filion (University of Quebec-Montreal) "The Material Effectivity of Symbolic Forms: Outline of a Dialectical Critique of Materialism"

Eric Pineault "Prolegomena for a Cultural Critique of Advanced Capitalism: Revisiting Marx's Social Theory of Value"

A12 [903] Culture Industry in Late Capitalism

Chair: Julia Nevarez (Kean University)

Roshanak Keshti (University of California Berkeley) "Differentiating the Expressive Cultural Laborer: The Making of a Fetish Economy"

Anna Feigenbaum (McGill University) "Nakkid Revolutions? Alienated Labor and Alternapornography"

Julia Nevarez (Kean University) "Obscure Signification: Ideologies and Counter-Aesthetics of New Left Art and Media"

Aras Özgün (New School for Social Research) "Creative Industries: Neo-Liberalism as Mass Deception"

Heather Fielding (Brown University)

“The Mechanics of the Dancing

Table: Commodities and

Technology in Capital”

**A13 [811-815] Film: Black Gold:
Your Coffee Will Never Taste the
Same Again (A Film by Nick and
Marc Francis)**

[B] Thursday 3:30-5:30

B1 [803] Rethinking Marxism:

Meet the Editors

David F. Ruccio, Editor (University of Notre Dame)

Susan Jahoda and Jesal Kapadia, Art (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Jack Amariglio, art/iculations (Merrimack College)

Richard Wolff, Remarx (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Joseph Childers, Reviews (University of California-Riverside)

B2 [163C] What is Critical About Sociology (Sponsored by *Critical Sociology*)

Chair: David Fasenfest (Wayne State University)

Marty Oppenheimer (Rutgers University) "A Critical Look at the Contradictions of the Immigration 'Problem'"

Lauren Langman, (Loyola University Chicago) "Capitalism, Character, and the Escape from Reality"

Paul Paolucci (Eastern Kentucky University) "Uncovering Marx's Scientific Dialectic"

David Fasenfest (Wayne State University) "Marx and a Critical Sociology"

B3 [805-809] Towards a New Economics of the Commune:

Aristotle, Marx, Lacan

Chair: Kenan Erçel (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Philip Kozel (Rollins College) "Communities and Commodities"

Yahya Madra (Gettysburg College) "The Axiom of Communism"

Maliha Safri (Knox College) and Ceren Özselçuk (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "The Ambivalence of the Gift"

Stephen Healy (Miami University Ohio) "Health Care Reform and the Ethics of Non-All"

B4 [172] Contradiction and Cultural Critique: Dialectics and Rethinking Rhetorical Possibilities

Chair: Danika M. Brown (University of Texas-Pan American)

Danika M. Brown (University of Texas-Pan American) "Negative Dialectics: Rethinking Rhetoric"

MJ Braun (University of West Florida) "Dialectics and Ancient Political Economic Moral Codes"

Kat McLellan (University of Houston-Downtown) "Dialectics, Non-Resolution, and the Recuperation of Non-Canonical Texts"

Catherine Chaput (Brock University) "Power, Dialectics, and

Contemporary Culture's Critique of Capitalism"

B5 [905-909] Critical Perspectives on Network Centric Warfare: Political Economy, Ideology, Theory

Chair: Brian Murphy (Niagara University)

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"A Geo-Political Economy of Network Centric Warfare"

Ian Roderick (Wilfrid Laurier University) "Automated Grammar: How Robots Save Lives and Sell War"

Mary Sterpka King (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Topographic Representations of Network Warfare"

B6 [168] Materialism Before Althusser, After Althusser

Chair: Hasana Sharp (McGill University)

Bill Martin (DePaul University) "Spirit in the Material World: Spinoza, Kant, Marx"

Richard A. Lee (DePaul University) "Materialism and Method: Spinoza and Althusser"

William Clare Roberts (Washington & Jefferson College) "Science and Material Production: Benjamin, Althusser, Marx"

B7 [903] Can There Be a Marxism Beyond the Dialectic and Beyond the Subject?

Chair: Kenneth Surin (Duke University)

Gail Hamner (Syracuse University) "A Marxist Feminism with the Dialectic and the Subject?"

Janel Watson (Virginia Tech) "Non-Dialectical Historicism"

Kenneth Surin (Duke University) "Is Trauma Theory Compatible with Marxist Conceptions of the Subject?"

James Ford (University of Notre Dame) "The 'Crisis' in Trauma Theory: Toward a Materialist Theory of Trauma"

B8 [911-915] New Left in the 60s: Politics, Theory, and Practice

Chair: Charlotte Anderholt (Georgetown University)

Christopher Cutrone (University of Chicago) "Adorno in 1969: Marxism and the Problem and Legacy of the 60s Left in Theory and Practice"

Kirsten Forkert (Malmo Art Academy) "A Re-reading of the Art Workers' Coalition 1969 Open Hearing"

Charlotte Anderholt (Georgetown University) "Revolutionary Violence: Politics by Other Means?"

B9 [904-908] The Ontology of Labor and the Problem of Sovereignty

Chair: Oliver Belcher (University of Kentucky)

Dan Skinner (Bloomfield College) "Gandhi and the Negrian Ontology of Labor as a Power for/of Love"

Anna Carastathis (McGill University) "'The Body is the Place of Captivity': The Embodiment of Labor Under Capitalism"

Oliver Belcher (University of Kentucky) "Does a Sovereign Speak Before He Devours? Questioning the Role of Sovereignty in Hardt and Negri"

Banu Bargu (Cornell University) "Marxist Politics and the Sovereign Paradox"

B10 [804-808] Back in the USSR: Reassessing the Present through the Past

Chair: Petra Rethmann (McMaster University)

Petra Rethmann (McMaster University) "Requiem for Nostalgia"

Irwin Nack (William Patterson University) "Lessons from Visits to the Marx and Lenin Museums"

B11 [162] Critical Perspectives on the Administration of Life

Chair: Isabelle Barker (Bryn Mawr College)

Isabelle Barker (Bryn Mawr College) "The Politics of Distributive Social Policies and the Inclusive Exclusion of Biological Life"

Susan Preston (Ryerson College) "Reconstructing Marx: Feminist Implications for Child Protection"

Eloisa Gordon-Mara (Safe Horizons) "The Elephant in the Living Room: Race, Class, Family

Violence, and the New York City Foster Care System"

Brendan McCall (Penn State University) "Working Wombs"

B12 [176] Marx, Marxism, and the Questions of Method

Chair: Ozan Isler (University of California Riverside)

Ozan Isler (University of California Riverside) and Serhat Kologlugil (University of California-Riverside) "Towards a Materialist Epistemology"

Justin Holt (New York University-Gallatin) "The Basis and Ramifications of Marx's Materialist Standard of Practical Judgement"

Roman Briggs (University of Arkansas) "Standing the Dialectic on its Head: Marxian Method for a Post-Marxian Paradigm"

Christopher Poor (University of Otago) "Marxism and Realism: Theories of Social Change"

B13 [917] Empire and Beyond

Chair: Randy Martin (New York University)

Randy Martin (New York University) "Empire's Derivative Wars"

Michael Brown (Northeastern University) "Imperialism's Theory"

Stephen Duncombe (New York University) "Reimagining Progressive Politics in an Age of Fantasy"

Heather Gautney (Towson State University) "The World Social Forum and Spaces of Resistance"

**B14 [174] Explorations in Marxian
Notions of Justice: Property,
Exploitation, Labor, Capability**

Chair: Faruk Eray Düzenli (Bowling
Green State University)

Norman Fischer (Kent State
University) "Marxist Property
Theory as Justice Theory"

Faruk Eray Düzenli (Bowling Green
State University) "Towards a
labor theory of ethics: Surplus
performing labor as a capability"

Jeff Noonan (University of Windsor)
"Jobs of a Lifetime: Capitalism
and Temporal Need Deprivation"

Paul Warren (University of Florida)
"Exploitation as a Normative
Concept"

**B15 [175] Strategies for
Revolutionary Politics**

Chair: Joel Olson (Northern Arizona
University)

Joel Olson (Northern Arizona
University) "Fanaticism and
Communism"

John Kunat (Sonoma State) "Raise
the Black Flag: Piracy and the
State in Renaissance England"

Bronislaw Czarnocha (Hostoc City
College and City University of
New York) "The Cycle Theory of
Polish Revolution"

Colin Barker (Manchester
Metropolitan University) and
John Krinsky (City College and
City University of New York)
"Marxism and Social
Movements: Do They Need Each
Other?"

**B16 [169] The Velocity of Labour
and the Duration of Politics**

Chair: Abdul-Karim Mustapha
(Wofford College and University
of Paris)

Fuyuki Kurasawa (York University) "
Global Justice as Politico-Ethical
Labor"

Abdul-Karim Mustapha (Wofford
College and University of Paris)
"Remains of the Future"

**B17 [170] Time for a New Radical
Party and Questions of Political
Organization: Author meets
critics: Stanley Aronowitz's *Left
Turn: Forging a New Political
Future* (Co-Sponsored by the
Situations Collective and the Left
Forum)**

Presenter: Stanley Aronowitz (City
University of New York)

Discussants: The Situations
Collective

**B18 [811-815] Film: *Black Gold:
Your Coffee Will Never Taste the
Same Again* (A Film by Nick and
Marc Francis)**

7:30-9:30 Thursday

The Power of the Left Media

Liza Featherstone

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Trebor Scholz

Chair: Susan Jahoda

Place: Student Union Ballroom

[C] Friday 9:30-11:30

C1 [163C] RM/AESA Book

Session on *Postmodern Moments in Modern Economics* by David F. Ruccio and Jack Amariglio

Chair: Deirdre McCloskey (University of Illinois-Chicago)
Suzanne Bergeron, (University of Michigan-Dearbor)
Deirdre McCloskey (University of Illinois-Chicago)
Serap Kayatekin (University of Leeds)
Evan Watkins (University of California Davis)
Respondents: David F. Ruccio (University of Notre Dame) and Jack Amariglio (Merrimack College)

C2 [803] Marxism and Psychology View the United States Today (Part I)

Chair: Harriet Fraad (Psychotherapist, New York City)
Roger Salerno (Pace University) "Marx, Freud and the iPod Self"
Lauren Langman (Loyola University of Chicago) "Real Men Like Boobs and God Hates Fags: Mythologies and Mysogynies in American Character"
Harriet Fraad (Psychotherapist, New York City) "Twelve Steps to a Revolution"

C3 [903] Imperial Subjects: Citizenship, Culture and Dissent

Chair: Colin Mooers (Ryerson University)
Colin Mooers (Ryerson University) "The New Imperial Citizenship: From Insecure Labor to the Security State"
Pablo Idahosa (York University) "Solidarity or Global Citizenship? The Case of HIV and AIDS"
Alan Sears (Ryerson University) "Sex After Citizenship? The Future of Queer Liberation"
Jules Townshend (Manchester Metropolitan University) "Anthony Giddens and the Limits of Pragmatism"

[162] The Bread and Puppet Theater

Rehearsal Friday 11:30-1:00
Performance Friday 2:30-3:00

C4 [165] Labor and Class Analytics: The U.S. Context

Chair: Michael Hillard (University of Southern Maine)
Graham Cassano (University of Connecticut) "The Corporate Imaginary in New Deal Cinema"
Michael Hillard (University of Southern Maine) and Ric McIntyre (University of Rhode

Island) "'IR Experts' and the New Deal State: The Diary of a Defeated Subsumed Class"

Catherine Mulder (University of Indiana-Fort Wayne) "Walmart: A Class Analysis"

Discussants: Catherine Mulder (University of Indiana-Fort Wayne), Michael Hillard (University of Southern Maine), and David Kristjanson-Gural (Bucknell University)

C5 [811B-815] Rethinking Poverty, Development, and Transnational Funding

Chair: Joseph Medley (University of Southern Maine)

Joseph Medley (University of Southern Maine) and Lorraine Carroll (University of Southern Maine) "Letters of Blood and Fire"

Stephen Cullenberg (University of California-Riverside) and Anjan Chakrabarti (Calcutta) "Rethinking Poverty Beyond the World Bank: Class and Ethical Dimensions of Poverty Eradication"

Millie Thayer (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Markets and Movements: Negotiating Transnational Funding Relationships"

C6 [172] Workshop: Out-Cooperating the Empire? (Co-Sponsored by the Institute for Distributed Creativity and the Rosa Luxemburg Foundation)

Workshop Leaders: Trebor Scholz and Christoph Spehr

C7 [168] RM/AESA Book Session on *Inequality, Poverty, and Neoliberal Governance: Activist Ethnography in the Homeless Sheltering Industry* by Vincent Lyon-Callo

Chair: Ann Kingsolver (University of South Carolina)

Talmadge Wright (Loyola University of Chicago)

Ann Kingsolver (University of South Carolina)

Kim Hopper (Columbia University Schools of Public Health and Law)

Respondent: Vincent Lyon-Callo (Western Michigan University)

C8 [801] From Abu Ghraib to Zukofsky: The Politics of Representation in Public Discourse and Literature

Chair: Yasser Munif (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Yasser Munif (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Media Governmentality: The Politics of Representation at Abu Ghraib"

Jed Murr (University of Washington) "Learning (to Learn) from Novels: Reading Stuart Hall, Diaspora and Neoliberal Globalization through Monica Ali's *Brick Lane*"

Elsa Wiehe (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

"Rethinking the *Malaise Créole*: A Discourse Theory Analysis"

Aaron Winslow (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

"Zukofsky's Revolution of Knowledge: Racialization and the Formation of a Marxian Epistemology"

C9 [911-915] Practicing Situated Practice

Chairs: Sarah Kanouse (University of Southern Illinois-Carbondale) and Lauren Zadikow (University of Southern Illinois-Carbondale)

Ryan Griffis (University of Illinois) "Touring and Tourism/Politics and Positivism"

M. Simon Levin (Simon Fraser University) "Environmental Relations: Social Engagement and Spatial Practices"

Dara Greenwald (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute) "Creative Disruptions of Space, Memory, and Power"

Amos Paul Kennedy (Kennedy Prints) "Put the Message in the Hands of the People and Move On"

C10 [904-908] Rosa Luxemburg in China: Slide Presentation and Roundtable Discussion

Paul Le Blanc (La Roche College)
Peter Hudis (Oakton Community College)

Ottokar Luban (International Rosa Luxemburg Society)

C11 [175] The University as Political Agent? The Limitations and Possibilities of Academic Practice

Chair: Boone W. Shear (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Boone W. Shear (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Pursuing 'Academic Freedom': Reconsidering Responses to the Conservative Campaign"

Enoch Page (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "How to Subdue or Co-opt 'Blackness' and Other Radical Elements: The Academic Methods of Managing 'Democratic' Knowledge Production for a 'White' Neo-Conservative Credentials Market"

Juan I. Florencia (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "The Real Anthropology: Facts or Fiction"

Quentin Lewis and Angela Labrador (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Toward a Critical Field School in Archaeology"

Art Keene (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "When Students Really Have Power"

C12 [805-809] Critical Theory: Rethinking the Classical Tradition and New Directions (Part I)

Chair: Mark P. Worrell (SUNY-Cortland)

Mark P. Worrell (SUNY-Cortland) "The Frankfurt School's Innovative Methods"

Mark Horowitz (New Mexico State University) "Export Production,

Rising Expectations, and Alter-Globalization Strategy”

Dan Krier (Iowa State University)
"Considering the U.S.S.R. as the 20th Century's Other
Integrated Spectacle: An Analysis of *Krokodil* from 1968 through 1993"

C13 [176] Political Economy of the Present and Possible Global Futures

Chair: Robert Albritton (York University)
Moishe Postone (University of Chicago) "Theorizing the Present: David Harvey, Giovanni Arrighi, and Robert Brenner"
Robert Albritton (York University) "Eating the Future"
Bob Jessop (Lancaster University) "What Follows Neo-liberalism? The Deepening Contradictions of American Domination and the Struggle for a New Global Order"
Julie Matthaei (Wellesley College) "The Transformative Moment"
Richard Westra (Pukyong National University) "Green Marxism and the Institutional Structure of a Global Socialist Future"

C14 [917] Gramsci and International Politics (Sponsored by the International Gramsci Society)

Chair: Marcus E. Green (California State University Fullerton)
Adam Morton (University of Nottingham) "Waiting for Gramsci: State Formation, Passive Revolution and the International System"

Raúl Burgos (Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, Brazil) and Claudio Casparrino (Centro de Economía y Finanzas para el Desarrollo, Argentina) "For an Integral Theory of Hegemony: Theoretical Foundations of a "Solidarity Economy" Based on the Latin American Experience"
Thomas J. Butko (University of Alberta) "Gramsci and Terrorism: A Weapon of Mass Construction"

C15 [169] Marxian Perspectives on Education

Chair: Z. M. Alim (Westfield State College)
Megan V. Davis (George Washington University) "Teaching Social Justice in the Corporate University: Deploying the Teachings of Jesus and Marx in the Era of Unchecked Global Capitalism"
Angela Jancius (Ohio University) "Education and the Reproduction of Social Inequality: A Reflection on Current Trends"
Z. M. Alim (Westfield State College) "Sneaking in Class: Teaching Principles of Economics in Terms of Excluded Others"
Peter Giampietro (University of New Hampshire) "Personal Autonomy, Commodity Fetishism, and the Academic Paragon"

C16 [174] Academia, Communitality, Community: Reflections from the Community Economy Research Group

(CERG) on the Structures and Functions of Research

Chair: Stephen Healy (Miami University Ohio)
Karen Werner (Goddard College) "Portrait of a Research Collective, CERG"
Janelle Coornwell (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Following the Local Food Dollar in the Pioneer Valley of Western Massachusetts"
Amy Barnard (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "'Rethinking Economy' Action Research as an Intervention for Depression"
Ted White (University of Massachusetts Amherst) "Community Research and the Honor System"

C17 [804-808] Facilitate / Relate / Engage: Art and Design Practices in the Public Realm

Chair: Joseph Krupcynski (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
Joseph Krupcynski (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Nueva Casita: Constructing Puerto Rican Identity in Holyoke, Massachusetts"
Jeremy Boyle (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Studio Project/Performance Unit"
Young Min Moon (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Economy, Labor, and Cultural Memory in Recent South Korean Art"

Mario Ontiveros (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
"Responding to and for Another"

C18 [901] Marxism and the Call of the Future

Chair: Raymond Lotta (Set the Record Straight)
Bill Martin "The Idea of Marxism and the Call of the Future"
Raymond Lotta (Set the Record Straight) "Communism as All-the-Way Emancipation: Bob Avakian's Radical Reenvisioning of the Communist Project"
Discussant: Phil Rice (Harvard Medical School/Brigham and Women's Hospital)

C19 [902] Roundtable: Rethinking Communism Ecologically (Sponsored by *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*)

Joel Kovel (Capitalism, Nature, Socialism)
Patty Lee Parmalee (Independent Scholar)
Salvatore Engel-Di Mauro (State University of New York-New Paltz)

C20 [162] Althusser, Foucault, Levinas: Knowledge, Ideology, Ethics

Chair: Amber Alecxe (York University)
Justin Armstrong (McMaster University) "Angels in the Architecture: Louis Althusser, Street Art, and the Search for Knowledge(s)"
Amber Alecxe (York University) "The Urgency of Re-Imagining Freedom: Reading Marx Through Levinas"
Christopher Helminski (Independent Scholar) "3-Way Calling: Of Interpellation"
Marcelo Hoffman (Earlham College) "Foucault as a Theorist of Ideology"

C21 [101] Roundtable: Towards a Class Ethics of Communism

Chair: Yahya M. Madra (Gettysburg College)
Bob Tanner (Independent Scholar)
Stephen Resnick (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
Rick Wolff (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
Ted Burczak (Denison University)

Jonathan Diskin (Earlham College)

C22 [170] Global Intifada: Mexico, Palestine, Brooklyn (Sponsored by *Left Turn*)

Chair: Ryvka Bar Zohar (New York University)
RJ Maccani "Enter the Intergalactic! The Zapatistas' Sixth Declaration in the US and the World"
Ora Wise "Divestment: A Tool for Change in the Palestinian Solidarity Movement"

C23 [905-909] Marxism and Imperialism Today (Sponsored by *International Socialist Review*)

Ashley Smith (*International Socialist Review*) "The Classical Marxist Theory of Imperialism"
Lee Sustar (*Socialist Worker*) "Imperialism and World Economy Today"

[D] Friday 1:00-3:00

D1 [917] RM/AESA Book Session on *Fragments of Development: Nation, Gender and the Space of Modernity* by Suzanne Bergeron

Chair: Chizu Sato (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
Chizu Sato (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
Drucilla K. Barker (Hollins University)
Kanchana Ruwanpura (Hobart and William Smith College)
Respondent: Suzanne Bergeron (University of Michigan-Dearborn)

D2 [163C] Rethinking Capitalist Power I: The Architecture of Capitalist Power (Sponsored by *Historical Materialism*)

Chair: Herman Schwartz (University of Virginia)
Bob Jessop (Lancaster University)
“The Capitalist Type of State vs. the State in Capitalist Society: Reflections on the Transparency of Class Power in Different Contemporary Political Regimes”
Doug Henwood (*Left Business Observer*) “Who Rules in 2006?”
Shimshon Bichler (Independent Researcher) and Jonathan Nitzan (York University): “Elementary Particles of the Capitalist Mode of Power”

D3 [803] Marxism and Psychology View the United States Today (Part II)

Chair: Harriet Fraad (Psychotherapist, New York City)
Richard Lichtman (Wright Institute of Psychoanalysis) “Social Insanity”
David Smith (University of Kansas) “Authoritarian of the World, Divide-and-Conquer? The Hegemony of Fear”
Joel Kovel (Bard College) “Bad Conscience and Terror in Israel/Palestine”
Lynn Chancer (Hunter College) “Sadomasochism: Our Perversity and Its Denial”

D4 [165] Genealogy, Memory, Freedom: Rethinking History and Critique via Foucault, Benjamin, and Arendt

Chair: Trevor Tchir (University of Alberta)
Stephanie Boisard (University of Alberta) “Genealogy as Critique: On the Relationships Between Foucault and Critical Theory”
Ian Watts (University of Alberta) “The Dialectics of History: The Past, Present and Future in Benjamin’s Theses on the Philosophy of History”
Trevor Tchir (University of Alberta) “Self-Disclosure and the State:

Arendt’s Critique of Marx’s Socialized Humanity”
Discussant: Catherine Kellogg (University of Alberta)

D5 [176] RM/AESA Book Session on *New Departures in Marxian Theory* by Stephen Resnick and Richard Wolff

Chair: David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame)
Stephen Cullenberg (University of California-Riverside)
Masato Aoki (Simmons College)
Bruce Norton (San Antonio College)
Ric McIntyre (University of Rhode Island)
Respondents: Stephen Resnick (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) and Richard Wolff (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

D6 [903] Book Session: *The New Imperialists* edited by Colin Mooers

Chair: Colin Mooers (Ryerson University)
Thom Workman (New Brunswick) “When Might is ‘Right’: Ancient Lamentations, Straussian Ministrations, and American Dispensations”
Tanner Mirrlees (York University) “The New Cultural Imperialists: Neo-Conservatism, ‘Soft Power’ and America’s War on Terror”

Colin Mooers (Ryerson University)
“Nostalgia for Empire: Revising
Imperial History for American
Power”

**D7 [172] Contradictory Locations:
On Urban “Diversity,”
Imperialism, and “Third Ways”**

Chair: Stephen Healy (Miami
University Ohio)

Thomas Dutton (Miami University
Ohio) “Community Work and Anti
Imperialism: Overstatement?
Useful?”

Jonathan Diskin (Earlham College)
“The Limits of Tolerance in the
City, or Against Gentrification as
Diversity”

Carole Biewener (Simmons College)
“France and Québec:
Progressive Imaginaries in
Different ‘Social Economy’
Traditions”

**D8 [101] Recent Social
Mobilization in France:
Rearguard, Vanguard, or
Distinctively New? (Sponsored by
the Gabriel Peri Foundation)**

Chair: Mark Kesselman (Columbia
University and University of
Massachusetts)

Arnaud Spire “Neither Rearguard
nor Vanguard: Novelties in
Recent Social Mobilizations in
France”

Daniel Cirera (Gabriel Peri
Foundation/French Communist
Party) “‘The French Social
Model’: An Outdated Model or
the Basis for a New Social and
Democratic Model?”

Mark Kesselman (Columbia
University and University of

Massachusetts) “Are Burning
Cars and Blocking Universities
Functional Equivalents?
Contemporary French Social
Movement(s)”

Discussant: Chrystal Le Moing
(Gabriel Peri Foundation)

**D9 [911-915] Rethinking
Infrastructure: States of
Abandonment in Los Angeles,
New York, New Orleans**

Chair: Ruth Wilson Gilmore
(University of Southern California)

Jenna M. Loyd (Syracuse
University) “Mothering
Underground Economy”

Laura Y. Liu (Eugene Lang College
of the New School for Social
Research) “Where is Grassroots
Knowledge and Theory?
Locating Community Organizing”

Ruth Wilson Gilmore (University of
Southern California) “Tossed
Overboard: Katrina, Mass
Incarceration, and the Politics of
Abandonment”

**D10 [811B-815] Hegemony:
Studies in Consensus and
Coercion**

Chair: Charles Hawksley (University
of Wollongong)

Richard Howson (University of
Wollongong) “Hegemony in the
Asia Pacific”

Charles Hawksley (University of
Wollongong) “Hegemony,
Education and Subalternity in
Colonial Papua New Guinea”

Damien Cahill (Sydney University)
“Coercion, Consent, and the
Neoliberal Project in Australia”

**D11 [904-908] American
Democracy (Such as It Is) Under
Assault as Never Before: What
Can/Should the Left Do About It?
(Sponsored by the International
Endowment for Democracy)**

Chair: Barbara Foley (Rutgers
University)

Mark Crispin Miller (New York
University) “Bush/Cheney’s War
on the Enlightenment”

Ben Manski (Liberty Tree
Foundation for the Democratic
Revolution) “Developing a Thirst
for Democracy: Democratization
in an Age of Corporatization”

Bertell Ollman (International
Endowment for Democracy/New
York University) “When the
World’s Greatest Revolutionary,
Karl Marx, Calls on Socialists and
Communists to Start Winning the
Struggle for Democracy, What
Exactly Does He Mean?”

Discussants: John Ehrenberg (Long
Island University) and Barbara
Foley (Rutgers University)

**D12 [902] Affects and the
Construction of New Socialities
Today**

Chair: Kaya Akyildiz (SUNY -
Binghamton)

Kaya Akyildiz (SUNY-Binghamton)
“Against ‘Labor’: Re-thinking
Labor as Socio-Historical and
Affective Labor of Current Social
Factory”

Gülrü Gözacan (SUNY-Binghamton)
“Fascist Desire: The Manipulation
of the Affectivity of Thought and
the Body”

Nikolay Karkov (SUNY-Binghamton)
“Subverting Capitalism from
Within: The ‘Affective Economics’
of J.K. Gibson-Graham”
Ovidiu Tichindeleanu (SUNY-
Binghamton) “The Materialism of
the Concrete and the Flows of
Capitalism”

**D13 [805-809] Critical Theory:
Rethinking the Classical
Tradition and New Directions
(Part II)**

Chair: Mark P. Worrell (SUNY-
Cortland)
Lauren Langman (Loyola University
of Chicago) “Virtual Public
Spheres: Liberation or Libation”
Dan Webb (University of Alberta)
“Redeeming Adorno in the Face
of Lyotard’s Melancholic
Sublime”
Russell Rockwell (Independent
Scholar) and Kevin Anderson
(Purdue University) “Raya
Dunayevskaya/Herbert
Marcuse/Erich Fromm
Correspondence”

**D14 [168] Gramsci, Politics and
the Question of the
Intellectuals (Sponsored by
the International Gramsci
Society)**

Chair: Marcus E. Green
(California State University-
Fullerton)
Sonita Sarker (Macalester
College) “Have Socialist and
Capitalist Feminisms
Produced Organic
Intellectuals?”
Ian McKay (Queen’s University) “‘O
dark dark dark. They all go into

the dark’: Richard Day, the Many
Deaths of Antonio Gramsci, and
the Possibilities of
Anarchist/Gramscian Dialogue”

Vincent Adiutori (Pittsburgh)
“Americanism and Ethopoietics:
Gramsci, Foucault, and the
Historical Self”

D15 [170] Politics of Aesthetics

Chair: Ken Rogers (University of
California-Riverside)
Ken Rogers (University of
California-Riverside) “The
Aesthetics of Implication: Toward
the Functional Axis of Labor
Politics in Contemporary Art and
Media”
James Penney (Trent University)
“Bourgeois Paranoia and the
Dismantling of Spectatorship”
Margaret Werry (University of
Minnesota) “Post-racial
Performativity, Indigenous
Imaginations, Global Cinema”
Julian Holland (Brock University)
“Modernist Partisanship &
Postmodern Fundamentalism:
Explicating the (So-Called)
Primitive Political Imaginary”

**D16 [177] Ironies of Liberal
Democracy**

Chair: Anthony Sze-Fai Shiu
(Springfield College)
Tim Deines (Michigan State
University) “A Double Irony of
Political Liberalism: ‘Culture’ and
the Extraconstitutional, Part I”
Anthony Sze-Fai Shiu (Springfield
College) “A Double Irony of
Political Liberalism: ‘Culture’ and
the Extraconstitutional, Part II”
Ranjoo Seodu Herr (Bentley
College) “Democracy and Non-
Liberal Culture”
Craig Martin (Syracuse University)
“Democracy Without Tyranny:
Thinking Beyond Liberal
Inclusion”

**D17 [804-808] Contributions to
the History of Marxian
Economics**

Chair: Erik Olsen (University of
Missouri-Kansas City)
Andrea Micocci “The
Transformation Problem: Back to
Adam Smith”
Fabian Tarrit (Reims) “Defining the
Scope of Analytical
Marxism”
Andrew Kliman (Pace
University) “Who Killed
Marxian Economics? On the
Disintegration of the
Marxian School”
Erik Olsen (University of
Missouri-Kansas City)
“Social Ontology and Social
Theory: The Origins and
Development of Mode of
Production and Social Formation
Theory, 1925-1960”

**D22 [175] Celebrating
Eric Schocket (1966-2006):**

Reading Class

Chair: Christoph Cox (Hampshire College)
Julian Markels (Ohio State University)
Susan Tracy (Hampshire College)
Lise Sanders (Hampshire College)
Bill Mullens (in absentia; Purdue University)

Grover Furr (Montclair State University) "Rethinking Khrushchev's 1956 Speech: Revelations from the Moscow Archives"

D18 [169] RM/AESA Book Session on Gramsci's Politics of Language: Engaging the Bakhtin Circle and the Frankfurt School by Peter Ives

Chair: Jacinda Swanson (Western Michigan University)
Jacinda Swanson, (Western Michigan University)
Benedetto Fontana (City University of New York)
P. Kerim Friedman, (National Dong Hwa University)
Respondent: Peter Ives (Winnipeg University)

D19 [174] Examining Imperialism, Development, and Global Labor

Chair: Michael McIntyre (DePaul University)
Joel Wainwright (Ohio State University) "Rethinking Colonial Capitalism as Development"
Michael McIntyre (DePaul University) "Imperialism and Failed Hegemony"
Mitchell Cohen (Brooklyn Greens/Red Balloon Collective) "Notes on the Ecological Dimension"
Rene Francisco Poitevin (New York University) "What is Global Labor Power?"
Discussant: Prem Jha (Harvard University)

D20 [901] Art, Artists, and Revolutionary Praxis

Chair: Anthony O'Brien (Queens College-City University of New York)
José-María Durán (Freie University, Berlin) "Philosophy of Art and Production of Value-An Attempt"
John Maerhofer (Queens College-City University of New York) "Philosophies of Confrontation: Aimé Césaire, Antonio Negri, and the Collective Praxis of Subversion"
Anthony O'Brien (Queens College-City University of New York) "Time for Revolution: Negri's 'Liberated Time' and Recent Reworkings of Armed Struggle in Southern African Fiction"

D21 [905-909] Marxism in a Mathematical Mode: Critiques and Alternatives

Chair: Dennis Badeen (York University)
Dennis Badeen (York University) "General Equilibrium Theory as Normative Ideal Social Order"
Victor Kasper Jr. (Buffalo State University) "A Simulation Model of Marxist Accumulation in a One Department Macroeconomic Model of the United States"
Z. X. Ann Li (Western Connecticut State University) "Geostatistical Approaches to Internet Political Economy"

D23 [801] Imperialism, National Liberation, and Islamic Fundamentalism (Sponsored by International Socialist Review)

Nagesh Rao (College of New Jersey) "Imperialism and the Right of Nations to Self-Determination"
Deepa Kumar (Rutgers University) "Islamophobia and the Left"

D24 [802] Sexual/Textual Analyses of Late Capitalism

Chair: Lisa Henderson (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
Nandini Dhar (University of Texas-Austin) "Gender, Class and Movemental Ideologies of Femininity in Sulekha Sanyal's Novel Nabankur: A Seedling's Tale"
Megan V. Davis (George Washington University) "Supercrrip Factory: Re/producing Heteronormativity, Masculinity and National Identity in Murderball"
Lisa Henderson (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Desert Motel's Queer Relay"
Maria Velazquez (Council of African American Affairs) "The Flawed Product of a Deranged Mind: Citizenship in the United Galactic Federation"

D25 [Second Floor Reading Room] Roundtable: Whither Orthodoxy? Critical Perspectives on the Contemporary State of Mainstream Economics

Chair: Yahya Madra (Gettysburg College)

Fikret Adaman (Bogaziçi University)
Yahya Madra (Gettysburg College)
Deirdre McCloskey (University of
Illinois-Chicago)

Irene van Staveren (Institute of
Social Studies, NL)
Steve Ziliak (Roosevelt University)

4:00-6:30 Friday
Art Event

Video Screening:

Setting in Motion

Talk:

Greg Bordowitz

"Of the Passions and Art Today"

Place: Flavin Auditorium, School of Management

Setting in Motion **Saturday 9:30-5:30 [901] in Campus Center**

8:00-10:00 Friday

**Imperialism and the
Fantasies of Democracy**

Antonio Callari

Ernesto Laclau

Ella Shohat

Chair: David F. Ruccio

Place: Student Union Ballroom

[E] Saturday 9:30-11:30

E1 [803] Rethinking Capitalist Power II: Politics of Accumulation (Sponsored by *Historical Materialism*)

Chair: Eric Pineault (UQAM)

Marc-André Gagnon (York

University) "Capital, Knowledge and Power in the Global

Pharmaceutical

Business: Structural

Competition for

Differential

Accumulation"

Tom O'Donnell (University of

Michigan and The New School)

"From Monopoly-Capitalist to

Global-Capitalist Power in the Oil Order"

Dorval Brunelle (UQAM) "Free

Trade Imperialism"

E2 [163C] Philosophical Economics

Chair: Robert Albritton (York University)

Richard Westra (Pukyong National

University) "Kautsky, Lukacs, Althusser and the Retreat from the Economic in Marxism"

John Simoulidis (York University)

"Levels of Analysis and the Marxian Concept of Interest"

Nchamah Miller (York University)

"Levels of Analysis and Adjunctive Processes: A Critique of the 'Informal Sector'"

Michael Marder (New School for Social Research) "The Enframing of Value"

Robert Albritton (York University)

"The Centrality of the Labour Theory of Value"

[901] Setting in Motion

Video Screening Saturday 9:30-5:30

E3 [165] Studies in the History of Marxian Tradition

Chair: Larry Miller (University of Massachusetts Dartmouth)

Joan Roelofs "The Considerant Manifesto"

Irwin Sperber (SUNY-New Paltz)

"The Origins of Anti-Semitism in Radical Scholarship: Revisiting the Sentiments of Marx, Ferdinand Lassalle, and Max Weber in 19th Century European Social Science"

Daniel Johnson (Gordon College)

and Margie DeWeese-Boyd

(Gordon College) "Bakunin, Bruderhof, and the Vindication (?) of Marx"

Larry Miller (University of

Massachusetts-Dartmouth)

"UgUg and DuDu Invent Class Struggle"

E4 [805-809] Communist Opposition Movements in the Soviet Space: New Research and Perspectives (Co-Sponsored by Praxis Research and Education

Center at the Victor

Serge Library, Moscow

and Fondation

Internationale Victor

Serge)

Chair: Jakob Riji (Cornell University)

Alexei Victorovich Gusev

(Moscow) "Communist

Resistance to Totalitarianism in the Soviet Union"

Kevin Murphy (University of

Massachusetts Boston) "The Origins of Stalinism in the Factories"

Richard Greeman (International

Victor Serge Foundation) "Victor Serge: Witness-Participant of the Left Opposition within Communism"

Discussant: Peter Hudis (*News and*

Letters and Oakton Community College)

E5 [804-808] Marx on Non-Western and Precapitalist Societies: Reflections on the MEGA Project

Chair: Kevin B. Anderson (Purdue University)

Paresh Chattopadhyay (University of Quebec at Montreal) "Marx on India Revisited"

David N. Smith (University of Kansas) "Marx on Colonial Regimes: Forced Labor and Expropriation in the East Indies"

Kevin B. Anderson (Purdue University) "Conceptualizing Marx's Late Writings on Russia, India, and Rome"

E6 [811B-815] RM/AESA Book Session on *Socialism After Hayek* by Theodore Burczak

Chair: Ric McIntyre (University of Rhode Island)

Andrew Farrant (Dickinson College)

David Ruccio (University of Notre Dame)

Fikret Adaman (Bogaziçi University)

Respondent: Theodore Burczak (Denison University)

E7 [902] Roundtable: *The War Against the People: Filipino Reflections on State Terror, Death and the Philippine Left*

Maria Josephine Barrios-LeBlanc (University of the Philippines-Diliman and Bayan-USA)

Nerissa S. Balce (University of Massachusetts-Amherst and the Critical Filipina/o Studies Collective)

Jeff Santa Ana (Dartmouth College and the Critical Filipina/o Studies Collective)

Neferti Tadiar (University of California-Santa Cruz and the Critical Filipina/o Studies Collective)

E8 [911-915] *Passions of The Multitude: Spinoza And Marxism*

Chair: Warren Montag (Occidental College)

Hasana Sharp (McGill University) "The Matrix of Every Possible Theory of Ideology? Spinoza, Althusser, and Marx"

Sue Ruddick (University of Toronto) "The Politics of Affect: Spinoza in the Works of Deleuze and Negri"

Vittorio Morfino (Milano/Bicocca) "Spinoza on Transindividuality"

Ted Stolze (Cerritos College) "The Prophet and the Multitude: Spinoza on Organic Intellectuals"

Discussant: Warren Montag (Occidental College)

E9 [172] *Neoliberalism: Control, Exposure, and Subjectivity*

Chair: Jason Read (University of Southern Maine)

Trent Hamann (St. John's University) "Neoliberal Exposure and The State of Emergency"

Fouad Kalouche (Albright College) "Neoliberalism, The Primacy of Consumption, and the Production of Controlled Subjectivities: An Analysis of The New Division of Labor and Of The New Modes of Control and Domination"

Jason Read (University of Southern Maine) "A Genealogy of Homo-Economicus: Neoliberalism and the Production of Subjectivity"

E10 [903] *The Retreat to Postmodern Politics*

Chair: Michael Peliás (Long Island University-Brooklyn)

William DiFazio (St. John's University) "Critical analysis of Postmodernism"

Michael Peliás (Long Island University-Brooklyn) "The Figure and Omnipresent Influence and Impact of Frederick Nietzsche on Postmodernist Thought and Political Practice"

Bruno Gulli (Long Island University-Brooklyn and Kingsborough College) "For Nietzsche: The Hermeneutics of Ressentiment."

Ivan Zatz (Pratt Institute) and Stanley Aronowitz (City University of New York) "The Way Out? The Late Work of Henri Lefebvre and the Possibility of New Political Theorizing"

E11 [101] *Gramsci on Education, Politics, and Culture (Sponsored by the International Gramsci Society)*

Chair: Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of Notre Dame)

Joseph P. Zanon (University of Illinois at Chicago) "A Peer Education Curriculum Map Inspired by Gramsci"

Rosemary Heijmans (Universidade Federal de Minas Gerais, Brazil) "Interpreting Marxian and Gramscian Thought on Education in the Brazilian Context"

Víctor Rodríguez-Pereira (University of Notre Dame) "Gramsci and Mariategui: Culture, Politics, and the Analysis of Modernity"

Zubin Meer (York University) "Gramsci's Historical Sociology of Italy in Pan-European Perspective"

E12 [917] The State, Neoliberalism and Resistance in the Contemporary US

Chair: Gabriel Hetland (University of California-Berkeley)

Paul Apostolidis "Immigration, the State, and Hegemony in the Contemporary United States"

David Willhoite (University of California-Riverside) "The Process of Sweatshop Subjectification: A Response to Erçel".

Gabriel Hetland (University of California-Berkeley) "The Labor of Community and the Community of Labor: Community, Union and State Against the Neoliberal Logic of the Market in New York City's Retail Sector"

Raphael Ginsberg (University of North Carolina) "Advocating Capitalism Through the Crime Victim: The Victims' Rights Movement and the Decline of the Active State."

E13 [168] Political Economy of New Media

Chair: Laura Sullivan (University of Florida)

Don Hedrick (Kansas State University) "The Entertainment Unconscious: Axioms of Entertainment Value at its Beginnings"

Laura Sullivan (University of Florida) "The Alchemy of Hypertext: Collage, Montage, and the Link"

Seth Adler "The Making of the American Working Class Unconscious: A Marxian Analysis

Of Class Terminology In Major Institutional Databases And Internet Search Engines"

E14 [162] New Perspectives on Capitalism as a Dynamic System

Chair: Harry Dahms (University of Tennessee)

Luciano Vasapollo (Università La Sapienza Rome) "Between Old and New Capitalism"

Harry Dahms (University of Tennessee) "Marx, Schumpeter and Globalization: Toward a Theory of Dynamic Capitalism"

Elisabetta Basile (University of Rome) "A Marxist/Institutionalist Framework for the Analysis of Capitalist Change in a Developing Country"

Peter Funke (University of Pennsylvania) "Late Capitalism and the World Social Forum: Re-making of the 21st Century Global 'Working Class'?"

E15 [169] The Ethical and Spiritual within the Marxian Tradition

Chair: Kevin Brien (Washington College)

Alex Stehn (Penn State University) "The (Spiritual) Principles of the Communism of the Future: Rethinking the Early Marx in Light of Feuerbach's Treatment of Christian Community"

Kevin Brien (Washington College) "Humanistic Marxism, Buddhism, and World Peace"

Renzo Llorente (Saint Louis University/Madrid) "Marxism: A Form of Ethical Socialism?"

E16 [170] Production Relations, Environmental Struggles, and Political Strategy (Sponsored by Capitalism, Nature, Socialism)

Chair: Salvatore Engel-Di Mauro (SUNY New Paltz)

Salvatore Engel-Di Mauro (SUNY New Paltz) "Historical Contingencies of Resource Preservation: Menominee Anti-colonial Resistance and Forestry"

Thomas Burgess (CUNY) "Lakota Environmental Justice: Victories, Losses, and Legacy"

Patty Lee Parmalee (Independent Scholar) "Issues in Local Environmental Struggles"

E17 [176] The Ethics of Surplus

Chair: Todd McGowan (University of Vermont)

Todd McGowan (University of Vermont) "Enjoying Surplus-Value"

Anna Kornbluh (University of California Irvine) "Surplus, Displacement, and the Realist Ethic: Capital as Literature, Marxism as Psychoanalysis"

Eleanor Kaufman (UCLA) "Poetic Surplus in Badiou"

Jeff Rice (University of Florida) "Discursively Produced Realities, Or, How Rational-Critical Discourse Was Formed"

E18 [802] Political Economy of Finance Capital

Chair: Firat Demir (University of Oklahoma)

Nuno Teles (DINAMIA: The Center for the Study of Economic and Social Change) "The Second

'Brenner Debate': Some Considerations about the Role of Financial Capital"
 Firat Demir (University of Oklahoma) "Financialization of Real Sectors in Developing Countries: A Panel Data Approach to the De-linking of Finance Capital from Fixed Capital"
 Erinç Yeldan (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Patterns of Adjustment under the Age of Finance: The Case of Turkey as a Peripheral Agent of New-Imperialism"
 Tim Koechlin (Vassar College) "Born to Run? An Assessment of the Geography of US Investment"

E19 [904-908] Social Policy, the State, and Resistance Globally

Chair: Marta Miranda (Eastern Kentucky University)
 Mia Son (Kangwon National University) "What Happened After Economic Crisis? Workers' Struggle Against Increasing Unemployment and Irregular Workers in Korea"
 Chris Sweetapple (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Enlightened Fundamentalism and New Technologies of Racialized Citizenship in Germany"
 Fabiano Dalto (Federal University of Paraná/University of Hertfordshire), Huascar Pessaliv (Federal University of Paraná) and Ramón Garcia Fernandez (São Paulo School of Economics / Getulio Vargas Foundation – Brazil) "Metaphors We Die By:

The Case of the State as a Household"
 Marta Miranda (Eastern Kentucky University) and Paul Paolucci (Eastern Kentucky University) "Revolutionary or Feminist: A Comparison of Gender Equality in Cuba and the United States"

E20 [905-909] Unraveling Consent and Imagining Resistance: Considering Gramsci in Today's Political Landscape

Chair: Boone W. Shear (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)
 Al Zagarell (Western Michigan University) "Gramsci, Organic Intellectuals and the War of Position"
 Boone W. Shear (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Community and Hegemony"
 Matt Paris (Western Michigan University) "Farming, Families, and Fascism: Towards a Typology of the Far Right"
 Dr. W. F. Santiago-Valles (Western Michigan University) "Counterhegemony in the Black Radical Tradition: Practices of Resistance Against the State and Exploitation"
 Discussant: Jacinda Swanson (Western Michigan University)

E21 [174] RM/AESA Book Session on Market Sense: Toward a New Economics of Markets and Society by Philip Kozel

Chair: George DeMartino (University of Denver)
 George F. DeMartino (University of Denver)

Martha Starr (American University)
 Irene Van Staveren (Institute of Social Studies, NL)
 Respondent: Philip Kozel (Rollins College)

E22 [175] Chinese Experience: Lessons for Socialism

Chair: Lynda Bell (University of California Riverside)
 Yiching Wu (University of Chicago) "Restoration and Revolution in Contemporary China: Toward a Historical Critique of Actually Existing Market Socialism"
 Lynda Bell (University of California Riverside) "Women, Household, and Workplace Equity in China: Revisiting the Origins of Mao's Radical Socialist Vision during the 1950s"
 David Schweickart (Loyola University of Chicago) "Marx's Democratic Critique of Capitalism and Its Implications for a Socialist Alternative"
 Jaesok Kim (Harvard University) "Transnational Movement of Global Capital and its Local Consequences: The Creation of Borderland Factory Regime and the Situation of Working Class in a Special Economic Zone (SEZ) of China"

E23 [801] Financial Power and Colonialism

Chair: Arjun Jayadev (University of Massachusetts-Boston)
 Arjun Jayadev (University of Massachusetts-Boston) "The Correlates of the Rentier Share of Income"

Özgür Orhangazi (Roosevelt University) and Mathieu Dufour (University of Massachusetts-

Amherst) "The IMF and the Turkish Financial Crisis"
Leila Farsakh (University of Massachusetts-Boston) "What is

Colonial about Israel's Occupation?"
Discussant: Smriti Rao (Assumption College)

[F] Saturday 1:00-3:00

F1 [803] RM/AESA Book Session on *A Postcapitalist Politics* by J. K. Gibson-Graham

Chair: George DeMartino, (University of Denver)

Mary Louise Pratt (NYU)

Julie Hemment (University of

Massachusetts Amherst)

Chris Cavanagh (University of Toronto)

Respondent: J. K. Gibson-Graham (University of

Massachusetts Amherst and Australian National University)

F2 [163C] Heterodox Approaches to Capital and Commodity Production (Sponsored by Union for Radical Political Economics (URPE))

Chair: Graham Cassano (University of Connecticut)

Paddy Quick (St. Francis College)

"Non-Commodity production: Feudalism, Capitalism and Socialism"

John Miller (*Dollars and Sense* and Wheaton College) "Using Marx's Concept of Commodity

Fetishism to Organize Against Sweatshop Labor and Neoliberal Globalization"

Troy Rondinone (Southern Connecticut State University)

"The Lessons of Capital:

Applying Marx to the Teaching of American Labor History"

F3 [917] Performance: Bold and Beautiful: Speaking Out "as a" Muslim/Pakistani/American/Wo/man

Fawzia Afzal-Khan
(Montclair State University)

F4 [168] Author Meets Critics: Kevin Brien's *Marx, Reason, and the Art of Freedom*

Chair: Joseph Walsh (Richard Stockton College)

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Marilyn Nissim-Sabat (Lewis University)

Benjamin Page (Quinnipiac College)

Anne Pomeroy (Richard Stockton College)

Respondent: Kevin Brien (Washington College)

F5 [911-915] Roundtable: The Historical-Critical Dictionary of Marxism (HKWM): Why Do We Need a (Self-) Critical Marxist Dictionary for the 21st Century?

Chair: Jan Rehmann (Union Theological Seminary)

Paresh Chattopadhyay (University of Quebec at Montreal)

Inez Hedges (Northeastern University)

David McNally (York University)

Peter Thomas (University of Amsterdam)

Victor Wallis (Berklee College of Music)

Rick Wolff (University of Massachusetts Amherst)

F6 [176] The Imperialist Present and its Discontents

Chair: Amy Holmes (Johns Hopkins University)

Amy Holmes (Johns Hopkins University) "Viceroy and the Disenfranchised"

Ayça Çubukçu (Columbia University) "'Human Rights Must Be Defended'? Praxical Paradoxes of a Democratic Desire"

Charles Hawksley (University of Wollongong) "Australia in the Global Empire"

Fulya Apaydin (Brown University) "Communication and Equality in the Neo-Liberal Age: Some Thoughts on Labor in Argentina and Turkey"

F7 [904-908] Where is "Class" in the Classroom?

Chair: John A. Walsh (University of Rhode Island)

Masato Aoki (Simmons College) "Kozol and Apartheid Schooling: Deja Vu and Disconnects"

Delane Bender-Slack (University of Cincinnati) "Who's Got Class? Educators' Perspectives of Teaching for Social Justice"

John A. Walsh (University of Rhode Island) "Talking (or not talking) About Class: High School Seniors Discourse on Democracy and Class"

Discussant: Ric McIntyre (University of Rhode Island)

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Geeta Patel (Wellesley College) "In the Name of Risk: Before and after 1857"

Bret Benjamin (SUNY Albany) "The World Bank and the Origins of Culture"

Diane M. Nelson (Duke University) "WAR'S END/S: Accounting and Reckoning in "Post-War Guatemala"

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Peter Ives (University of Winnipeg)

Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of Notre Dame)

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Al Campbell (University of Utah) "Enterprises of Social Production in Venezuela"

Eugene Gogol (Independent Scholar) "Fusing Philosophic Thought and Social Revolt in South America Liberation"

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G6 [803] Capitalism, Racism, Anti-Racism, and Marxism: Rethinking Relationships

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University) "Class, Race and
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and Confronting Social Exclusion
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**G7 [917] What Can We Still Learn
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the Marxist Theory Colloquium at
NYU and *Historical Materialism*)**

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Pareesh Chattapadhyay (University
of Quebec) "Simple Commodity
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David McNally (York University)
"Disembodiment and Commodity
Fetishism: on the Marxian
Politics of the Body"

Bertell Ollman (NYU) "What Can the
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Discussant: Susan Buck-Morss
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**G8 [911-915] Red Pedagogy in
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Chair: Barbara Foley (Rutgers
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David Siar (Winston-Salem
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Barbara Foley (Rutgers University)
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Joe Ramsey (Tufts
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Discussants: Donald Hedrick
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**G9 [904-908] Theorizing
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Chair: Anne Jaclard (The New
SPACE)

Richard Greeman (International
Victor Serge Foundation)
"Emerging Planetary
Consciousness and the Need for
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Joshua Howard (CUNY Graduate
Center) "Not Your Father's
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Peter Hudis (News and Letters
Committees and Oakton
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**G10 [174] Consuming
Capitalism's Promise (Sponsored
by *Capitalism, Nature, Socialism*)**

Chair: Costas Panayotakis
Costas Panayotakis "Productivism,
Consumerism, and the Third
Contradiction of Capitalism"
Heather Rogers "The Conquest of
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Richard Smith "China's Capitalist
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**G11 [101] Roundtable: Hegemony
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Prison Notebooks? (Sponsored
by the International Gramsci
Society)**

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Richard Howson (University of
Wollongong) and Kylie Smith
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Joseph A. Buttigieg (University of
Notre Dame)
Benedetto Fontana (Baruch
College, CUNY)
Marcus E. Green (California State
University, Fullerton)

G12 [175] Althusserian Legacies

Chair: Philip Goldstein (University of
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Tom Carmichael (University of
Western Ontario) "Althusser on
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William S. Lewis
(Skidmore
College) "Anti-Humanism as
Political Strategy: An Analysis of

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Tugrul Keskin (James Madison University) "Marxism as an Idea in the Material World: Comparative Analysis of Marx, Gramsci, and Althusser"

Philip Goldstein (University of Delaware) "Post-Althusserian Cultural Theory"

G13 [804-808] Representation, Value and Ontology

Chair: David Kristjanson-Gural (Bucknell University)

A. Kiarina Kordela (Macalester College) "Spinoza, Marx, and the Ontology of Differential Value"

Beverly Best (University of Windsor) "Capitalism and Depression: What Julia Kristeva's Analysis of Depression can Offer a Theory of Representation and Social Change"

Kenneth Levin (CUNY) "Transcendent Terrain and the (Re)balancing of Political Economy"

David Kristjanson-Gural (Bucknell University) "Money is Time: The Monetary Expression of Value in Marxian Theory"

G14 [168] Political Problems and Possibilities of the Left: Lessons from Europe

Chair: John Manley (Stanford University, Emeritus)

John O'Conner (Central Connecticut State University) "The European Anti Capitalist Left Conference: A New Europe

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John Manley (Stanford University, Emeritus) "Transcending the Welfare State"

Luciano Vasapollo (Università La Sapienza Rome) "The Role of the Metropolitan Areas in Italy"

Andrea Micocci "What is Revolution?"

G15 [176] Explorations in the Marxian Analytics of Class Struggle

Chair: Eric Glynn (University of Massachusetts-Amherst)

Eric Glynn (University of Massachusetts-Amherst) "Recapitalizing the 'Big Three': Tipping the Class Balance"

Brad Bauerly (Boston College) "Democracy, Discourse and Destruction: Imperialism's Discursive Construction of Domestic Hegemony During US Capitalism's Organic Crises"

Geoff Mann (Simon Fraser University) "What's at Stake in Wage Struggle? A Politics of Measure"

Peter Donohue (PBI Associates) "Hoxies Clues for a Marxian Theory of Labor Unions"

G16 [811B-815] Marx and Political Philosophy

Chair: Tama Weisman (Quincy University)

Ariane Fischer (George Washington) "Marx and the Critique of Idealism"

Norman Levine (Institute of International Policy)

"Reconstructing Marxist Political Theory"

Tama Weisman (Quincy University) "Marx: Socrates or Plato?"

Keith Joseph (CUNY Graduate Center) "Two Dogmas of Marxism: Finance Capital and Monopoly Capitalism"

G17 [170] Marxism and Philosophy

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Paul Mazzocchi (York University) "An Inquiry Into Socialist Philosophy: Towards Bridging the Marx-Bakunin Chasm"

Roger Foster (Manhattan Community College, CUNY) "Living on After Thesis 11: Marx and the Prospects for Philosophy Today"

Howard Petith (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona) "Marxian Insights from the Mainstream"

Gordon Fellman (Brandeis University) "Race, Class, Gender, and the Missing Fourth Term: A Freudo-Marxian Theory of Domination"

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Jordan Camp (University of California Santa Barbara)
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Ceyda Karamürsel (Independent Scholar/Artist) “Coils of the Serpant/Burrows of the Molehill: A Deleuzian Audio-analysis of the Hallways of Contemporary Capitalism”

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Walter Petrovich “De Leonism and Community Control”

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G23 [801] Violence, Death, and Liberalism

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Anne Norton (University of Pennsylvania) “Leo Strauss and the Politics of American Empire”

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Robert Meister (University of California-Santa Cruz) “Political Identity, Thinking Through Marx”

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