Undisciplined Environments

International Conference of the European Network of Political Ecology (ENTITLE)

20 – 24 March 2016

Stockholm, Sweden
PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

Preliminary conference schedule

SUNDAY, 20 MARCH

Opening session
Venue: Kåren, KTH campus
2:00–7:00 pm
Registration desk opens
Welcoming addresses from conference organizing committee
Opening speeches: Sámi artist Katarina Pirak Sikku (Yokkmokk) and prof. Sverker Sorlin (KTH Environmental Humanities Lab)
Opening of photo and art exhibits
Film session: Resistance Ecologies

MONDAY, 21 MARCH

Plenary and parallel sessions:
Venue: Kåren, KTH campus
9–11 am
Plenary session: Decolonial Political Ecology,
Keynote speakers:
Kim TallBear, University of Alberta, Faculty of Native Studies
Ailton Krenak, Indigenous leader and public intellectual, Brazil
11:30 am - 6:00 pm
Parallel sessions

TUESDAY, 22 MARCH

Venue: Kåren, KTH campus
9–11 am
Plenary session: Post-Capitalist Ecologies:
Keynote speakers:
Catherine Larrère, Université de Paris I-Panthéon-Sorbonne
Alf Hornborg, Lund University, Faculty of Social Sciences
11:30 am - 6:00 pm
Parallel sessions
WEDNESDAY, 23 MARCH

Venue: Kåren, KTH campus

9-11 am
Plenary session: Enclosures Vs. Commoning
Keynote speakers:
Nancy Peluso, University of California at Berkeley
Ugo Mattei, International University College, Turin

11:30 am - 6:00 pm
Parallel sessions
Undisciplined Activism Workshop, parallel sessions

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Entitle fellows' graduation ceremony

THURSDAY, 24 MARCH

Undisciplined Activism Workshop
Venue: Reflexen Theatre, Stockholm

9:30 am - 12:00 pm
Plenary session and concluding event
Keynote speakers: Amita Baviskar and Stéphanie Roth

2:00 - 6:00 pm
Field Trips: The undisciplined political ecologies of Stockholm (programme TBA)
SESSIONS PROGRAMME

SUNDAY, 20 MARCH

Opening session
Venue: Kåren, KTH campus

2 to 3:00 pm registrations desk open
opening of photo and art exhibits
“Peripheral vision: Seeing the tangible city”, Aaron Vansintjan
“Local perceptions of land use change in the Kilombero Valley, Tanzania”, Emma Lee Johansson
“The political ecology of abandoned extraction landscapes in the Polar Area”, Dag Avango
“Commons of yesterday, commons of today: urban horticulture in Modena, Italy. 1980-2015”, Gilberto Mazzoli

3:00-4:00 pm Welcoming addresses: Stefania Barca (CES Coimbra/Entitle), Marco Armiero (KTH Stockholm/Entitle), Nina Wormbs (KTH Stockholm)
Guest speakers:
Katarina Pirak Sikku (Sámi artist, Yokkmokk), Nammaláhpán: race biology and the inheritance of sorrow
Sverker Sorlin (KTH Stockholm, Environmental Humanities Lab), Environmental capital of the world? The green history of Stockholm
debate

4:00-4:30 pm coffee break (registration desk still open)

4:30 to 7 pm Film session: Resistance Ecologies

"Akintiya karsi: Against the Current“ dir. Ezgi Akyol, Volkan Isil, Özlem Isil, Umut Kocagöz (64’, Turkey 2012)
"L’oro vero/Real Gold”, dir. Giuseppe Orlandini and Daniele Di Stefano (30’, Italy 2015)
Debate and conclusion
MONDAY, 21 MARCH

Session 1, MONDAY 21 MARCH

11:30 – 13:00

1A. Theories of Political Ecology I
Room number:
Session chair:
“From the spreadsheet to the body of salmon”: Capitalism as a world ecological system. Evidence from the Chilean salmon industry crisis, 2008, Beatriz Bustos
Political materialities of bioeconomy: (re-)narrating the regional transitions in rural Finland, Jani Lukkarinen
Finance, extractive capitalism and environmental conflicts. A “World System” reading, Marco Fama and Elena Musolino
Governing Lithium: Political ecology in the value chain, Marc Hufty

1B. Politicizing the Gender-Environment Nexus
Room number:
Session chair:
Feminization of agriculture through land grabbing? A case study of the Lower Limpopo Valley, Mozambique, Juliana Porsani Jarkvist and Martina Angela Caretta
Relations of power and domination in Brazilian Agriculture: A gender analysis of the concept of adequate food, Daniela Rosendo and Tania A. Kuthen
The gender and climate change debate: tackling or reinforcing existing power relations?, Angela Moriggi
The Biopolitics of Feminine Beauty and North-South Development: Transformations across Corporeal and Terrestrial Landscapes, Shaadee Ahmadnia

1C. Resistance and Developments Projects
Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:
Austerity policies and environmental struggles in crisis driven Greece, Ermioni Frezouli
Neoextractivism: A Development Strategy used by Latin America’s New Left analysed from a Political Ecology Perspective, Corinna Dengler
An environmental justice perspective of the anti-megaproject struggles in Europe, Alfred Burballa Noria

1D. Indigenous Perspectives I
Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:

Indigenous socio-territorial resistances and movements in South America: Between the “progressive” governments, the neo-extractivist capitalism and the possibilities of a post-development, Pabel Camilo López Flores

Public Opinion on the Belo Monte dam: Traces of Policy for Indigenous in Brazil, Cláudia Guedes

The Pachamama Dealers. Extractivism of Shamanic Plants and Indigenous Knowledges, Begoña Dorronsoro

1E. Exploring Environmental Democracy

Room number:

Session chair:

Bridge over troubled water? Procedural justice in marine governance, Linn Rabe

Involving stakeholders in maritime safety policymaking in the Gulf of Finland – An environmental justice approach, Tuuli Parviainen

Democracy, ethics and environmental issues. Mining in the Brazilian state of Minas Gerais, Ozanan Carrara

Experimenting on deliberation. The case of the supplementation programme for mire conservation, Finland, Eerika Albrecht

1F. Ecologies of Architecture and Infrastructures

Room number:

Session chair:

The Summerisation of Jordanian Shelters. Permanent Impermanence In The Design Of Refugee Camps, Stefano Scavino

Designed takeovers: is exclusion of consumerism tactics in architectural and urban design possible?, Phevos Kallitsis and Evgenia Tsagkaraki

Infrastructuring socio-technical energy transitions, Cordula Kropp

Architectures of Absence: Temporality and Immateriality in China’s Modern Ghost Cities, Linsey Ly

1G. Political Ecologies of Mining

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

Political Ecology Between Two Shores, the Global and the Local: notes for analysing political ecology of the mining and energy extractivism in Colombia, Viviana Martínez

Early Warnings of Unsustainable Mining: a study proposal facing environmental management, technical knowledge and citizen participation in Europe, Pedro Gabriel Silva, Juan Pérez Cebada and Paulo Guimarães el Silva The relationship between environment, protest action and citizenship: Insights from the Portuguese mining conflicts, Lúcia Fernandes and Ana Raquel Matos
1H. ROUNDTABLE: Survival Strategies for Community Economies

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Nadia Johanisova
Balint Balasz
Claire Carpenter
Nadia Johanisova

II. Catholicism and the Commons

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizers: Teresa Toldy and Alberta Giorgi

Religion and Economics – The State of the Art, Mariachiara Giorda
‘Laudato si – on care for our common home’ – Analysis of an Encyclical, Teresa Toldy
Catholics in the Making of the Italian Water Movement: A Moral Economy, Emanuele Fantini
Religion and the common good – between Communion and the commons, Alberta Giorgi and Emanuele Polizzi

1J. Beyond the politics of access: tools and perspectives for an undisciplined resource politics

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Amber Huff
Discussant: Dianne Rocheleau
Dismantling the new politics of scarcity, Lyla Mehta
Contradiction, conflict and transformation – environmental conflicts and new challenges for twenty-first century resource politics, Amber Huff
Markets to manage – the “net” in no “net loss of biodiversity” policy, Andrea Brock

1K. Politicizing Socio-Ecological Territories: Inquires into Place-based Grassroots Conflicts and Organising I

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizers: Salvatore Paolo De Rosa and Giorgos Velegrakis
Discussant: Marco Armiero
Interventions and Aspirations: Constructing the local state through resource access and authority, Siddharth Sareen
1L. Urban Political Ecology

**Room number:**

Session chair / Discussant:

Urban Political Ecology based on Bogotá: Perspectives from a South American Metropolis, Germán Andrés Quimbayo Ruiz

Revealing the enclosure from the communing. News strategies on financialization of housing and resistance in Catalunya, Sònia Vives-Miró and Aaron Gutiérrez

Workers' struggle against asbestos toxicity. The Centre for the prevention of asbestos related diseases (Turin, 1970s), Elena Davigo

1M. Introducing a new special issue on mining conflicts and environmental justice

**Room number:**

Session chair:

Organizers: Beatriz Rodríguez-Labajos and Begum Ozkaynak

Institutional shareholders, transnational corporations and the geography of gold mining, Julie de los Reyes

Limits to “counter-neoliberal” reform: Mining expansion and the marginalisation of post-extractivist forces in EvoMorales’s Bolivia, Diego Andreucci and Isabella M. Radhuber

Coal mining on pastureland; Clashes between logics of development and ways of life in Southern Chile, Maria Fragkou, Mauricio Folchi, Beatriz Bustos

Mining conflicts and transformative politics: A comparison of Intag (Ecuador) and Mount Ida (Turkey) environmental struggles, Duygu Avcı

1:00-2:30 pm

lunch break

2:00-2:15 pm

Theatrical performance: *To the stage with Foucault: how to embody the ecocatastrophe*, by Anu Koskinen
Session 2, MONDAY 21 MARCH

14:30 – 16:00

2A. Theories of Political Ecology II

Room number:

Session chair:

The theoretical debate about the structural crisis of capital and ecosocialist alternative in the twenty-first century, Adilson Marques Gennari and Ana Carolina A. Borges da Silva

Misreading Resilience: Exploring the Inter-linkages between the Roots of Ecological Resilience and Political Ecology, Betsy A. Beymer-Farris

Ecological Attunement in a Theological Key: An Adventure in Anti-Fascist Aesthetics, Claire Blencowe

Towards an environmental history of ideas: society, political power and nature, Pierre Charbonnier

2B. Agriculture Futures

Room number:

Session chair:

The world dominance of transnational agribusinesses in the agricultural production: the case of maize in a rural municipality in Mexico, Tonatico, Estado de México, Malin Jönson

The uneven distribution of costs and benefits of an ongoing social-ecological crisis: the coffee rust epidemic in the Chiapas Sierra Madre, Mexico, Antoine Libert Amico

The microbiobolitics of "zero budget natural farming": Cultivating postcapitalist agronomies in a blasted landscape (Western Ghats, South India), Daniel Münster

Defining territories by framing political issues – The conflict about pesticide use in biotechnological agriculture in Argentina, Markus Rauchecker

2C. Debating Sustainable Development

Room number:

Session chair:

Land use and conflicts – whose demands shape the sustainable intensification debate?, A. Cristina de la Vega-Leinert, Beatriz Rodriguez-Labajos and Peter Clausing

Politics at play in sustainable urban development. Findings from a Chinese case study, Daniele Brombal

Sustainable Development and Enclosure of Ecological Commons in Turkey, Ayşe Ceren Sarı

Creating sustainable development in the Arctic: abandoned extraction sites as assets for new Arctic futures, Dag Avango and Peder Roberts

2D. Indigenous Perspective II

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:
(En)countering Indigenous Counter-Mapping in Indonesia, Nina Dewi Horstmann

Commodification of Land and Questions of Indigenous Peoples’ Land Right in the Ethiopia’s South Omo Valley, Asebe Regassa

Shipibo healing practices recontextualized in new social, ecological, and economic landscapes, Laura Dev

2E. Political Ecologies of Fishing

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

Making craftsmanship visible as a source of social-ecological resilience. From the Swedish Arctic to the Stockholm Archipelago: Sámi duodji and Baltic small scale fishing, Viveca Mellegard

Tuna of the Western Indian Ocean: is there a free lunch? A common resource with a complex management, Mialy Zanah Andriamahefazafy

Fishing communities in the age of financial capitalism: From the Arctic to the Azores, Alison Neilson and Niels Einarsson

2F. Land Use Disputes

Room number:

Session chair:

The Everyday of Agrarian Commons: Maya-Q’eqchi’ communities as a political reaction from below to large-scale expansion of flex crops, Sara Mingorría, Federica Ravera and Irene Iniesta-Arandia

Local perceptions of land use change in the Kilombero Valley, Tanzania: Using art to reveal socio-environmental effects of land grabbing, Emma Johansson

“If you don’t use it, you lose it”: negotiating land use in the Athabasca oil sands, Canada, Tara L. Joly

“This is not the Amazon”: biofuel expansion and the politics of biome definition. The case of Mato Grosso, Brazil, Tiago Freitas

2G. The EJ Atlas and the Global Movement for Environmental Justice I

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizers: Daniela del Bene, Leah Temper, Joan Martinez Alier

Is there a Global Environmental Justice Movement?, Joan Martinez-Alier, Leah Temper, Daniela Del Bene, Arnim Scheidel

Reading the map of environmental conflicts in the Balkans, Jovanka Spiric

A statistical analysis of over 300 environmental conflicts in Andes and Central America Countries, M. Pérez-Rincón; G. Navas ; B. and J. Vargas

China's cancer villages: contested evidence and the politics of pollution, Anna Lora-Wainwright and Ajiang Chen
2H. Post-Communist Forms of Resistance to Capitalist Ecological Devastation

Room number:
Session chair: Irina Velicu
Organizers: Valentina Gueorguieva and Florin Poenaru

The “Uniți Salvăm” Roșia Montană anti-gold mining protests: United We Save the existing political logic, Alexandru Dumitrașcu

The Environment goes National: Romania’s socio-environmental conflicts and the path toward eco-nationalism, Alina Pop

Farmers fight back: Land-based resistance in post-socialist Poland, Irma Allen

Ecology as anti-capitalism, Florin Poenaru

2I. Decolonizing Methods: Disseminating Research Results Beyond Academy I

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizers: Martina Angela Caretta and Paola Minoia

Reimagining Development: The Political Ecology of Participation, Somya Joshi

Back to the pits – assessing approaches to sharing research outcomes with participating communities in England, Carenza Lewis

Activist Research and Collective Cartography in Community Gardens: the fusing position and role of the researched and the researcher, Gabriel Wulff

An ethical imperative: reporting back findings and knowledge exchange through multi-language pamphlets, Martina Angela Caretta

2J. The More-Than-Human Commons and the Politics of Knowledge I

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizers: Patrick Bresnihan and Naomi Millner

Law, Sustainable Materialism and a More-than-Human Commons, Bronwen Morgan

Ecologising clock-time and the politics of temporal knowledge, Michelle Bastian

Call for a responsible more-than-human urban planning in the face of incompossibility, Jonathan Metzger

Urban commons and nonhuman productions of space, Maan Barua

2K. Politicizing Socio-Ecological Territories: Inquires into Place-based Grassroots Conflicts and Organising 2

Room number:
Session chair: Marco Armiero
Organizers: Salvatore Paolo De Rosa and Giorgos Velegrakis
The hard struggles of the Guarani Kaiowa People to Regain part of their Territory occupied by Agrobusiness Projects, Tonico Benites

Purifying the Forest: Genealogies of resurgent hunter-gatherer dispossession in the East African Rift, Connor Joseph Cavanagh

Creating Wilderness for Profit: the violent politics of neoliberal conservation and ecotourism in Northern Tanzania, Jevgeniy Bluwstein

Power, and Resistance Strategies in Cameroon – Intentionality, Visibility, Intersectionality, and Shifting Spaces, Ralph Tafon and Fred P. Saunders

2L. Political ecologies of social mobilization in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA) region

Room number:

Session chair / Organizer: Rania Masri

Citizenship, natural resource rights, and rural development: A case study of the UNDP “Hydroagricultural project for the Marjayoun area”, Karim Eid-Sabbagh

Thawrat Al-’atash (Thirst Revolution): Water Crises and Social Movements in Rural Egypt (2007-2015), Saker El Nour

What it means to fight for climate justice in North Africa, Hamza Hamouchene

From Small Farmer to Slumdweller: Price Fixing and the Tunisian Revolution, Max Ajl

2M. ROUNDTABLE. Practicing feminist political ecologies

Room number.

Session chair

Organizer: Begüm Özkaynak

Rebecca Elmhirst

Niclas Hallstrom

Begüm Özkaynak

Wendy Harcourt
Session 3, MONDAY 21 MARCH

16:30 – 18:00

3A. Theories of Political Ecology III

Room number:

Session chair:

Emerging ecological subjectivities? An investigation on the opportunities of the economic crisis, Alice dal Gobbo

Towards a marginal political ecology: competing human-nature relations at home in urban transitional space, Ashraful Alam

Marx's Anthropocentric Concept of Nature as the Foundation of Radical Political Ecology, Sergio Cámara Izquierdo and Alelic Natalia

Democratic legitimacy, capitalism and socio-ecological struggles. A critical essay about Environmental democracy, Jonas Van Vossole

3B. ROUNDTABLE: Presentation and Discussion of ‘Degrowth: A vocabulary for a new era’

Room number:

Session chair: Alexander Paulsson

Organizers: Ekaterina Chertkovskaya and Alexander Paulsson

Giorgos Kallis

Giacomo d'Alisa

Mikael Malmeus

Ekaterina Chertkovskaya

Stefania Barca

3C. Political Ecologies of Food

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

The political ecology of meat, Livia Boscardin

Towards new community based economies: can food be a catalyzer for building social change under a new ecological perspective?, Sara Roche

Challenging economic development through commoning in the City of Detroit. A case study on the Detroit Black Community Food Security Network (DBCFSN), Ernest Aigner

3D. Alternative Systems of Energy Organizing & Access

Room number:

Session chair:
Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela del Bene
Discussant: Bengt G. Karlsson

Rivers of Commons? A comparison between private sector-run and community-run hydropower development in Turkey and Nepal, Mine Islar

The Political Geographies of Energy Use in Cuba’s Special Period, Gustav Cederlöf

Collective Energy Autonomy, an Empowering Struggle – The experience of the Occupied Social Centre Kan Pasqual, Marc Gavaldà

3E. The State as a Socionatural Relation: Overcoming the State–Nature Divide in Political Ecology 1. The state-resource nexus

Room number:
Session chair: Gavin Bridge
Organizers: Jonah Wedekind and Diego Andreucci

Making (mining) concessions: Taxation and state power in Burkina Faso, Muriel Côte
A political morphology of dam construction on the Nile, Hermen Smit
Liberian Rubber and Iron: The articulation of environmental conditions of production with the state, Steffen Fisher
Global Environmental Governance and the Internationalization of the State: Contributions to Political Ecology, Ulrich Brand
Farmland expropriation and socio-natures: Reflecting on the authority of the capitalist state under climate change, Christos Zografos and Marien González-Hidalgo

3F. Visualizing Undisciplined Environments I: Visualizing Absence

Room number:
Session chair/ Organizer/ Discussant: Katherine Foo
Visualizing the Disappeared, Melissa Wright
The Imagination Paradox, Katarzyna Balug
Diagrams and Demonstrations, Terry Schwarz

3G. The EJ Atlas and the Global Movement for Environmental Justice II

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizers: Daniela del Bene, Leah Temper, Joan Martinez Alier

Socio-environmental Conflicts in the Iberian Peninsula, Amaranta Herrero and Lúcia Oliveira Fernandes
Accumulation by development: The key role of poverty reduction and development policies for elite’s resource accumulation in Cambodia, Amim Scheidel
Environmental Conflicts in Madagascar, Jean-Marc Douguet and Vahinala R. Douguet
Mapping environmental conflicts in Brazil: some results, Marcelo Firpo Porto, Diogo Rocha Ferreira, Tania Pacheco

3H. De-accumulation through Repossession? Interrogating ‘Post-capitalist Alternatives’ to Neoliberal Conservation

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Robert Fletcher
Convivial Conservation: Degrowth and the Quest for Overcoming Capitalist Conservation, Bram Büscher
(A Journey through) The Political Culture of Hope and Despair in a Legacy of Conservation Failures in Frontier Southeast Asia, Wolfram Dressler
Sharing the Wealth? Conceptualizing ‘Actually Existing Redistribution’ in Environmental Governance, Robert Fletcher

3I. Decolonizing Methods: Disseminating Research Results Beyond Academy II

Room number:
Session chair/Discussant:
Organizers: Martina Angela Caretta and Paola Minoia
Reporting back to research participants in the GS as a practice of resistance facing the neoliberal academy policies, Paola Minoia and Johanna Hohenthal
Bridging post-dictatorship environmental movements and ecological distribution conflicts in Portugal, Lúcia Fernandes, Teresa Meira, Lays Silva
Grounded in place: Collaborative research experiences in Barrow, Alaska, Laura Zanotti, Sarah Huang, Charlene Apok, Charlotte Ambrozek and Courtney Carothers

3J. The More-Than-Human Commons and the Politics of Knowledge II

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizers: Patrick Bresnihan and Naomi Millner
Collaborative science in salmon-beaver-human worlds, Cleo Woelfle-Erskine
A More-Than-Human Commons at What Scale? The Politics of Building and Dismantling Dams in Indonesia’s Peatlands as Local/Global Enclosure, Jenny Goldstein
Re-vitalizing Andean living worlds: Kamayq, the new yacana, and the ‘re-wilding’ of collective Andean natures, Julian S. Yates
Gold, Silver and Peyote: the forces of more than human actors opening up the way for commoning in Wirikuta Sacred Natural Site, Mexico, Oscar-Felipe Reyna-Jimenez
The spirits of change: Local religiosity and the politics of indigenous knowledge in a High Atlas communal meadow, Pablo Dominguez

3K. ROUNDTABLE: Automatization and Digitalization as Strategies for Reaching a Social-Ecological Just Future

Room number:
Session chair/Organizer: Ulrika Gunnarsson-Östling
Ann Bergman
Daniel Pargman
Åsa Svenfelt
Henrik Ernstson

3L. ROUNDTABLE: Decolonial Thoughts: What Can Be Changed?

Room number:
Session chair/Organizer: Felipe Milanez
Kimberly TallBear
Ailton Krenak
May-Britt Öhman
Tonico Benites Guarani Kaiowa
Cebaldo De León

3M. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts I

Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:
Environmental Conflict in the Age of the Darknet, Brett Sylvester Matulis
We are not defending nature, we are nature defending itself: Protest Camps and Convergences as Temporary Living Sites of Post-Capitalist Ecologies, Natasha Verco
Aromas of Nature, Place, and Memory, Tuyen Le
Session 4, TUESDAY 22 MARCH

11:30 – 13:00

4A. Cartesian Dichotomy and Metabolic Rift: Political Ecology facing the challenge of ontological recomposition

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizer: Gennaro Avallone

Is it possible to go beyond the Cartesian dualism? Some proposals from World-ecology and decolonial perspectives, Gennaro Avallone

The challenges of integrating a post-Cartesian ontology in rights of nature, Cristina Espinosa

Alternative ontologies? Ontological struggles and the new production of nature, Luigi Pellizzoni

Recomposing the fragmentation. A political ecological perspective, Salvo Torre

4B. Democratizing societal relations with nature

Room number:

Session chair: Ulrich Brand

Organizer: Markus Wissen

Struggles over mining as struggles over democracy: who controls the subsoil?, Kristina Dietz

Democratization of agriculture through resistance and critical-emancipatory alternatives, Daniela Gottschlich

What’s democracy got to do with it? A political ecology perspective on socio-ecological justice, Melanie Pichler

Beyond carbon democracy? Renewable energies and new spaces for democratic struggles, Markus Wissen

4C. Political Ecology of Food

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

Contract farming in Madagascar: the disciplining of agro-rational subjects as an alternative enclosure strategy?, Hélène Weber

Food, Resources and Unequal Ecological Exchange under an Ecological Prebisch approach: Social Metabolism and Neoextractivism from a South Perspective, Walter Pengue

Analyzing access to food based on food diaries: empirical data from a local community in Cuba, Federica Bono

4D. Interrogating Environmental Pragmatism: Philosophy, Ecology, and Politics

Room number:
Session chair: Mine Islar
Organizers: Gregory Thaler and Mine Islar

Environmental Pragmatism as Philosophy or Policy: Geoengineering as a Case Study, Eric Katz
Pragmatism and Global Climate Policy: The Interface Between Unequal Powers, Kevin Adams
Resistance to Wind Energy Development in Times of Neoliberalism, Maria Proestou
Moralities of Pragmatic Management of National Parks: Social and Political Negotiations in Abel Tasman National Park (New Zealand), Tim Tait-Jamieson and Olivier Graefe
Contesting Geo-Social Futures: Eco-Pragmatism and Reclaiming Left Optimism, Rory Rowan

**4E. (Un)disciplined Movements: Ecology, Race, and Resistance in the Government of Mobility**

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizer: Gaia Giuliani

Climate change and migrations as ecological neo-colonialism, Paola Minoia

Into the abyss of the political. Reflections and qualms about the possibility of radical approaches to ‘climate migration’, Giovanni Bettini

Lampedusa (un)disciplined, Gaia Giuliani

Migration and the family form – portrayals of race and whiteness in climate cinema, Andrew Baldwin

**4F. Post-Colonial and De-Colonial Ecologies I**

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

De-colonizing Korean mountains and minds : the Baekdudaegan mountain range in South Korean reunification narratives, Ian Florin

Cahora Bassa Dam “the pride of Mozambique” – between colonization and decolonization pitfalls, Ana Paula Silva

Nature without ‘Environmentalism’ – A Design Enquiry towards Reimagining the Western Ghats, Deepta Sateesh

**4G. Understanding Climate Capitalism I**

Room number:

Session chair:

"The Political Ontology of Climate Change: Moral meteorology, climate justice, and the coloniality of reality in the Bolivian Andes", Anders Burman

Carbon Markets vs Climate Justice, Kenfack Chrislain Eric and Emanuele Leonardi

Antagonising climate justice: alter-capitalist ecologies in the South Pacific, Hannah Fair
Unleashing climate change action through local knowledge co-production: Enabling participatory action research methods to serve emancipatory political ecologies, Marcella Samuels

4H. Renewable Energy Transitions and Energy Poverty

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela del Bene

Discussant: Bengt G. Karlsson

Political ecology of electricity provision in South African informal settlements, Suzanne Smit, Zora Kovacic and Josephine Kaviti Musango

Scarcity in abundance: The challenges of promoting sustainable energy access in rural village communities in Botswana, Southern Africa, François Diaz-Maurin, Lapologang Magoleb and Cheddi Kiravu

Scarcity in abundance: The challenges of promoting sustainable energy access in rural village communities in Botswana, Southern Africa, Lise Desvallées

4I. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: Disentangling ecologies: working around ‘the system’ [344]

Room number:

Organizer: Emily Yates-Doerr

Wasting Ecologies, Sebastian Abrahamsson

Insect/icide Ecologies, Uli Beisel

Mineral Ecologies, Filippo Bertoni

Farming Ecologies, Rebeca Ibáñez Martín

Honeybee Ecologies, Beckie Marsland

Microbial Ecologies, Alex Nading

Reproductive Ecologies, Emily Yates-Doerr

4J. ROUNDTABLE: Emotional Political Ecologies

Room number:

Session chair/ Organizer: Ulrika Gunnarsson-Östling

Ann Bergman

Daniel Pargman

Åsa Svenfelt

Henrik Ernstson

4K. “The land is not enough” and the enclosure of maritime space: Political Ecology of Fisheries and Aquaculture I
**Room number:**

Session chair:

Organizers: Irmak Ertör, Maria Hadjimichael and Daniel Banoub

Discussant: Beatriz Bustos

The ‘sustainable’ ocean grab: financialising marine resources, Mads Barbesgaard

A behavioral approach to evaluate the effects of different interventions on cooperation among fishers, Pınar ERTÖR AKYAZI

Making fish: the political ecology of marine finfish aquaculture in post-moratorium Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada, Daniel Danoub

**4L. New Means of Measuring the Overlap between Ethnic Identity and Environmental Conflict: Exploring Intensity of Conflicts over Extraction in the Andes**

**Room number:**

Session chair:

Organizer: Todd A. Eisenstadt

Environmental Attitudes in a Climate-Vulnerable State: Self-Interest Challenges Post-Materialist Values along Ecuador’s Oil Extraction Frontier, Todd A. Eisenstadt

Land-use planning to deepen democratic natural resource governance, Maria-Therese Gustafson

Understanding Opposition and Support for Resource Extraction, Moises Arce

Extractive Industries, Political Mobilization and Prior Consultation Regimes: Evidence from Mexico, Peru, and Bolivia, Marcela Torres

**4M. Resistance Economies**

**Room number:**

Session chair / Discussant:

El Cambalache Intervenes: A documentary film about a Moneyless Economy in San Cristobal de las Casas, Chiapas, Mexico, La Cambalachera

The pragmatism of the alter-economy: rendering the capitalism contestable or underestimating the enemy?, Lucia Argüelles Ramos

Negotiations and Compromises in Green Collar Work, Lynne Pettinger

**4N. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: Coastal Reading Group [Registration required]**

**Room number:**

Organizers: Margaretha Haughwout, Bibi Calderaro and Christos Galanis

A workshop with three kinds of engagement between humans, non-humans, technology, and land bases

1:00-2:30 pm
lunch

2:00-2:15 pm

Reading performance: *Ecology explained to human beings*, by Daniela Danna and Gloria Fenzi
Session 5, TUESDAY 22 MARCH
14:30 – 16:00

5A. Ecological Commons and Governmentality

Room number:

Session chair:
Natures in crisis: Neoliberal governmentality, environmental policies and the state, José Cortes-Vazquez
Commons/Life environment: opening new undisciplined horizons, Rita Micarelli and Giorgo Pizziolo
Common goods or common world?, Ottavio Marzocca
"Environmental governmentality" in the Modern Era. Foucault and the political ecology, Fehrat Taylan

5B. Conceptualizing Environmental Conflict: Explorations Beyond Disciplinary Boundaries

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:
Organizers: Lúcia Fernandes and Oriana Brás

The Hydropolitics of the Brahmaputra: A Political Ecology of Water Conflict, Soeren Koepke
Managing conflicts in protected areas: Potentials and limitations of the ecosystem service framework, Ezster Kelemen et al.

The Will of the Mountain: An Alpine Environment as a Subject in Conflict, Mateusz Laszczkowski

5C. Revisiting Conservation Debates and Practices I

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

Living at the edge: politics of biodiversity conservation, poverty and livelihood insecurity in the Sundarbans, India, Amrita Sen and Sarmistha Pattanaik

Rescaling conservation from protected areas to landscapes: a case of central Indian tiger conservation, Biljana Macura, Laura Secco and Nathan Deutsch

Matters of Care in Violent Environments: A relational political ecology of human-wildlife conflicts in South India, Ursula Münster

5D. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: The Resistant Body

Room number:

Organizer: Alexa Wilson

An interactive performance around the notion of privileged bodies and borders between cultures, nature and people.
5E Socio-territorial Movements and Community Resistance in Latin America: The Defence of the Commons Against Capitalist Dispossession I

Room number:

Session chair Joan Martinez Alier:

Organizers: Pavel Lopez and Juan Wahren

Social accumulation and hegemonic articulation. Territory and power in the struggles against open-pit mining in Mexico and Argentina, Hernán Horacio Schiaffini

Struggle for land in Brazil and Bolivia: Landless peasants’ movements questioning spatial justice, Solenn Lepeu

Community Forest Concessionaires: Resisting Green Grabs and Producing Political Subjects in Guatemala, Jennifer A. Devine

A Return to Communal Luxury? (Re)imagineing and (Re)enacting Historical Peasant Invasions and Occupations to Defend Institutions of Communal Water Management in Sonora, Mexico, Lily A. House-Peters

5F. Post-Colonial and De-Colonial Ecologies II

Room number:

Session chair:

Colonialism and energy in the Amazon: analysis of the power relations and conflict in the communication process of the planning of hydroelectric plants in the Tapajós river, Larissa Carreira da Cunha

Decolonising Colonial and Vernacular Extractive Knowledge(s) and Resource/Sovereignty Frontiers: Uranium and Rare Earth Prospecting in Post-Liberation North Korea 1945-1950, Robert Winstanley-Chesters

War and Environmental Disruption: Environmental Distortions of the Decolonization Process after World War II, Richard Tucker

Contesting developmentalism and building post-colonial alternatives from below in the oldest colony in the world: The case of Casa Pueblo, Puerto Rico, Gustavo García-López and Arturo Massol Deyá

5G. Understanding Climate Capitalism II

Room number:

Session chair:

REDD+ and the racialised subject in Guyana and Suriname, Yolanda Ariadne Collins

The Project has Failed Here: Resistance to New Green Enclosures and REDD+ Pilot Projects in Tanzania, Melis Ece

Power theories in transformation: A multi-layered understanding of climate change, Lorenz Stör

Value-based adaptation to climate change and divergent developmentalisms in Turkish agriculture, Ethemcan Turhan

5H. Political Ecologies of Tourism I

Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:

Rebuilding Tourism in Conflict: The case of Utría National Park, Nicolás Acosta García

“¿All included or all excluded?” Tourism development and land expropriation in the coastal zone of Jalisco state, western Mexico, Peter R.W. Gerritsen, Dr. Virginia Martínez Hernández and Dr. Rosa María Chávez Dagostino

Towards a political ecology of mass tourism production. Social metabolism and conflicts of the tourist pearl of the Mediterranean (Balearic Islands), Ivan Murray-Mas

51. Conflictive Renewables – The Politics of Wind

Room number:

Session chair/ Discussant: Bengt G. Karlsson

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela del Bene

The Green Economy Zeitgeist and Environmental Conflicts – The Political Ecology of Germany’s Energy Transition, Gabriel Veber

Conflicts over renewable energy deployment in Germany: from ecological concerns to investment opportunities, Gerhard Fuchs

Conflicting sustainability: Poetics and politics of the wind in the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, Mexico, Francesco Zanotelli

Green grabbing – modes of appropriation and knowledge production in the conflict between Sámi herders and the wind power industry, Anett Sasvari

5J. Socio-territorial Movements and Community Resistance in Latin America: The Defence of the Commons Against Capitalist Dispossession II

Room number:

Session chair: Joan Martinez Alier

Organizers: Pavel Lopez and Juan Wahren

Socio-environmental conflicts and socio-territorial movements in the Bolivian lowlands. Defence of the Guarani indigenous territory in the Chaco region: (The case of Guarani people and their struggles for their ancestral territory), Pavel López and Juan Wahren

Continuities and disruptions in the Agrarian Question: Land struggles and commons defense in Santiago del Estero (Argentina), Francisco Pescio

Indigenous Struggles for Politico-Territorial Autonomy in Bolivia: the TIPNIS Conflict, Anna Laing

The recreation of “Temulemu’s lof”. Claiming the autonomy in the Mapuche territory, Patricia Viera Bravo

5K. “The land is not enough” and the enclosure of maritime space: Political Ecology of Fisheries and Aquaculture II

Room number:

Session chair:
Organizers: Irmak Ertör, Maria Hadjimichael and Daniel Banoub

Discussants: Beatriz Bustos and Dean Bavington

The Governmentalisation of the Sea: the governance and the imaginaries of the Cypriot Exclusive Economic Zone, Maria Hadjimichael

Growing in the mist: Unveiling the European aquaculture discourses, Irmak Ertör

After enclosures, beyond aquaculture? Conflicting socioecological futures in a commodity frontier, Kristian Saguin

5L. Political Economies of Moving Beyond Disciplinarities

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizers: Katharine Farrell and David Barkin

Elmar Altvater

Alf Hornborg

Birgit Mahnkopf

Ariel Salleh

5M. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts I

Room number:

Session chair

Dare to Share (Documentary), Thomas Turolo and Enrico Maso

Heterotipic Nature of Contemporary Globalized Capitalism. A case study in Southern Italy, Antonello Petrillo

Neoliberal hopes or green sagas? The limits to renewable energy production as a development strategy, a case study of Iceland, Henner Busch

Defining territories by framing political issues – The conflict about pesticide use in biotechnological agriculture in Argentina, Markus Rauchecker
Session 6, TUESDAY 22 MARCH
16:30 – 18:00

6A. Political Ecologies of Water I

Room number:
Session chair:
Assembling stormwater: The political ecology of stormwater in Los Angeles, Joshua J. Cousins
Commoning rain? A critical appraisal of rainwater harvesting trends in Berlin over the last 35 years, Natàlia Garcia Soler and Timothy Moss
Exploring the issue of ‘breaking down of commons’: A case of decline of rainwater harvesting system in India, Anushree Singh
Rainwater infrastructure planning: challenges & responses, Lina Suleiman

6B. Knowledge, Ecology and Power I

Room number:
Session chair:
Following actors and ideas across scales and disciplines, Theo Aalders
Pollinator decline in the Anthropocene: Using beekeepers’ knowledge to transform socio-ecological relations, Siobhan Maderson and Sophie Wynne Jones
Memory embodied: summoning material and dematerialized presences through dance with a construction site, Linda Lapina
What is scale in the age of the Anthropocene ?, Mette Nelund

6C. Revisiting Conservation Debates and Practices II

Room number:
Session chair:
Occupied Discourses of Opposition: struggles for development, conservation and indigeneity in the Isiboro Secure Indigenous Territory and National Park (TIPNIS), Bolivia, Jessica Hope
Eroding Soils and Overgrazed Rangelands – Deconstructing a Narrative of Ecological Crisis in South Africa, 1930s-1950s, Christiane Naumann
Private protected areas: a reconfiguration of governance arrangements for biodiversity conservation, Giulia Ianuzzi
Rotten Potatoes: Force and resistance in collective agrobiodiversity conservation, Agnes Bridge Walton

6D. Renewable Energy Investments – Delusions of a Green Economy

Room number:
Session chair/Discussant: Bengt G. Karlsson
Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela del Bene
Wonder resources, or how Jatropha curcas becomes what it is and is not, Marie Widengård
Biofuel imaginaries and the developmental state as master of disaster in the frontiers, Jonah Wedekind
Hydropower development in the 21st century: hydraulic or financial engineering?, Rhodante Ahlers, Ineke Kleemans, Vincent Merme and Hermen Smit
Militant Climate Futures: The ‘Great Green Fleet’ and the US Navy’s Foray into Biofuels, Patrick Biger and Benjamin Neimark

6E. Modes of Land Grabbing
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Session chair / Discussant:
27 Feminization of agriculture through land grabbing? A case study of the Lower Limpopo Valley, Mozambique, Juliana Porsani Jarkvist and Martina Angela Caretta
86 Environmental agendas’ integration into ongoing and/or pre-existing land appropriations, Umut Önder
236 Jakarta, Sinking City: The Socio-Ecology of a Flood-Prone Metropolis, Rachel Thompson

6F. Post-Colonial and De-Colonial Ecologies III
Room number:
Session chair:
Decolonizing imaginaries in the North through alternative livelihood strategies and non-hierarchical markets, Maria Ehrnström-Fuentes and Kristoffer Wilén
uBuntu as site of critique: Decolonising nature as the restoration of restoration, Christelle Terreblanche
Cacophonous harmonies: Decolonizing free trade through organic sovereignties, Guntra A. Aistara
(Re-) (De-) Valuing Exchanges: reflections of a decolonial, moneyless heterodox economy in Chiapas, Mexico, Erin Araujo

6G. Understanding Climate Capitalism III
Room number:
Session chair:
A story of climate migration: How Discourse affect adaptation decision making and policy in the pacific, Elise Remling
Towards a regional political ecology of carbon and climate in the Asia Pacific, Fiona Miller and Andrew McGregor
Carbon-metrics and the risk of ecological epistemicide, Camila Moreno
Producing flexibility: genealogies of climate change adaptation, Romain Felli

6H. Visualizing Undisciplined Environments 2: Visualizing Discourse, Power and Institutions
Room number:
Session chair/ Organizer: Katherine Foo

Mapping renewable energy futures: perspectives from critical cartography, political ecology, and political economy, James McCarthy and Jim Thatcher

Disciplining Undisciplined Environments? Curating and Displaying Images of the Urban Landscape, Michael Rios

Visualization in Political Ecology, Dianne Rocheleau

Indelible Absences: Dystopic photographs and the missing social relations in visual “knowledge” productions, Nancy Peluso

6I. The State as a Socionatural Relation: Overcoming the State–Nature Divide in Political Ecology 2. Hegemony, governmentality and socionatures

Room number:
Session chair: Maria Kaika
Organizers: Jonah Wedekind and Diego Andreucci

State formation, nature, and dispossession in the face of climate crisis, Alejandro Camargo and Diana Ojeda

Governmentality in Land Tenure Systems: The case of Ethiopia, Jin-ho Chung

Do trout and salmon embody state power?, Gabrielle Bouleau

Socio-political drivers of malaria and the biopolitical shift of the state’s gaze towards migrant workers in Greece, Panagiota Kotsila

A political ecology of maladaptation, Giacomo D’Alisa and Giorgos Kallis

6J. Socio-territorial Movements and Community Resistance in Latin America: The Defence of the Commons Against Capitalist Dispossession III

Room number:
Session chair: Joan Martinez Alier
Organizers: Pavel Lopez and Juan Wahren

Enclosure as resistance - reflections from the Araucania, Mara Duer

Socio-territorial Conflicts over Land Use: The Case of the Inter-Oceanic Canal in Nicaragua, Anne Tittor

Commodity frontiers and socio-territorial movements in Argentina from a world-ecological perspective, Axel Anlauf

Indigenous communities of Paraguay and their fight to reclaim ancestral lands, Olga Khrustaleva

6K. Political Ecologies of the Levant: Ruination, Contestation and Re-imagination of Socio-Ecological Landscapes in the Greater Middle East

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6L. Food as a Commons: Commodified Mainstream and Re-commoning Alternatives

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Jose Luis Vivero Pol
Valuation of food dimensions and policy beliefs in the transitional food systems of Guatemala, Belgium and Ireland: food as a commons or a commodity?, Vivero Pol, J.L., T. Dedeurwaerdeere, C. Sage & Olivier De Schutter
Land and the Legal Complexity of Global Chains of Production: commodification and de-commodification processes, Tomaso Ferrando
Seeds as a Commons: An Alternative Path for Growing a Food Secure World, Christine Frison

6M. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts II

Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:
Undisciplining securitization: ensuring environmental effectiveness or playing politics?, Claudia Strambo
The political ecology of socio-environmental conflicts in Germany (1990-2014), Gabriel Veber
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Session 7, WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH
11:30 – 13:00

7A. Political Ecologies of Water II

Room number:

Session chair:

Power Structures behind Water Uses, Conflicts and Degradation in the upper Río Negro, north Patagonia, Argentina, Rocío Herrera

Decolonizing water knowledge in extractive frontiers of Bolivia and Colombia, Cecilia Roa and Almut Schilling-Vacaflor

Barriers to water security in the Metropolitan Region of São Paulo, Ana Helena Cavalcante

Fight. Narrate. Resist. Dream: the forms of action of the Movement for the Preservation of Gandarela Mountain Range (Brazil) in defense of water and against mining, Adriana Bravin and Carlos Alberto de Carvalho

7B. Knowledge, Ecology and Power II

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

‘Rewilding in Wales – Escaping Colonialism? Embracing a Post-Human Democracy?’, Sophie Wynne-Jones

A feast of leftovers or the leftovers of a feast: Materials and Space in Community Gardens, Gabriel Wulff

Political materialities of bioeconomy: (re-)narrating the regional transitions in rural Finland, Jani Lukkarinen

7C. Evaluating the Development Promise of Hydropower

Room number:

Session chair/ Discussant: Bengt G. Karlsson

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela del Bene

Hydropower development and resource allocation between competing users and uses: evidence from Asia and Africa, Giuseppina Siciliano & Frauke Urban

Economics of hydropower development in India: Its implications for community well-being, Govinda Choudhury

Harnessing Under-development – The politics of hydro-power development in the eastern Himalaya, Garcia

Contesting Hydropower Hegemony: a reading of indigenous resistance to ‘development-through-dams’ in Northeast India, Amelie Huber

7D. Degrowth and Political Ecology

Room number:

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Session chair:
The violence of growth, or degrowth as a peaceful social movement, Ekaterina Chertkovskaya and Alexander Paulsson

“Do as I say, don't do as I do?” Political orientations, transformational practices and lifestyles in the German Degrowth movement, Matthias Schmelzer and Dennis Eversberg

Europeans for environmentally-motivated Degrowth - How many, how strong?, Mladen Domazet and Branko Ančić

Working class environmentalism and degrowth, Iwona Bojadžijewa, Alfred Burballa Nória, David Ravensbergen and Linda Schneider

7E. UNDISCIPLINED ACTIVISM WORKSHOP I: Institutions and organizations

Room number:
Session chair: Laura Centemeri
Chris Church
Prisco Piscitelli, Alfredo Mazza, Gaetano Rivezzi and Alessandro Distante
Filka Sekulova
Mariella Bussolati
John Mark Mwanika

7F. Forest Ecologies

Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:
Forest, knowledge and politics. Who control commons in a post-socialistic state? A contemporary forestry and a status of forest in Poland, Agata Agnieszka Konczal

In the space of the rent gap: carbon offset forestry, oil extraction, and territorial revanchism in Kenya’s Gregorian Rift, Connor Joseph Cavanagh

Fractured forests: the politics of state, capital and community interventions in the mangrove forests of Jambelí, Ecuador. Lucia Galarza

7G. Critiques of Neoliberal Environments I

Room number:
Session chair:
Governing floodplains, governing people – Rhône River hydropolitics, Joana Guerrin

The politics of Arctic change: Scalar dynamics in a mediatized world, Annika E. Nilsson and Miyase Christensen

The role of technological determinism on the media representation of the conflict over Guatemala’s hydropower plants: an exploratory survey, Renato Ponciano
What does transformation look like, and what doesn’t? Evidence of post-tsunami political change in the Andaman Islands, Sophie Blackburn

7H. Latin American Political Ecology: Genealogies and Frameworks

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Héctor Alimonda
Latin American Political Ecology and Critical Thinking: rooted avant-gardes, Héctor Alimonda
Towards a global political ecology: Contributions from the South, Melissa Moreano, Francisco Molina and Raymond Bryant
Towards an cosmopolitical ecology, Facundo Martín
Political Ecology: a Latin American perspective, Enrique Leff

7I. Political Ecologies of Capital and Struggles

Room number:
Session chair: Salvatore Engel Di Mauro
Organizer: María Beltrán
The political ecology of rent: Insights from struggles over housing, land and mineral resources, Melissa García-Lamarca, Diego Andreucci, Jonah Wedekind and Erik Swyngedouw
Unnatural disasters and the political ecology of risk: The case of large dams in Italy, Spain and Northeast India, Amelie Huber, Santiago Gorostiza, Panagiota Kotsila, María Jesús Beltrán and Marco Armiero
The political ecology of austerity: a Gramscian analysis of socio-ecological conflicts in Greece, Rita Calvário, Giorgos Velegrakis, Maria Kaika
The commons sense: Reconnecting the divided domains of civic and ecological commons, Gustavo García-López, Irina Velicu and Giacomo D’Alisa


Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Jonah Wedekind and Andreas Thiel
Discussant: Erik Swyngedouw
Polycentricity & American Libertarianism: exploring democratic potential for collective action, Katherine N. Farrell
Institutional change, bargaining power & ideology in polycentric & legal pluralistic settings: Litigations over a floodplain pasture in Zambia in the context of Large Scale Land Acquisitions, Tobias Haller
Polycentric struggles: Politicizing polycentricity through the experience of the climate justice movement, Fernando Tormos and Gustavo Garcia Lopez
7K. Ideas of Progress Against the Crisis of Fossil Energy and Capitalism

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Mladen Domazet

‘Desperate, but not serious’ – an academic exposition on the structure of development components, Mladen Domazet

Wicked problem: abandoning the revolution-reform dilemma, Danijela Dolenec

Strategic incrementalism and ecological struggle: hidden revolution beneath "business as usual", Vedran Horvat

New planetary vulgate: the case of environmental crisis, Mislav Žitko

7L. Land grabbing: politics, consequences and resistance in Central America

Room number:
Session chair:
Organizer: Mariel Aguilar-Støen

Beyond transnational corporations, food and biofuels: The role of extractivism and agribusiness in land grabbing in Central America, Mariel Aguilar-Støen

Gendering Extractivism: Politicizing Violences Against Women in Guatemala’s Franja Transversal del Norte, Julia Hartviksen

Contesting neoliberal managerial environmental policies, Cecilie Hirsch

State-environment relations in Guatemala: environmental governance, the extractive industries and violence, Anna Guðbjört Sveinsdóttir

7M. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts III

Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:

Evidences of ecological distributional conflicts: the Environmental Justice Atlas and the case of Sri Lanka, Paola Camisani

Slowing down after the Dam? The post-political effects of Cittaslow movement in Halfeti- Xalfetî Mine Islar and Gökhan Gulbandilar

Conflicts of Territorialisation in the Sub Arctic: The Political Ecology of the Faroese Grindadráp, Elisabeth Skarðhamar Olsen and Ragnheiður Bogadóttir

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Poetry performance: *Adam Strains*, by Jesse Don Peterson

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8A. Political Ecologies of Water III

Room number:

Session chair / Discussant:

Beyond Interstate Water Cooperation; the Reconfiguration of the Borderlands Hydro-social Cycle in Talas Transboundary Waterscape (Kyrgyzstan-Kazakhstan), Andrea Zinzani

Decolonization and Demodernization: The Influence of Soviet Design and Planning on Water resources in Post-Soviet Urban Uzbekistan, Garrett Wolf

Political Ecology of water transfer: Case of Udaipur, India, Neha Singh

8B. Knowledge, Ecology and Power III

Room number:

Session chair:

Conflicts of imaginary: struggles on the representations of the future, Marco Deriu

Doing engaged action research in the gas fields, Elisabet Rasch and Michiel Kohne

Risks of undisciplined thinking and possible advantages of epistemological solidarity: a comparison of options, Katharine Farrell and David Barkin

Know where you come from to know where you are going (or Sankofa) and the path towards ecological liberation: overcoming alienation from species-being through respectRocio Hiraldo Lopez-Alonso

8C. Wasting Places, Things and People. Formal and Informal Processes

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizer: Maria Federica Palestino

Post-Nuclear Nature Imaginaries, Anna Storm

Contesting Urban Metabolism: Struggles Over Waste-to-Energy in Delhi, India, Seth Schindler and Federico Demaria

Recovering communities and places through images. The case of the Land of Fires-Italy, Maria Federica Palestino

Disposable lands, coasts and lives: the waste management crisis in Lebanon, Rania Masri, Farak Kobeissy and Ali Darwish

8D. Thinking the Commons Ecologically I

Room number:

Session chair:
What if the world was our body? Environmental ownership’ issues related to human health, Marie Gaille

Socio-economic and landscape changes: investment in irrigation commons reduces common pasture land, Kari Lehtilä and Vesa-Matti Loiske

Claiming property: strategies of appropriation in the commons, Angela Kronenburg García and Han van Dijk

Cyborg social reproduction: notes towards a post-capitalist 'reproscape' inspired by the contemporary surrogacy industry, Sophie Lewis

8E. ACTIVIST WORKSHOP II Social Movements

Room number:
Session chair: Lucie Greyl
Lanka Horstink
Sara Rocha
Sara Senese and Leandro Sgueglia
Laila Sandroni and Bruno Tarin

8F. Repression, Resistance and the Politics of Knowledge

Room number:
Session chair: Discussant: Bengt G. Karlsson
Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela del Bene

Solidarity and resistance against hydro-plant building under the conditions of state of exception in Turkey, Özge Can DOĞMUŞ

Voices in the Void: The Politics of Knowledge Around Hydropower Development in Sikkim, India, Saskia de Wildt

The Case of Belo Monte Dam: an approach of Ecology of Knowledge and the Human Welfare of vulnerable populations, Michel Fernandes da Rosa

8G. Critiques of Neoliberal Environments II

Room number:
Session chair:

Post-colonialising and socialising ‘neoliberalism’, Eszter Krasznai Kovacs and Tatiana Thieme

Neoliberal hopes or green sagas? The limits to renewable energy production as a development strategy, a case study of Iceland, Henner Busch, Hrönn Guðmundsdóttir, Wim Carton and Vasna Ramasar

Green is the new red: exploring China’s craze for eco-blah-blah, Yvan Schulz

There is power in the sun: The political ecology of the solar economy in Morocco, Vasna Ramasar, Rikard Warlenius and Andreas Malm

8H. Visualizing Undisciplined Environments 3: Visualizing Socio-Environmental Landscapes
Room number:

Session chair/ Organizer/ Discussant: Katherine Foo


Visualizing Rural Drinking Water Problems, Projects, and Plans, Jim Wescoat, Anisha Anantapadmanabhan, Rebecca Hui, Paige Midstokke, Marianna Novellino

Visualizing Groundwater Socioecologies: Rendering the un-seeable knowable, Trevor Birkenholtz

8I. The Affective in Political Ecologies: Arts as Ways to Cultivate Resistances I

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizers: Marien González-Hidalgo, Maria Heras and Panagiota Kotsila

Re-inhabit: Maps, Movement and Resistance in Art, Anne Gough

Participatory film-making as a political process: recording undisciplined knowledge at the soy frontier in Paraguay, Almudena Garcia Sastre

Cultural dynamics of the performance event: first order and second order effects, Karl Frost

The ClassRoom as a Space of Encounters: Doing Pedagogy Differently, Conor Heaney and Holly Mackenzie

Creativity beyond voice, Culture as the way of being in social and political change, Marc Herbst

8J. Disciplining Gender in Undisciplined Environments: Tensions in Environmental and Development Practices in the North and the South I

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizers: Seema Arora-Jonsson and Bimbika Sijapati Basnett

Translating Gender, Environment and Development, Wendy Harcourt

Producing and promoting gender in REDD+: A Mexican case study, Beth Bee

Gendered patterns and gender equality efforts in Swedish forestry, Malin Lindberg and Gun Lidestav

Combining Theory and Action at CIFOR, Carol Colfer

8K. Latin American Political Ecology: Socio-environmental Conflicts and Movements

Room number:

Session chair/ Organizer: Héctor Alimonda

Environmental conflicts and development at the public debate in Argentina, María Gabriela Merlinsky

The socio-environmental movements in Mexico: from resistance to strategy, Luciano Concheiro-Bórquez, Malin Jönson, Iván Jiménez-Maya
Struggles for the Commons Against Capitalist Dispossession of Natural Commons in México, Mina Lorena Navarro Trujillo

“Mining is the new locomotive”: Socio-environmental conflicts in Colombia, Catalina Toro Pérez

8L. Who will queer political ecology? or Cute goners, (in)human thinkers, and queer wastoids I

Room number:

Session chair/ Discussant: Kim TallBear
Organizers: Cleo Woelfle-Erskine and July Cole
My dead cutie: queer trans-species love in wastelands, Cleo Woelfle-Erskine
Patchwork Futurity: Queer, Animate Ecology, Dylan Harris
Molly B Denim: the Crane of System D Worker Dialogues, Blake Nemec

8M. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts IV

Room number:

Session chair

Who is marching for Pachamama? Environmental politics and struggles in Bolivia under Evo Morales, Anna Kaijser
Ghost Acres of Toxic Waste: Texaco’s Oil in Ecuador, Simone M. Müller
Perspectives on Maghreb from Political Ecology, Rafael del Peral
The creation of social capital and territorialization process, Matilde Carabellese and Simon Baurano
Session 9, WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH
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9A. Political Ecologies of Water IV

Room number:
Session chair:
Reclaiming the water commons: #IniciativAgua2015, Marta Rica
The Water Apocalypse Venice desert cities and utopian arcologies in Southwestern dystopian fiction, Isabel Pérez
"Water for life, not for death": Re-Deterritorialization and socioenvironmental conflict in Acaua dam, Paraíba, Brazil, Eduardo Fernandes

Literary Approaches to Israeli and Palestinian Hydropolitics, Hannah Boast

9B. Knowledge, Ecology and Power IV

Room number:
Session chair:
Living at the Water’s Edge in Toronto: Towards a De-colonial Place-Based Pedagogy, Bonnie McElhinny
Quest for an Undisciplined Rationality, Çağdaş Dedeoğlu

Undisciplined research in an ultra-disciplined context: land reallocation, social diversification and power at the margins of a large-scale irrigation scheme in Ethiopia, Emanuele Fantini and Hermen Smit

Science and (other) knowledges in a socioenvironmental controversy in Argentina: whose knowledge counts and what resources do they count on?, Karin Skill

9C. Commons, Exploitation and Resistance in Southern Europe

Room number:
Session chair:
Austerity policies and environmental struggles in crisis driven Greece, Ermioni Frezouli

Escaping ‘adult’ enclosures? The role of the commons in the radicalization of youth: the case of Faneromeni square, Georgina Christou

The rebel common space and intersectional enclosures in Athens and Istanbul in the era of crisis, Haris Tsavdaroglou

Exploitation territories. A journey through rural areas of Southern Europe on the footsteps of immigrant farm workers (video), Marika Miano

9D. Thinking the Commons Ecologically II

Room number:
Session chair:
The Nature of the other. Commoning, savoir faire and relatedness of small farming in Occupied Palestine, Mauro Van Aken
Commoning against the crisis, Aggelos Varvarousis and Giorgos Kallis
100% Tempelhofer Feld: History of an Urban Political Ecological Resistance, Daniele Valisena
Commons: a social form that allows for sustainability, Johannes Euler

9E. ACTIVIST WORKSHOP III. Sámi science/activism

Room number:
Session chair: Stefania Barca
panel organizer: May-Britt Öhman
Henrik Andersson
Tor Lundberg Tuorda
Gunilla Larsson
May-Britt Öhman

9F. Ecologies of (Post-)Socialism

Room number:
Session chair / Discussant:
The Political Ecology of Levees: State, Local Communities and the Socialist Transformation of Lower Danube, Stefan Dorondel and Stulu Serban
The good, the bad and the ugly: struggles in the Romanian forest commons, Monica Vasile and Stefan Voicu
“Their children’s lives are worth less than this tree”: Neoliberal ecology in the Romanian Carpathians, George Iordachescu

9G. The State as a Socionatural Relation: Overcoming the State–Nature Divide in Political Ecology III

Social struggles, nature and the state

Room number:
Session chair: Ulrich Brand
Organizers: Jonah Wedekind and Diego Andreucci
Resource governance, post-neoliberalism and the state: Lessons from Bolivia’s hydrocarbon politics, Diego Andreucci
Making and unmaking the infrastructure state: Socionatural relations of control, resistance, and adaptation in Vietnam’s Mekong Delta, Timothy Gorman
Plurinational states as a socionatural relation: How interculturality requires overcoming the state-nature divide, Isabella M. Radhuber
The ‘agrofuels’ project in Ukraine, Christina Plank
State, society and nature as agrarian transformers? Land, labour and failed biodiesel investments in Ethiopia’s highland and lowland frontiers, Jonah Wedekind

9H. Political Ecologies of Tourism II
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Session chair / Discussant:
Revanchist conservationism. Neoliberal nature conservation and real estate tourism, Macià Blázquez
Power and the discourse of ecotourism, Anne Gry Sturod
Mapping the concept of Ecosystem Services from (eco)tourism to wind energy opposition, Erasmia Kastanidi and Penelope Gini

9I. The Affective in Political Ecologies: Arts as Ways to Cultivate Resistances II
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Organizers: Marien González-Hidalgo, Maria Heras and Panagiota Kotsila
The Swarm in Urban Ecologies: The Multisensory Works of Vérena Paravel and Jorie Graham, Julia Tanner
Waves and wigs: Cultivative processes of art and research meetings and transformations, Alison Neilson and Andrea Inocencio
Reclaiming democratic (public) spaces through music: the case of Viaduto Santa Tereza in Belo Horizonte (Brazil), Fausto Di Quarto
Art As Resistance and the Coming Community, Mitra Azar
As researchers we are forever learning, Sara Mingorría

9J. ROUNDTABLE: Socio-ecological Transformations in a Global Perspective. Exchanging and Discussing Conceptual Approaches for a Radical Transformation
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Session chair/ Organizer: Christoph Görg
Kristina Dietz
Melanie Pichler
Facundo Martín
Ulrich Brand
Patrick Bond
9K. Disciplining Gender in Undisciplined Environments: Tensions in Environmental and Development Practices in the North and the South II

Room number:

Session chair:

Organizers: Seema Arora-Jonsson and Bimbika Sijapati Basnett

Disciplining Gender in Undisciplined Environments: Gender, Environments and Large Organizations, Seema Arora-Jonsson and Bimbika Sijapati Basnett

Gender Theory by Whom and For Whom: Perspectives on Missing Links from Zimbabwean Village Women, Allyc Ndlovu

Mainstreaming gender in REDD+ for the Indonesian government, Bimbika Sijapati Basnett

Naturalized Women, Feminized Nature: gendered oppressions in the post-neoliberal politics of climate change adaptation, Noémi Gonda

9L. Who will queer political ecology? or Cute goners, (in)human thinkers, and queer wastoids II

Room number:

Session chair/ Discussant: Kim TallBear

Organizers: Cleo Woelfle-Erskine and July Cole

“Museum of an Extinct Species”: Queering Extinction at the AMNHAmmi Keller and Natasha Wilder

Monsters: Invasive Species as the Divine Portents of the Anthropocene’s Oikos, James McBride

Lucky, Trashy: Sunshine and other queer waste, July Cole

9M. Decolonising the Occidental Representation of the Sublime

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Session chair: Emeline Eudes

Organizers: Emeline Eudes and Conohar Scott

The Capitalist Origins of the ‘Industrial Sublime’, Conohar Scott

From Yosemite Valley to hybrid SUVs: the sublime in a socionatural continuum, Hélène Schmutz

The sublime and the picturesque in the Alps: from romantic drawings to selfie sticks. The paradoxical posterity of modern travelers’ approach of alpine nature, Adrien Périnet-Marquet

9N. ROUNDTABLE: Political Ecology and the Role of Technology: Teaching Political Ecology Ideas to Engineers

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Organizers: Sabine Pongratz and André Baier
The Social-Ecological Transformation of the Industrial Sector, Markus Wissen

Why and How to Use a Set of Alternative Didactical Methods to Transport Fundamental Ideas of Political Ecology Concepts - the Blue Engineering Course Design, André Baier

Problem-Based-Learning and Interdisciplinary Approaches in the Master’s Programme Techno-Anthropology, Tom Børsen
THURSDAY, 24 MARCH

UNDISCIPLINED ACTIVISM WORKSHOP - Plenary session
Venue: Reflexen Theatre
9:30-12:30

Undisciplined Art/Activism
Chair: Laura Centemeri
Lorena Lozano
John Angus
Pandya Revati and Evan Hastings
Liselotte Wajstedt
Paula von Seth

Discussion and conclusions
chair: Lucie Greyl
Amita Baviskar
Stephanie Roth