



Undisciplined Environments

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

20 – 24 March 2016

Stockholm, Sweden



About Undisciplined Environments

This Conference is co-organized by the Environmental Humanities Laboratory of the Division of History of Science, Technology and Environment at KTH - Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm and the Center for Social Studies of the University of Coimbra (Portugal).

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About The European Network of Political Ecology (ENTITLE)

ENTITLE is a transnational network of 13 universities, 2 NGOs and 1 private consultancy, funded within the Marie Curie International Training Network Program of the EU and coordinated by Prof. Giorgos Kallis at the Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona in Spain. The international conference “Undisciplined Environments” is the final event of the training network.

Over the past 4 years, the network has developed a shared international research agenda and trained 19 research fellows around five key cluster themes, namely: the analysis of environmental conflicts; environmental movements; natural disasters; changes in the commons; environmental justice and democracy.



PROGRAMME AT A GLANCE

Conference schedule

SUNDAY, 20 MARCH

2 - 7 pm

Opening session

Venue: Nya Matsalan, Kåren (KTH campus)

Registration desk opens

Welcoming addresses

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

9 - 11 am

Plenary session: Decolonial Political Ecology

Venue: Nya Matsalan, Kåren (KTH campus)

Keynote speakers:

Kim TallBear, University of Alberta, Faculty of Native Studies

Ailton Krenak, Indigenous leader and public intellectual, Brazil

Chair: Amita Baviskar

11:30 am - 6:00 pm

Parallel sessions

Venue : KTH Campus

6:15 - 7:15 pm

Panel of the Political Ecology Network of Europe (POLLEN)

Venue: Nya Matsalan, Kåren (KTH campus)

Bram Büscher, University of Wageningen (POLLEN coordinator)

Amber Huff, IDS-University of Sussex

Chair: Giorgos Kallis, ICTA-Universitat Autònoma Barcelona (ENTITLE coordinator)



TUESDAY, 22 MARCH

9 - 11 am

Plenary session: Post-Capitalist Ecologies

Venue: Nya Matsalan, Kåren (KTH campus)

Keynote speakers:

Catherine Larrère, Université de Paris I-Panthéon-Sorbonne

Alf Hornborg, Lund University, Faculty of Social Sciences

Chair: Erik Swyngedouw

11:30 am - 6:00 pm

Parallel sessions

Venue: KTH Campus

6:15 – 7:15 pm

Plenary Session: Transformations to Sustainability: A research programme and growing knowledge network.

Venue: Stora Gasque, Kåren (KTH Campus)

Leah Temper, Acknowl-EJ project (academic - activists co-produced knowledge for environmental justice)

David Kronlid, T-Learning (Transgressive social learning for social-ecological sustainability in times of climate change)

Marco Armiero, Justainability (Towards 'just sustainability' - Grassroots initiatives to merge social and environmental justice)

Chair: Sarah Moore, Transformations to Sustainability Programme Coordinator

N.B. This panel is organized by the International Social Science Council Programme Transformations towards Sustainability with support from the Swedish secretariat for Environmental Earth System Sciences (SSEESS) and the Swedish International Development Cooperation agency (SIDA)

WEDNESDAY, 23 MARCH

9 -11 am

Plenary session: Enclosures Vs. Commoning

Venue: Nya Matsalan, Kåren (KTH campus)

Keynote speakers:

Nancy Peluso, University of California at Berkeley

Ugo Mattei, International University College, Turin

Chair: Giorgos Kallis



11:30 am - 6:00 pm

Parallel sessions and Undisciplined Activism Workshop

Venue: KTH Campus

8:00 pm – 00:00 am

Social event with dinner and music at Cyklopen, Magelungsvägen 170, Bandhagen (Stockholm)

THURSDAY, 24 MARCH

9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Plenary session: Undisciplined Activism Workshop

Venue: Teater Reflex

Keynote speaker: Amita Baviskar

Facilitators: Laura Centemeri and Lucie Greyl

2 - 6 pm

Field Trips: The undisciplined political ecologies of Stockholm

Organizer: Högdalens Vänner (Friends of Högdalen) & Cyklopen Kulturhuset



SESSIONS PROGRAMME

SUNDAY, 20 MARCH

2 - 7 pm

Opening session

Venue: Nya Matsalen, Kåren (KTH campus)

2 - 3 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 - 4 pm

Welcoming addresses:

Stefania Barca (CES / ENTITLE), Marco Armiero (KTH / ENTITLE), Nina Wormbs (Head of the Division of History of Science, Technology, and Environment, KTH), Göran Finnveden, KTH - Sustainability

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

4:00 - 4:30 pm

coffee break (registration desk still open)

4:30 – 7:00 pm

Film session: *Resistance Ecologies*

"Munduruku: tecendo a resistência/Munduruku: weaving resistance", dir. Nayana Fernandez (25', UK/Brazil 2014)

"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 De Stefano (30', Italy 2015)

Debate and conclusion



MONDAY, 21 MARCH

Session 1, MONDAY 21 MARCH

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

1A. Theories of Political Ecology I

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair: Emanuele Leonardi

“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: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Stefania Barca

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, Tânia A. Kuhnen and Daniela Rosendo

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 Development Projects

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Irina Velicu

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

The relationship between environment, protest action and citizenship: Insights from the Portuguese mining conflicts, Lúcia Fernandes and Ana Raquel Matos

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



1D. Un-disciplining Social-Ecological Systems: Where is the Political in Pursuit of a Polycentric Society? Can we Theorise it and Craft Ways to Address it?

Room: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Andreas Thiel

Organizer: Jonah Wedekind and Andreas Thiel

Polycentricity & American Libertarianism: exploring democratic potential for collective action, Katharine 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

Actor coalitions and discourse construction in transitions to polycentric governance: the case of hydraulic policy in Aragon, Spain (1982-1999), Sergio Villamayor-Tomas

1E. Exploring Environmental Democracy

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Christos Zografos

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: Kröken (Kåren)

Session chair: Giorgos Kallis

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

Infrastructuring socio-technical energy transitions, Cordula Kropp

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

Living at the Water's Edge in Toronto: Towards a De-colonial Place-Based Pedagogy, Bonnie McElhinny



1G. ROUNDTABLE: Survival Strategies for Community Economies

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair/Organizer: Nadia Johanisova

György Pataki

Wendy Harcourt

Erin Araujo

1H. Catholicism and the Commons

Room: Conference room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair/Discussant: Laura Centemeri

Organizers: Teresa Toldy and Alberta Giorgi

‘Laudato sì – 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

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

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

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

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

Room: Room 4055 (Drottning Kristinas väg 30, 1st floor)

Session chair: Salvatore Paolo De Rosa

Organizers: Salvatore Paolo De Rosa and Giorgos Velegrakis

Interventions and Aspirations: Constructing the local state through resource access and authority, Siddharth Sareen

Grassroots Movements, Market and Public Administration: Between conflicts and cooperation towards local sustainable food systems, Simon Maurano and Francesca Forno

The hard struggles of the Guarani Kaiowa People to Regain part of their Territory occupied by Agribusiness Projects, Tonico Benites (in Portuguese with English translation)



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

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

Room: F3 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Beatriz Rodríguez-Labajos

Organizers: Beatriz Rodríguez-Labajos and Begum Ozkaynak

Discussant: 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 Evo Morales’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

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

Venue: Nya Matsalan (Kåren)

Session 2, MONDAY 21 MARCH

2:30 – 4:00 pm

2A. Theories of Political Ecology II

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair: Erik Swyngedouw

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

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

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



2B. Agriculture Futures

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Ignasi Puig Ventosa

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 Jönsson

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

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, Irene Iniesta-Arandía and Berta Martín-López

2C. Debating Sustainable Development

Room: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Maria Christina Fragkou

Land use and conflicts – whose demands shape the sustainable intensification debate?, Anne Cristina de la Vega-Leinert, Beatriz Rodríguez-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 Sari

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

2D. Indigenous Perspective

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Felipe Milanez

(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

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

2E. Political Ecology of mining

Room: Kröken: (Kåren)

Session chair/Discussant: Gavin Bridge

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



Anti-pipeline politics: The case of social resistance against fossil fuel extraction and transport in Quebec, Canada, Kristian Gareau

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

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair: Daniela Del Bene

Organizers: Daniela Del Bene, Leah Temper, Joan Martínez 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

China's cancer villages: contested evidence and the politics of pollution, Anna Lora-Wainwright and Ajiang Chen

Socio-environmental Conflicts in the Iberian Peninsula, Amaranta Herrero and Lúcia Fernandes

2G. Post-Communist Forms of Resistance to Capitalist Ecological Devastation

Room: Conference room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair: Irina Velicu

Organizers: Valentina Gueorguieva and Florin Poenaru

The good, the bad and the ugly: struggles in the Romanian forest commons, Monica Vasile and Stefan Voicu

Farmers fight back: Stories from behind the 'hegemony of process' in post-socialist Poland, Irma Allen

Ecology as anti-capitalism, Florin Poenaru

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

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

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

Session chair: Paola Minoia

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



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

Room: Room 4055 (Drottning Kristinas väg 30, 1st floor)

Session chair: Patrick Bresnihan

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 impossibility, Jonathan Metzger

Urban commons and nonhuman productions of space, Maan Barua

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

Room: F3 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Giorgos Velegrakis

Organizers: Salvatore Paolo De Rosa and Giorgos Velegrakis

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

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

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

Room: Dome 1 (Valhallavägen 79)

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-'atah (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



2L. ROUNDTABLE. Practicing feminist political ecologies

Room: Dome 2 (Valhallavägen 79)

Session chair: Stefania Barca

Organizer: Begüm Özkaynak

Rebecca Elmhirst

Begüm Özkaynak

Wendy Harcourt

4:00 - 4:30 pm

coffee break

venue: Nya Matsalan

Session 3, MONDAY 21 MARCH

4:30 – 6:00 pm

3A. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: Disciplining Gender in Undisciplined Environments: Tensions in Environmental and Development Practices in the North and the South I

Room: Kröken (Kåren)

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

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 and Louise Fortmann

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

Moving beyond essentialism and instrumentalism: Reflections on CGIAR research on gender and climate change, Markus Ihalainen and Bimbika Sijapati Basnett

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

Navigating tensions between transformative and pragmatic feminist political ecology, Rebecca Elmhirst

Teaching gender for sustainability: Merit and gender equality in the academy, Stina Powell and Seema Arora-Jonsson



3B. Theories of Political Ecology III

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Irina Velicu

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

Recomposing the fragmentation. A political ecological perspective, Salvo Torre

What is scale in the age of the Anthropocene?, Mette Nelund

What if the world was our body? Environmental ownership' issues related to human health, Marie Gaille

3C. Political Ecologies of Food

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Christos Zografos

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 Rocha

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

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

3D. Urban Political Ecologies

Room: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Giacomo D'Alisa

Assembling an Urban Political Ecology of Climate Change and Mobility in Bangkok, Thailand, Leonie Tuitjer

Beyond access: consumptive and qualitative aspects of urban water as drivers of urban inequality, Maria Cristina Fragkou

100% Tempelhofer Feld: History of an Urban Political Ecological Resistance, Daniele Valisena

A conservationist State willfully fading away? On the meanings of the voluntary membership of municipalities in the buffer areas of French national parks, Baptiste Hautdidier

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

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

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

3F. Visualizing Undisciplined Environments I

Room: Dome 2 (Valhallavägen 79)

Session chair/ Organizer: Katherine Foo

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

The Imagination Paradox, Katarzyna Balug

Visualization in Political Ecology, Dianne Rocheleau and Katherine Foo

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

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

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair: Daniela Del Bene

Organizers: Daniela Del Bene, Leah Temper, Joan Martínez Alier

Accumulation by development: The key role of poverty reduction and development policies for elite’s resource accumulation in Cambodia, Arnim Scheidel

Environmental Conflicts in Madagascar, Jean-Marc Douguet and Vahinala R. Douguet

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

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: Conference room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair / Discussant: Alf Hornborg

Organizer: Robert Fletcher

Convivial Conservation: Degrowth and the Quest for Overcoming Capitalist Conservation, Bram Büscher



Affective Ecologies, Living Economies and Alternate Ways of Valuing Nature: A Conceptual Framework, Neera Singh

Sharing the Wealth? Conceptualizing 'Actually Existing Redistribution' in Environmental Governance, Robert Fletcher

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

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

Session chair: Martina Angela Caretta

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, Sarah Huang, Laura Zanotti, Charlene Apok, Charlotte Ambrozek and Courtney Carothers

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

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

Room: Room 4055 (Drottning Kristinas väg 30, 1st floor)

Session chair: Naomi Millner

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

Political ontology, Indigenous knowledge networks, and circuits of bio-technical value in the more-than-human commons, 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

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

Room: F2 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair/Organizer: Felipe Milanez

Kim TallBear

Ailton Krenak

May-Britt Öhman

Tonico Benites Guarani Kaiowa

Cebaldo De León



3L. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts I

Room: F3 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Santiago Gorostiza

We are not defending nature, we are nature defending itself: Protest Camps and Convergences as Temporary Living Sites of Post-Capitalist Ecologies, Natasha Verco

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

Violent undiscipline. Technology, environment and armed resistances in Spain and Portugal, 1971-1982, Jaume Valentines-Álvarez



TUESDAY, 22 MARCH

Session 4, TUESDAY 22 MARCH

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

4A. Working-class ecologies

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair: Stefania Barca

Territories of exploitation. A journey through rural areas of Southern Europe on the footsteps of immigrant farm workers" (video), Marika Miano for the "Movement of immigrants and refugees of Caserta – Italy"

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

Postcolonial Universalism? Ecological Crisis and the Ghost of the Proletariat, Dan Boscov-Ellen

Overcoming alienation from species-being for ecological liberation: a reflection on two imaginary societies, Rocio Hiraldo Lopez

4B. Democratizing societal relations with nature

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Ulrich Brand

Organizer: Markus Wissen

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

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

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair/Organizer: Ulrika Gunnarsson-Östling

Ann Bergman

Daniel Pargman

Åsa Svenfelt



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

Room: Raiorummet (Kåren)

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: Kröken (Kåren)

Session chair: Marco Armiero

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: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair: Felipe Milanez

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

Decolonizing imaginaries in the North through alternative livelihood strategies and non-hierarchical markets, Maria Ehrnström-Fuentes and Kristoffer Wilén

4G. Understanding Climate Capitalism I

Room: Conference Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair: Erik Swyngedouw

Carbon Markets vs Climate Justice, Kenack 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

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

4H. Food as Commons: Commodified Mainstream and Recommoning Alternatives

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

Session chair / Organizer: Jose Luis Vivero Pol

Valuation of food dimensions and policy beliefs of food security professionals in transitional food systems: food as commons or commodity?, Jose Luis Vivero Pol, Tom Dedeurwaedere, Philippe Baret, Olivier De Schutter

Land and the Legal Complexity of Global Chains of Production: commodification and decommodification processes, Tomaso Ferrando

Seeds as a Commons: An Alternative Path for Growing a Food Secure World, Christine Frison

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

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

Room: Room 4055 (Drottning Kristinas väg 30, 1st floor)

Organizer: Emily Yates-Doerr

Wasting Ecologies, Sebastian Abrahamsson

Mineral Ecologies, Filippo Bertoni

Farming Ecologies, Rebeca Ibáñez Martín

Reproductive Ecologies, Emily Yates-Doerr

4J. ROUNDTABLE: Emotional Political Ecologies

Room: F2 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Christos Zografos

Organizers: Marien González-Hidalgo and Christos Zografos

Neera Singh

Andrea Nightingale

Marien González-Hidalgo

Seema Arora-Jonsson



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

Room: Dome 1 (Valhallavägen 79)

Session chair/Discussant: Beatriz Bustos

Organizers: Irmak Ertör, Maria Hadjimichael

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

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

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

Room: Dome 2 (Valhallavägen 79)

Session chair/Discussant: Gavin Bridge

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 Gustafsson

Understanding Opposition and Support for Resource Extraction, Moises Arce

4M. Resistance Economies

Room: Seminar Room 2 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair: Giacomo D’Alisa

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

Producing and reproducing anti-mining repertoires of contention – the case of popular protest against tin dredging in rural Portugal (1914-1980), Pedro Gabriel Silva

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

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



4N. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: Coastal Reading Group

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Organizers: Margaretha Haughwout, Bibi Calderaro and Christos Galanis

In this workshop we'll trouble the concepts of commons and enclosure through experiential methods that blend textuality with seed; soil with practice. Through this troubling we hope to create a space for an inchoate, temporal commons whose undisciplined poetics might make relations of difference more dynamic and accessible.

1:00 - 2:30 pm

Lunch

2:00 - 2:15 pm

Reading performance: *Ecology explained to human beings*, by Daniela Danna and Gloria Fenzi

venue: Nya Matsalan

Session 5, TUESDAY 22 MARCH

2:30 – 4:00 pm

5A. Ecological Commons and Governmentality

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair: Emanuele Leonardi

Commons/Life environment: opening new undisciplined horizons, Rita Micarelli and Giorgio Pizziolo

Common goods, property, common world: cosmic beyond private and public, Ottavio Marzocca

"Environmental governmentality" in the Modern Era. Foucault and the political ecology, Fehrat Taylan

Power and the discourse of ecotourism, Anne Gry Sturød

5B. Conceptualizing Environmental Conflict: Explorations Beyond Disciplinary Boundaries

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair/Discussant: Beatriz Rodríguez-Labajos

Organizers: Lúcia Fernandes and Oriana Brás

The Hydropolitics of the Brahmaputra: A Political Ecology of Water Conflict, Söeren Köepke

Managing conflicts in protected areas: Potentials and limitations of the ecosystem service framework, Ágnes Kalóczkai and Eszter Keleman

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



5C. Revisiting Conservation Debates and Practices I

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Nancy Peluso

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

Occupied Discourses of Opposition: struggles for development, conservation and indigeneity in the Isiboro Secure Indigenous Territory and National Park (TIPNIS), Bolivia, Jessica Hope

5D. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: The Resistant Body

Room: Kröken (Kåren)

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: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Joan Martinez Alier

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

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

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

The socio-environmental movements in Mexico: from resistance to strategy, Luciano Concheiro-Bórquez, Malin Jonsson, Iván Jiménez-Maya

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

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Per Högselius

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

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



Managing vector mosquitoes in a postcolonial and interethnic, Cecilia Claeys

5G. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: The Affective in Political Ecologies. Arts as Ways to Cultivate Resistances I *Art as a lens or metaphor and the Arts/Politics interface*

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

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

Art As Resistance and the Coming Community, Mitra Azar

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

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

The Swarm in Urban Ecologies: The Multisensory Works of Véréna Paravel and Jorie Graham, Julia Tanner

5H. Political Ecologies of Tourism

Room: Conference Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair: Santiago Gorostiza

Revanchist conservationism. Neoliberal nature conservation and real estate tourism, Macià Blàzquez

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, Virginia Martínez Hernández and 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

5I. Political Ecologies of Renewables I – Energy and Green Capitalism

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

Session chair: Patrick Bigger

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela Del Bene

Discussant: Gavin Bridge

Militant Climate Futures: The ‘Great Green Fleet’ and the US Navy’s Foray into Biofuels, Patrick Bigger & Benjamin Neimark

Discussing the green face of capitalism: Hydro-rush as a way of benefiting from ecological degradation in Turkey, Özge Can Doğmuş

Hydropower Development in Hazardscapes – Marginalization, Facilitation and the Politics of Risk, Amelie Huber



5J. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: Disciplining Gender in Undisciplined Environments: Tensions in Environmental and Development Practices in the North and the South II

Room: Dome 2 (Valhallavägen 79)

Organizers: Seema Arora-Jonsson and Bimbika Sijapati Basnett

Beth Bee

Rebecca Elmhirst

Louise Fortmann

Noémi Gonda

Wendy Harcourt

Markus Ihalainen

Gun Lidestav

Allyc Ndlovu

Stina Powell

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

Room: 4055 (Drottning Kristinas väg 30, 1st floor)

Session chair: Beatriz Bustos

Organizers: Irmak Ertör, Maria Hadjimichael and Daniel Banoub

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

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

5L. ROUNDTABLE: Political Economies of Moving Beyond Disciplinarity

Room: F2 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Katharine N. Farrell

Organizers: Katharine N. Farrell and David Barkin

Alf Hornborg

Ariel Salleh

David Barkin



5M. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts II

Room: F3 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Begum Ozkaynak

Heterotopic 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

Undisciplining securitization: ensuring environmental effectiveness or playing politics?, Claudia Strambo

The political ecology of socio-environmental conflicts in Germany (1990-2014), Gabriel Weber

4:00 – 4:30 pm

Coffee break

venue: Nya Matsalan

Session 6, TUESDAY 22 MARCH

4:30 – 6:00 pm

6A. Political Ecologies of Water I

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair: Maria J. Beltrán

Commoning rain? A critical appraisal of rainwater harvesting trends in Berlin over the last 35 years, Natàlia García Soler and Timothy Moss

A Research Roadmap: Putting the Stockholm Water Sustainability Strategy into Practice, Lina Suleiman

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

The Water Apocalypse Venice desert cities and utopian arcologies in Southwestern dystopian fiction, Isabel Pérez

6B. Knowledge, Ecology and Power I

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Irina Velicu

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

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



A Philosophical Introduction to the Anthropocene. Timing human history as political process, Mariaenrica Giannuzzi

6C. Degrowth and Political Ecology

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Giorgos Kallis

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, Dennis Eversberg and Matthias Schmelzer

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

Working class environmentalism and degrowth, Iwona Bojadżijewa, Alfred Burballa Nòria, David Ravensbergen and Linda Schneider

6D. Political Ecologies of Renewables II – Renewable Energy Conflicts and Environmental Justice

Room: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Amelie Huber

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela Del Bene

Discussant: Gavin Bridge

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

The Birth of the (Resource) Clinic: Jatropha, from pro-poor biofuels to genome, Marie Widengård

The Politics of Spatial Meaning around Hydropower Development in Sikkim, Saskia de Wildt & Binita Rai

6E. Modes of Land Grabbing

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Gustavo Garcia Lopez

Feminization of agriculture through land grabbing? A case study of the Lower Limpopo Valley, Mozambique, Juliana Porsani Jarkvist and Martina Angela Caretta

Jakarta, Sinking City: The Socio-Ecology of a Flood-Prone Metropolis, Rachel Thompson

Eroding Soils and Overgrazed Rangelands – Deconstructing a Narrative of Ecological Crisis in South Africa, 1930s-1950s, Christiane Naumann

Environmental agendas' integration into ongoing and/or pre-existing land appropriations, Umut Önder



6F. Post-Colonial and De-Colonial Ecologies III

Room: Kröken (Kåren)

Session chair: Amita Baviskar

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

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

6G. Understanding Climate Capitalism II

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Session chair: Erik Swyngedouw

A story of climate migration: How discourses 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 II

Room: Conference Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair/ Organizer: Katherine Foo

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

Mortgage Discrimination and its Effects on Urban Ecosystem Performance: The Case of the Syracuse Urban Forest 19382011, Emanuel Carter, Barbara Rodriguez and Kristy Barhite

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

Visualizing Groundwater Socioecologies: Rendering the unseeable knowable, Trevor Birkenholtz

6I. The State as a Socionatural Relation: Overcoming the State–Nature Divide in Political Ecology 2. *Social struggles, nature and the state*

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

Session chair: Ulrich Brand

Organizers: Jonah Wedekind and Diego Andreucci



Resource governance, postneoliberalism and the state: Lessons from Bolivia's hydrocarbon politics, Diego Andreucci

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

6J. Wasting Places, Things and People. Formal and Informal Processes

Room: F2 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair/Discussant: Laura Centemeri

Organizer: Maria Federica Palestino

Post-Nuclear Nature Imaginaries, Anna Storm

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, Farah Kobaissy and Ali Darwish

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

Room: F3 (Lindstedtsvägen 26, 2nd floor)

Session chair: Etemcan Turhan

Organizers: Ethemcan Turhan, Bengi Akbulut, Sinan Erensi

Hope, Despair, and Speculation: (Re)valuations of Land in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq, Katharina Lange

Rojava's Nature: The Geo-Political Ecology of the Kurdish Revolution, Clemens Hoffmann

Animality, space and urban marginality on a contested metropolitan landscape: Large-scale street dog dislocations in Istanbul, Mine Yildirim

Can Seawater and Waste Solve Water Scarcity?: Reimagining Blooming Deserts through Desalination and Waterwater Treatment in Israel-Palestine, Stephen Gasteyer

6L. Decolonising the Occidental Representation of the Sublime

Room: Dome 1 (Valhallavägen 79)

Session chair/Discussant: Marco Armiero

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

6M. ROUNDTABLE: Political Ecology and the Role of Technology: Teaching Political Ecology Ideas to Engineers

Room: Dome 2 (Valhallavägen 79)

Session chair/Discussant: Gabriel Weber

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



WEDNESDAY, 23 MARCH

Session 7, WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH

11:30 am – 1:00 pm

7A. Commons, Exploitation and Resistance in Southern Europe

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair/Discussant: Maria Christina Fragkou

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

Commoning against the crisis, Aggelos Varvarousis and Giorgos Kallis

7B. Knowledge, Ecology and Power II

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Catherine Larrère

‘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

Memory embodied: summoning material and dematerialized presences through dance with a construction site, Linda Lapina

7C. Political Ecologies of Renewables III – Delusions, Conflicts and the Politics of Knowledge

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair : Daniela Del Bene

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela Del Bene

Discussant: Bengt Karlsson

Mapping Wind Power Conflicts in the Global South, Sofia Avila

Private Rivers: A study of renewable energy development in Turkey from an energy justice perspective, Mine Islar

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



7D. Who will queer political ecology? or Cute goners, (in)human thinkers, and queer wastoids I

Room: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Cleo Woelfle-Erskine

Organizers: Cleo Woelfle-Erskine and July Cole

Discussant: Kim TallBear

“Museum of an Extinct Species”: Queering Extinction at the AMNH, Ammi 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

7E. UNDISCIPLINED ACTIVISM WORKSHOP I: Institutions and organizations

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Facilitators: Laura Centemeri and Lucie Greyl

Chris Church

Mariella Bussolati

John Mark Mwanika

Nayla Naoufal

7F. Forest Ecologies

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Felipe Milanez

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

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

Past as Prologue? India's Forest Commons and the Rights of Traditional Communities, Shalini Iyengar and Preeta Dhar

‘Broadening out’ and ‘opening up’ disciplinary and discursive boundaries in Tanzania’s forest policy landscape, Mathew Bukhi Mabele

7G. Critiques of Neoliberal Environments I

Room: Kröken (Kåren)

Session chair: Ignasi Puig Ventosa

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

From "Optimal Scale" to "Liked Scale": Justification of Inequality (Technical Support of Political Decisions)
Arashk Holisaz

7H. Ecologies of (Post-)Socialism

Room: Conference Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair / Discussant: Irina Velicu

The Political Ecology of Levees: State, Local Communities and the Socialist Transformation of Lower Danube, Stefan Dorondel and Stelu Serban

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

"Their children's lives are worth less than this tree": Neoliberal ecology in the Romanian Carpathians, George Iordachescu

7I. Political Ecologies of Capital and Struggles

Room: Conference Room 2 (Teknikringen 10, -1 floor)

Session chair: Salvatore Engel Di Mauro

Organizer: María Beltrán

From Accumulation to 'Value Grabbing'? A Political Ecology of Rent, Melissa García-Lamarca, Diego Andreucci, Jonah Wedekind and Erik Swyngedouw

Beyond "Socially Constructed" Disasters: Re-politicizing the Debate on Large Dams through a Political Ecology of Risk, Amelie Huber, Santiago Gorostiza, Panagiota Kotsila, María J. Beltrán and Marco Armiero

The Political Ecology of Austerity – A Gramscian Analysis of Socio-Environmental Conflicts Under Crisis in Greece, Rita Calvário, Giorgos Velegrakis, Maria Kaika

Performing Common(s) Senses, a Political Ecology Perspective, Gustavo García-López, Irina Velicu and Giacomo D'Alisa

7J. Ideas of Progress Against the Crisis of Fossil Energy and Capitalism

Room: 4055 (Drottning Kristinas väg 30, 1st floor)

Session chair: Tomislav Tomašević

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 Dolenc

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

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



1:00 - 2:30 pm

lunch

2:00 - 2:15 pm

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

venue: Nya Matsalan

Session 8, WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH

2:30 – 4:00 pm

8A. Political Ecologies of Water II

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair: Maria J. Beltrán

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

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

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

"Water for life, not for death": Re-Deterritorialization and socioenvironmental conflict in Acaua dam, Paraíba, Brazil, Eduardo Fernandes

8B. The State as a Socionatural Relation: Overcoming the State–Nature Divide in Political Ecology III. Hegemony, governmentality and socionatures.

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair: Irina Velicu

Organizers: Jonah Wedekind and Diego Andreucci

Do trout and salmon embody state power?, Gabrielle Bouleau

Sociopolitical 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

Farmland expropriation and socionatures: Reflecting on the authority of the capitalist state under climate change, Christos Zografos and Marien González Hidalgo



8C. Thinking the Commons Ecologically

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair/discussant: Gustavo Garcia Lopez

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

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

Commons: a social form that allows for sustainability, Johannes Euler

8D. UNDISCIPLINED ACTIVISM WORKSHOP II Social Movements

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Facilitators: Laura Centemeri and Lucie Greyl

Sara Rocha

Sara Senese and Leandro Sgueglia

Laila Sandroni and Bruno Tarin

Water Warriors

8E. Political Ecologies of Renewables IV – Challenges and Tensions in Scenarios of Energy Transition

Room: Radiorummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Gabriel Weber

Organizers: Amelie Huber and Daniela Del Bene

Discussant: Bengt Karlsson

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

Energy poverty "coming out" in Catalonia: exploring the social consequences of Spanish energy transition policies, Lise Desvallées

Hydropower Expansion in the Himalayas: Community Resistance in the Era of Consensus of (Energy) Technology, Daniela Del Bene

8F. Critiques of Neoliberal Environments II

Room: TV-Rummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Ignasi Puig Ventosa

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



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

Rotten Potatoes: Force and resistance in collective agrobiodiversity conservation, Agnes Bridge Walton

Quest for an Undisciplined Rationality, Çağdaş Dedeoğlu

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

Room: Kröken (Kåren)

Session chair: July Cole

Organizers: Cleo Woelfle-Erskine and July Cole

Discussant: Kim TallBear

My dead cutie: queer trans-species love in wastelands, Cleo Woelfle-Erskine

Patchwork Futurity: Queer, Animate Ecology, Dylan Harris

Moly B Denim: the Sonic Intimacies of System D Worker Dialogues, Rai Yin Hsu & Blake Nemec

8H. Rethinking Environmental Conflicts III

Room: Conference Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 4th floor)

Session chair/discussant: Marco Armiero

Moving toward post-capitalist and post-growth futures: a global 'consumption class' perspective, Kristoffer Wilen and Marko Ulvila

Perspectives on Magrheb from Political Ecology, Rafael del Peral

The creation of social capital and territorialization process, Matilde Carabellese and Simon Baurano

4:00 – 4:30 pm

Coffee break

venue: Nya Matsalan

Session 9, WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH

4:30 – 6:00 pm

9A. Knowledge, Ecology and Power III

Room: Stora Gasque (Kåren)

Session chair/discussant: Emanuele Leonardi

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



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

Extractivism in the Western Caribbean : neocolonialism and socio- environmental conflicts in the Afro-Caribbean mosquitia, Catalina Toro Perez

9B. UNDISCIPLINED ACTIVISM WORKSHOP III. Sámi science/activism

Room: Seminar Room 1 (Teknikringen 74D, 5th floor)

Facilitators: Laura Centemeri and Lucie Greyl

panel organizer: May-Britt Öhman

Henrik Andersson

Tor Lundberg Tuorda

Gunilla Larsson

May-Britt Öhman

9C. EXPERIMENTAL SESSION: The Affective in Political Ecologies. Arts as Ways to Cultivate Resistances II *Methodological developments within action-research and pedagogies to open-up political spaces and collective exploration processes*

Room: Kröken (Kåren)

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

Discussant: Neera Singh

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

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

9D. ROUNDTABLE: Socio-ecological Transformations in a Global Perspective. Exchanging and Discussing Conceptual Approaches for a Radical Transformation

Room: Gröten (Kåren)

Session chair/organizer: Christoph Görg

Melanie Pichler

Ulrich Brand

Kristina Dietz (tbc)



9E. ROUNDTABLE: Presentation and Discussion of ‘Degrowth: A vocabulary for a new era’

Room: Musikrummet (Kåren)

Session chair: Alexander Paulsson

Organizers: Ekaterina Chertkovskaya and Alexander Paulsson

Giorgos Kallis

Mikael Malmaeus

Ekaterina Chertkovskaya

Stefania Barca



THURSDAY, 24 MARCH

UNDISCIPLINED ACTIVISM WORKSHOP - Plenary session

Venue: Teater Reflex, Kärrtorpsplan 14, Stockholm

9:30 am - 12:30 pm

Undisciplined Art/Activism

Facilitators: Laura Centemeri and Lucie Greyl

John Angus

Revati Pandya and Evan Hastings

Liselotte Wajstedt

Paula von Seth

Debate and conclusions

Discussant: Amita Baviskar

2 - 6 pm

Field Trips: The undisciplined political ecologies of Stockholm

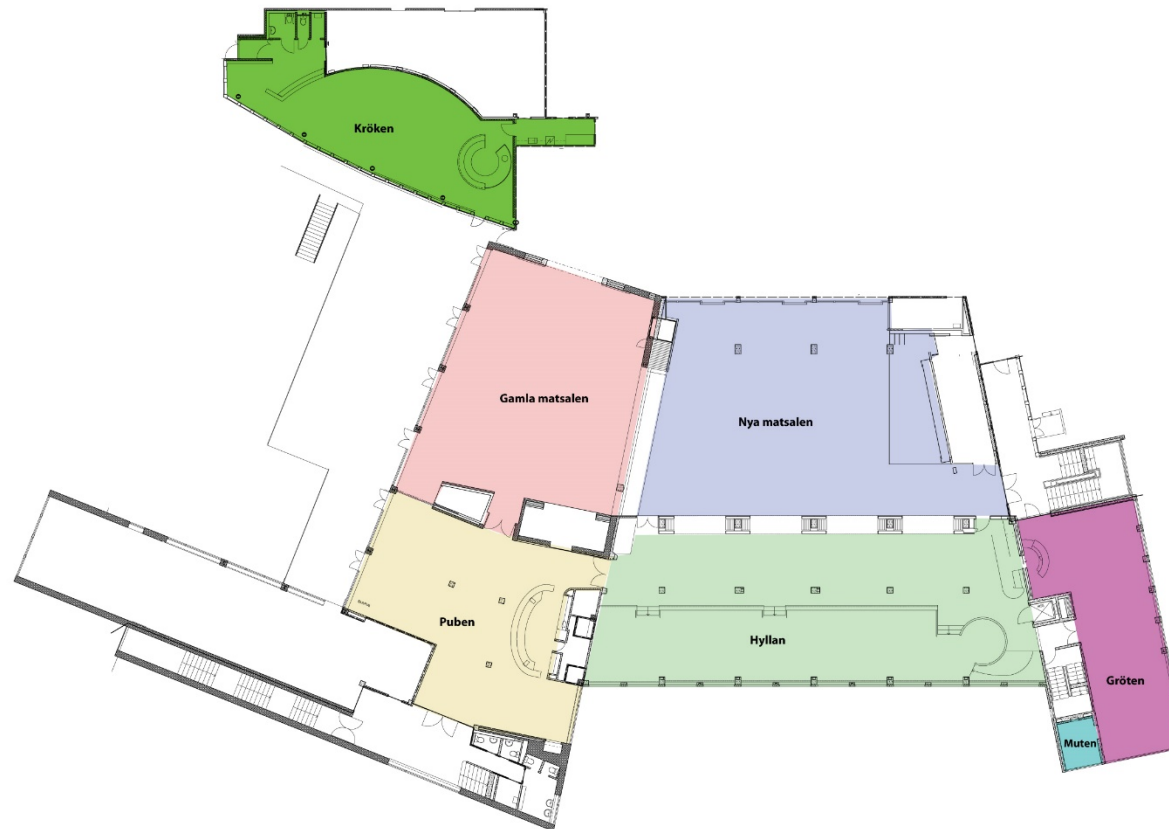
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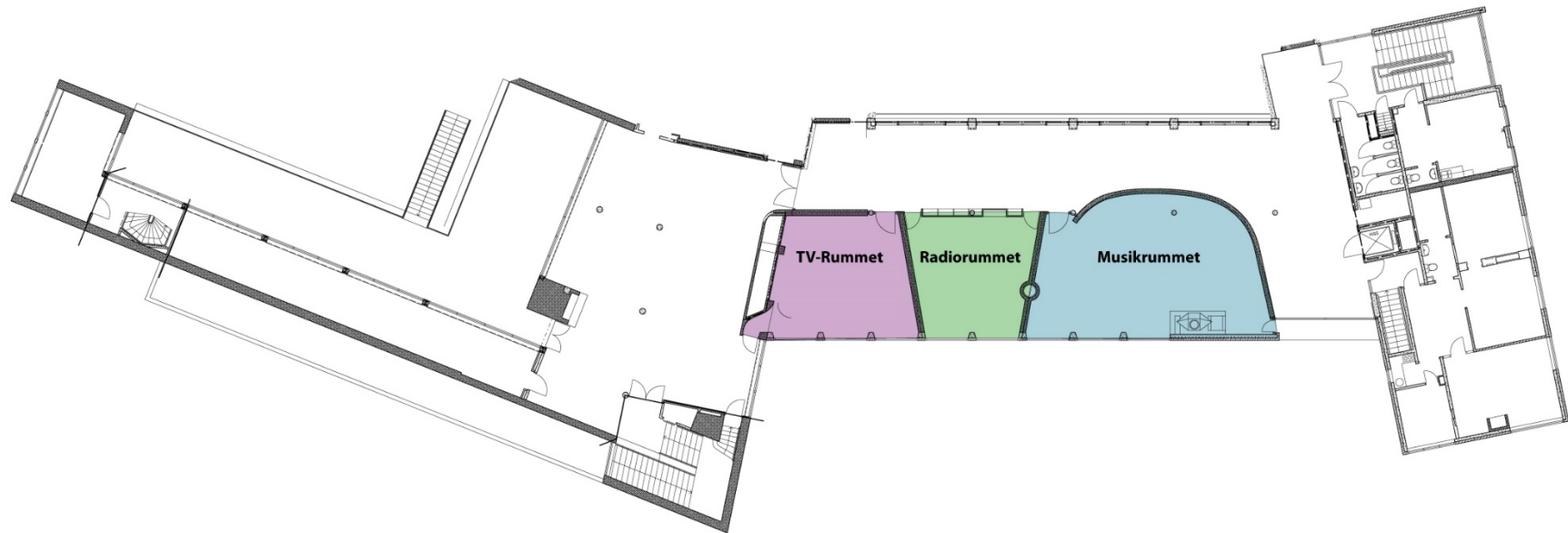


Rooms: Stora gasque

2nd floor:



Rooms: Kröken, Hyllan, Nya matsalan, Gröten

3rd floor:

Rooms: TV-Rummet, Radiorummet, Musikrummet



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