

HETEROPOLITICS

13-15 SEPTEMBER 2017, ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY, THESSALONIKI

International workshop on the commons and political theory

PROGRAMME

Wednesday 13 September 2017

11:30-11:50 INTRODUCTORY SESSION

Alexandros Kioupiolis: Presentation of Heteropolitics Project

12:00- 14:00 SESSION 1: COMMONS AND SOLIDARITY ECONOMY: SOCIAL MOVEMENTS, ALTERNATIVE PRACTICES AND VISIONS

Angelos Varvarousis “Crisis, Commons and Liminality: Lessons from the Greek Commoning Movement”

Christina Sakali “Commons of solidarity economy and alternative production: a typology of identities”

George Chatzinakos “Urban Experiments in Times of Crisis:
The Case of Svolou’s Neighbourhood Initiative in Thessaloniki/Greece”

Karolos Kavoulakos “The alterity of Social Solidarity Economy and the role of social movements”

LUNCH BREAK 14:00-14:45

14:45- 16:15 SESSION 2: THE GOVERNANCE OF THE COMMONS

Silke Helfrich “Peer Governance within Commons”

Paolo Dini “The Epistemology of Structural Meta-Politics
in the Context of Sardex as a Laboratory of Institutional Learning”

Dimitris Dalakoglou “Infrastructures, Commons and Anthropology”

16:15-16:30 Mini break

16:30-17:30 Workshop: “How to talk about the commons transition in non-expert audiences?”

by Alekos Pantazis

Thursday 14 September 2017

11:30- 13:00 SESSION 3: COMMONS, STATE AND THE MARKET

Alexandros Pazaitis “How can the commons provide a new rationality for the firm in the information age?”

Vassilis Niaros “A New Model of Production for a Commons-oriented Economy: An Action Research Project in Tzoumerka”

George Papanikolaou “How to promote a commons transition through public policy?”

13:00-14:00 Lunch Break

14:00-15:30 SESSION 4: COMMONS THEORY & GENDER

Eirini Sotiropoulou “Commons and private space as a patriarchal trap”

Giota Bampatzimopoulou “Gendered Entwinements and Significations: towards an intersectional theory of the commons?”

Rosa Barotsi “The daughter as crisis/Daughters of the crisis: Women and contemporary Greek visual media”

15:30-15:45 Mini break

15:45-17:15 SESSION 5: THE POLITICAL IN THE COMMONS AND STRATEGIES FOR SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION

Alexandros Kioupkoulis “The lack of the political in the commons and a post-hegemonic strategy of social transformation”

Theodoris Karyotis “Within, against and beyond the market: challenges of the commons as an antagonistic force”

Vaggelis Papadimitropoulos “The Politics of the Commons: Reform or Revolt?”

17:30- 17:50 Presentation of the “Commons Alliance” by Christos Giovanopoulos

Friday 15 September 2017

11:30- 13:30 SESSION 6: URBAN COMMONS, MUNICIPAL POLITICS AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT IN THE CITY

Christian Iaione “The right to pooling in the city”

Haris Tsavdaroglou “Stasis: The Catalyst for the Circulation of Common Space. Protest camps in Athens, Istanbul and Idomeni”

Marcus Kip “Making Architecture Common. Heritage and the Articulation of Difference”

13:30-14:15 Lunch break

14:15-15:15 SESSION 7: DIGITAL COMMONS, MODES OF COOPERATION AND COLLABORATIVE COMMUNITIES

Petros Petridis “Sharing, fan labor and the logic of control in P2P networks and Massively Multiplayer Online Games”

Natalia-Rozalia Avlona “Digital commons and critical practices in hybrid spaces: the communities of Sarantaporo.gr and Exarcheia Net”

15:15-15:30 Mini break

15:30-17:00 SESSION 8: TOWARDS A METHODOLOGY OF THE COMMONS

Yiannis Pechteldis “Commoning Education in Contemporary Greece”

Aimilia Voulvouli “Ethnography and the Commons: A few notes before the field”

Alexandros Papageorgiou “Researching knowledge transfer processes in contemporary models of commoning”

17:15- 18:00 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

CHAIRING:

The panels will be self-governed and will be chaired by the first speaker of each session.

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