



Editorial

Dear friends and colleagues,

The XIX ISA World Congress of Sociology will start in a few days. The research committee 47 “Social classes and social movements” proposes a very timely program in a world increasingly shaped by reactionary movements and authoritarian regimes but where progressive movements remain also very lively and creative. With 31 panels and over 150 speakers, it will be the largest program ever run by our RC at an ISA event. Have a look at the program in this newsletter and join us in room 705 in Toronto!

Our experience in Yokohama and Vienna showed us how important it is to get to know each other before starting a very demanding week at the ISA congress. We have set up a convivial “Welcome session” that will take place on Sunday July 15th at 3 pm at the congress venue. It will be an opportunity to get to know each other, to share our recent research and publications as well as to present some recent projects by our research committee. Have a look at the program below on page 2.

Among the highlights of the RC47 program in Toronto, the Opening session will gather leading scholars to reflect on the current state of social movements across the world (Monday 16, 15:30). RC47 has also organized two “ISA integrative sessions”. The first one will focus on social movements in the Global South (Wednesday 18, 12:30) and the second one on social movements and labour (Friday 20, 12:30).

The RC47 business meeting will take place on Thursday 19th of July at 19:00. It will be the opportunity to propose new projects and to take an active part in our RC. We will also proceed to our internal elections to designate our board members for the next 4 years. Join us and contribute to shape the future of our research committee!

As program organizers, we would like to thank all the session chairs and coordinators as well as the panellists who have chosen ISA47 to present their latest research results. Before arriving in Toronto, have a look at the short guidelines to present a paper below.

We are very pleased that one of our active member, Tommaso Gravante, from the Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, has received one of the ISA Awards for junior researchers for his article *“Desaparición forzada y trauma cultural en México. Una nueva narrativa social a partir del Movimiento de Ayotzinapa”*.

We look very much forward to seeing you on Sunday in Toronto!

Breno Bringel & Geoffrey Pleyers
RC47 Program coordinators at the 2018 World Congress of Sociology

ISA47 Welcome Session
15 July 2018 3-5.15 pm

Metro Toronto Convention Center – MTCC (202A North Building)

RC47 Welcome to Toronto previous to the ISA Official Opening Ceremony and Reception

3 pm – 4 pm: RC47 Socializing Session

Getting to know each other, network, see you friends and find new ones before the start of the ISA Congress! Brief presentations of the participants and their recent research/publications. We also encourage you to bring a printed copy to be exposed at the publication table during the Welcome Session.

4 pm – 5.15 pm: RC47: Tools for a sociology of social movements in polarized times

- *Geoffrey Pleyers*: presentation of ISA RC47 and our program in Toronto
- *Breno Bringel*: presentation of Open Movements: RC47 & Open Democracy partnership
- *Simin Fadaee*: RC47 Initiative Against Repression
- *Tommaso Gravante*: ISA award for junior sociologists

We plan joining the ISA presidential opening session that will take place in the same building at 5.30 pm and meet again at the drink after the session

Elections of the new board (2018-2022)

As stipulated by the ISA47 statutes, we will designate a new president, a new vice-president, a treasurer/secretary and up to 8 board members. The new board will then have the opportunity to choose a newsletter editor.

The only requirement to be a candidate is to be an active member of the RC47 in due standing and to inform the current president of the candidacy 24 hours in advance. Candidate to the presidency, the vice-presidency and as treasurer/secretary may also send me a brief statement (1 to 2 pages) with a short bio and their perspective and project for our RC. These documents will be sent to all the RC47 members on July the 14th. These documents are by no way compulsory. It is just a way to get to know the candidates and their projects, as we will have limited time to present them during the short business meeting. Candidates who are members of the current board and wish to renew their position will be invited to present the balance of their activities for RC47 in recent years in a short statement (3 minutes) during the business meeting.

As our aim is to foster a more global sociology of social movements, it is particularly important to ensure some geographical balance among the board.

Three separate ballots will be organized to elect the president, vice and treasurer. The fourth vote will designate the eight board members. All the participants will be invited to select eight names among the candidates, taking into account their project and competencies as well as geographical balance of the future board.

How to present a paper at the congress? Brief guidelines

The usual length of a paper presentation at the ISA conference is 15 minutes, except if your panel chair or organizer send you different request. If there are 4 speakers or less in your session you should expect to get 18-20 minutes

- ➔ Please keep your time. It will allow all the speakers to present their research in good conditions and to have a brief discussion after on the presented papers at the end of the session.
- ➔ 15 minutes is a short period of time! It is important to go as straightforward as possible to the main argument of your article. What is the idea you really want to share with the audience?
- ➔ It is often frustrating to present an in-depth research in just 15 minutes. The oral presentation is however only one of the ways you will present and discuss your research at the ISA congress. You should send your papers to the fellow panellists and to the audience. Informal exchanges that will happen throughout the week will provide other opportunities to carry on the conversations that started at the panel and to present your research to other colleagues.

If you plan to use a power point presentation, please send it to the panel chair and make sure you arrive 10 minutes at the session venue 10 minutes before its starts.

There are four different settings for the ISA47 panels.

- ➔ Regular panel: A classic conference setting, with 4-6 panellists “on the stage” and a great audience. You may use a power point presentation, but it is by no means compulsory.
- ➔ Roundtable sessions: Four to five round tables will be set in a room, with a different panel organized around each of them. The use of the power point is less recommended. However you may use it projecting it on your own laptop. The audience generally fits around the table (10-15 persons), which makes it a great space for in-depth discussion on your research.
- ➔ Distributed papers: Please send your papers to the session organizers and, of possible, bring a few hard copies. Contact the panel chair to see if there is a possibility to briefly mention the core argument of your text (2 minutes max). Your paper may be included in a forthcoming publication based on the panel. Don’t miss that opportunity!
- ➔ Integrative sessions: These short panels gather leading scholars at lunchtime.

ISA47 2014-2018 MAIN ACTIVITIES

Main conferences organized or co-organized by ISA47

1. "Social Movements in Central & Eastern Europe"

Bucharest (Romania), 11-13/05/2015.

Conference organizers: Prof. Ionel Sava, University of Bucharest & Geoffrey Pleyers ISA47

75 speakers from over 25 countries. The largest conference on social movements in Central and Eastern Europe since 2000.

Publication: Sava I. & Pleyers G. eds. (2016) **"Social Movements in Central and Eastern Europe"**, Bucharest: University of Bucharest. Preface by James M. Jasper.

2. "The COP21 and beyond: reconfigurations of the ecological movements"

International Seminar at the Collège d'Études Mondiales, FMSH Paris, 1, 3 & 8 décembre

Series of talks by RC47 researchers including Haken Thörn and Carl Cassegård

3. "Societies in transition. Solidarity economy, the commons, public action and livelihood",

Paris, 19 & 20 May 2016

105 speakers from 18 countries, including Nancy Fraser, Jean-Louis Laville & Christian Laval

RC47 was the co-convenor of the 2016 annual conference of the European network of research on Solidarity Economy.

4. ISA47 Pre-conference: "Social movements in the Global Age"

University of Vienna, 10 July 2016.

6 panels, coordinated by Priska Daphi & Geoffrey Pleyers

5. Third Forum of the International Sociological Association,

Vienna, 10-15 July 2016.

26 panels and roundtables sessions organized by RC47

6. First Congress of Social Movements Studies in Mexico

Mexico City, 17-21 October 2016

Over 600 papers have been presented at this major conference that was an initiative by RC47.

Coordination of the local organizing committee: Sergio Tamayo (Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana, México)

Publications:

- The Mexican networks of social movement studies has started a full series of books.
- A selections of short texts have been published with ISA47 Open Movements project: Pleyers G., Garza M. (2017) *México en Movimientos*, Mexico City: Porrúa.

7. International Conference “Cross Movement Mobilizations”

April 5-8, 2017, Ruhr-University Bochum (Germany)

Conference organizer: Prof. Sabrina Zajak (RUB & ISA47).

The conference was jointly organized by the Institute for Social Movements (ISB), Bochum, the Institute for Protest and Social Movement Research (IPB), Berlin, and the ISA47. It brought together over 140 participants from more than 20 countries, who discussed in 31 different panels discussed issues conditions and processes of cross-movement mobilizations, internal cleavages and clashes within movement networks, multi-level dynamics and the historical and global dimensions.

Keynotes available on <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCr-0ie11P6GSQEs9KGFGawg>

Publications:

- Special issues of the German journals “Industrielle Beziehungen” and “Arbeit-Bewegung-Geschichte 17” (edited by Ulf Teichmann und Christian Wicke) that focuses on the historical perspective on alliances between old and new social movements
- Special issue of the journal “Moving the Social” on “Cross-Movement Alliances in the Global South and across the North-South divide” (edited by Sabrina Zajak, Jenny Janson, Ilse Lenz, Geoffrey Pleyers)
- Special issue of “Social movement studies” on “The politics of alliances: The making and breaking of social movement coalitions in polarized societies” (edited by Sabrina Zajak, Britta Baumgarten, Sebastian Haunss).

8. Youth, Change, and Social Agency

ISA RC34 and ISA RC47 conference at the Bethlehem University, Palestine

April 26th to 28th 2017

12 international scholars and over 20 local researchers and activists took part in this conference organized by Abeer Musleh and the chairs of RC47 and RC34.

9. “The use of law by social movements and civil society”

ISA47 & ARC “Strategic Litigation” (Université Libre de Bruxelles & Université Catholique de Louvain).

22-23 March 2018

15 panels, 46 papers published. Keynote speakers included Mickael McCann & Shalini Randeria.

Short versions of a selection of papers have been published on ISA47 Open Movements.

Organizing committee: ML Hébert-Dolbec, J. Pieret, G. Pleyers, J. Ringelheim, A. Schaus, B. Truffin, L. aura Van den Eynde & A. Verdebout

10. Generational/Transformational experience of 1968

European Solidarity Centre Gdansk, Poland

14-16 May 2018

Main conference organizer: Grzegorz Piotrowski

8 panels with researchers from Eastern and Western Europe and Polish trade unionists

The main contribution will be published in a forthcoming book.

11. Labour and Social Movement in the Age of Global Populism

City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Trade Union Federation & ISA47

23-24 June 2018

Conference organizer: Dr. Chris CHAN (City University of Hong Kong)

28 speakers from Hong Kong, mainland China, Taiwan, Singapore and four continents.

Most panels are available online.

12. ISA 47 at the 2018 World Congress of Sociology. 31 panels, 152 speakers.

Open Movements: The ISA47 platform

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free thinking for the world



Open Movements: For a global and public sociology of social movements

Over 160 articles have been published in the ISA47 series “Open Movements” since March 2015. There are all available on our website www.opendemocracy.net/openmovements. In 2017 and 2018, we have also published two books in Spanish: “Protesta e indignación global” & “México en Movimientos”.

Open Movements connects the analysis of social movements with broad social changes, considering the study of social movements as providing elements for a better understanding of both specific social actors and society as a whole. We intend to ‘open up’ social movements and social movements studies in five ways: connecting social movements with broad social changes; opening a dialogue with and learning from the South; combining the local, national, regional and global scales; learning from and with social movements; opening a space for a public sociology of social movements. *Open Movements* is a joint initiative of openDemocracy and the ISA47.

Thanks to Open Democracy outstanding editors Rosemary Bechler and En Khong, the new website (<https://www.opendemocracy.net/openmovements>) remains lively. ISA47 members are particularly welcome to submit their text proposals, following the [submission guidelines](#). These texts should be shorter than 2500 words and target an audience of ‘informed citizens’, avoiding theoretical debates and sociological jargon. Please send your article proposal to the editors: Breno Bringel (brenobringel@iesp.uerj.br), Geoffrey Pleyers (Geoffrey.Pleyers@uclouvain.be) and Armine Ishkanian (A.Ishkanian@lse.ac.uk).

Open Movements books in Spanish

The 2 books published in our openMovements series will be available for sale at the World Congress of Sociology in Toronto at discount price (respectively 15€ and 12€).

The e-book is available for free at

https://www.clacso.org.ar/libreria-latinoamericana/contador/sumar_pdf.php?id_libro=1321



Protesta e indignación global

Los movimientos sociales en el nuevo orden mundial
FAPERJ. CLACSO. Buenos Aires. Río de Janeiro. Diciembre de 2017

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La obra que aquí presentamos resume el inmenso esfuerzo organizativo y analítico que Breno Bringel y Geoffrey Pleyers han desarrollado en la plataforma openMovements, un componente de la gran iniciativa editorial independiente que es openDemocracy. Protesta e indignación global es un libro que, sin lugar a dudas, será referencia ineludible en el debate sobre el presente y el futuro de los movimientos sociales y de las organizaciones populares que se movilizan por los derechos ciudadanos, la justicia social, los bienes comunes y la democracia radical. Un aporte que hace de las ciencias sociales críticas una herramienta de intervención política y de compromiso militante en las luchas por la igualdad y la emancipación humana. *Pablo Gentili y Nicolás Arata*



México en movimientos. Resistencias y alternativas

Geoffrey Pleyers & Manuel Garza eds. México: Porrúa

"Este libro presenta de manera concisa, clara y rigurosa, el estado actual de los movimientos sociales en México. Muestra con claridad algunos de los principales desafíos teóricos y metodológicos de los estudiosos de los movimientos sociales y de los propios actores sociales del país." Carlos Rea, Univ. Nayarit
"Estas páginas están llenas de resistencias-y-rebeldías. Todas son reacciones a ataques locales (la violencia de los narcos y del Estado, las invasiones de las empresas mineras), pero son también aspectos del ataque mundial del capital contra la humanidad. Por eso las resistencias-y-rebeldías de este libro tienen un significado que va mucho más allá de México." John Holloway

Autores: Mario Constantino, Carmen Díaz Alba, Dorismilda Flores-Márquez, Manuel Garza Zepeda, Alejandra González, Tommaso Gravante, Luis Hernández Navarro, Marta Lamas, Luis López Aspeitia, Fernando Matamoros, Raúl Ornelas, Geoffrey Pleyers, Alice Poma, Víctor Quintana, Víctor Toledo, René Torres Ruiz, Víctor Zertuche.

Introducción disponible en:

www.academia.edu/35292121/M%C3%A9xico_en_Movimientos._Resistencias_y_alternativas



ISA47 Program at the 2018 World Congress of Sociology

SOCIAL MOVEMENTS IN A POLARIZED WORLD

Program Coordinators:

Geoffrey PLEYERS (FNRS-Université Catholique de Louvain)
Breno BRINGEL (State University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil)

When not otherwise stated, the panel take place in the room 705 (MTCC SOUTH BUILDING)

HIGHLIGHTS

Monday 16 July – 15:30-17:20

RC47 Opening session Social Movement Studies in a Polarized World

Wednesday 18 July, 12:30-13:50: (South)

ISA integrative session: Sociology & social movements in the Global South

Boaventura de Sousa Santos, Sujata Patel, Nora Garita & Breno Bringel.

Chair: Geoffrey Pleyers

Thursday 19 July – 19:00

ISA47 Business meeting and elections of the new board.

Followed by a drink

Friday, 20 July 2018: 12:30-13:50: Room 718A (South)

ISA integrative session: Social Movements and Labour: Joining Forces Against Authoritarian Neo-Liberalism in the Global North and South

Kim VOSS, Supurna BANERJEE & Andreas BIELER

Chairs: Sabrina Zajak & Daniele Di Nunzio

MONDAY, 16 JULY 2018

10:30-12:20: JS-5.

**Youth on the Move:
Alter-Activism & Post-
2011 Movements
Session**

Organizers:

Sofia LAINE
Carles FEIXA
Oscar AGUILERA
Geoffrey PLEYERS

Chair: Sofia LAINE

Location:

715A (MTCC SOUTH)

Youth in a Global Age: Subjectivities and Self-Construction of Chilean Alter-Activist Leaderships across Post-2011 Mobilization, **Camila PONCE LARA**, *Universidad Católica Cardenal Silva Henríquez, Chile*

How Do Young Precariats Make Their Voices Heard? Strategies, Symbolic Practices, and the Impact of South Korean Youth Movements, **Jin-Wook SHIN & Boyeong JEONG**, *Chung-Ang University, Republic of Korea*

Post-Revolutionary Egypt: Agents of Transformation between Openness and Cloture of the Political Structure

Amani EL NAGGARE, *University of Münster, Germany*

The Uprisings of the Rif Area in Morocco: From a Protest Movement to a Social Movement, **Rachid JARMOUNI**, *University moulay ismail Meknés, Morocco*

After Ayotzinapa: Personal and Self-Construction Impacts of the Mobilization, **Margot ACHARD**, *Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium*

Concepciones de militancias y de Política Feminista De Mujeres Jovenes Participantes EN Organizaciones Políticas Emergentes en Chile, **Raul ZARZURI & Ximena GOECKE**, *Centro de Investigaciones Sociales, Chile*

15:30-17:20

**RC47 Opening
session: Social
Movement Studies in a
Polarized World**

Chair:

Geoffrey PLEYERS

Room: 705

Trends in Global Human Rights Advocacy: Critical balances between global, national, and local, policy and culture

Jackie SMITH, *University of Pittsburgh, USA*

Networks, History, Race and the Nation-State - Movement Experiments in the Trump Era

Lesley WOOD, *York University, Canada*

Social Movement in a Changing Sociopolitical Matrix: Chilean Case in the Latin American Context

Manuel Antonio GARRETON MERINO, *University of Chile, Chile*

Brazil Post-Impeachment: June Days of 2013 and the Parliamentary Coup

Ruy BRAGA, *University of São Paulo, Brazil*

Struggling for Democratic Future in Times of Dystopia: Case of Indian Student Activism

Shruti TAMBE *Savitribai Phule Pune University, India*

17:30-19:20

**Social Movements in a
Polarized World.
Seven Years after 2011**

Chair: Lesley WOOD

Room: 705

Epistemological and practical challenges for social movements in the Global South, **Boaventura DE SOUSA SANTOS**, *University of Coimbra, Portugal*

Decolonising and Re-Theorising the Meaning of Democracy: A South African Perspective, **Heidi BROOKS**, *University of Johannesburg, South Africa*

Social Movements and Social Movement Studies in a Polarized World

Geoffrey PLEYERS, *FNRS-CriDIS/UCLouvain, Belgium*

Five Years after June 2013. Progressive and Conservative Movements in Brazil

Breno BRINGEL, *State University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*

Reflections on the Future of Turkey: Looking at the Two-Way Mirror of Gezi and 15 July

Ozge DERMAN, *Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales, Turkey*

TUESDAY, 17 JULY 2018

08:30-10:20

**Jihadist and Extreme-
Right Movements
Today: Violence,
Embodied
Subjectivities and
Imaginaries**

**Session Organizer &
Chair:** Kevin
MCDONALD
Room: 705

The Appeal of Salafism

Aladin EL-MAFAALANI, FH Münster - University of Applied
Sciences, Germany

The Scientific Representation of the Radicalization: A Meta-Analysis on
Scientific Journals

Francesco ANTONELLI, ; **Santina MUSOLINO & Pina
SODANO**, Università degli Studi "Roma Tre", Italy

The Immediate Dimension of Violence in the Communication of German
New-Rightists

Johanna FROEHLICH, University of Oldenburg,
Germany, Germany

Researching Far Right Movements: Which Implications for Social Research?

Emanuele TOSCANO, University Guglielmo Marconi, Italy

08:30-10-20

Roundtable session: Social Movements in the Late 2010s

Session Organizers: Simin FADAEI, Dorismilda FLORES-MÁRQUEZ & Geoffrey PLEYERS

Location: 401 (MTCC SOUTH BUILDING)

Roundtable 1

Rethinking Agency and
Social movements

Chair: Alexis CORTES
MORALES

Civic Engagement As the Moral Duty to Help: Beyond the 'Conflict over
Family' in Slovakia

Alica RETIOVA, Masaryk University

From Individual Indignation to Collective Action: Reopening the Question
for Current Analysis of Social Movements

Julia HERNANDEZ GUTIERREZ, CONACyT & University of
Louvain, Belgium

Protest Research at Its Limits: Surveying Right Wing Movements

Piotr KOCYBA, Technische Universität Chemnitz

Brave New World of Work - through the Lens of Disability

Elisa FIALA, Instituto Superior de Ciências Sociais e Políticas

Dimensions of Contention: Integrating Theoretical Perspectives on Power
through Analysis of Contentious Political Network Field Dynamics

Jeffrey BROADBENT, University of Minnesota

Roundtable 2

New social and political
movements

Chair: Antonio
ALVAREZ-BENAVIDES

Expériences De Mobilisation Et d'Engagement Politique à São Paulo

Flavia DA SILVA, EHESS/IIAC

From the Streets to the Polls: When Lebanese Activists Leave Their
'Comfort Zone'

Alexandra KASSIR, EHESS, France

Representaciones sociales en torno a la asamblea en los movimientos de
trabajadores desocupados

Maria MANEIRO, CONICET-UBA

El Hirak Popular Del Rif Estrategias De Movilización y Resistencia

Mohamed SAADI, Mohamed I University

	<p>The Complexity of Representation in Social Movement Democracy: The World Social Forum and Occupy Wall Street Movement Micha FIEDLSCHUSTER, <i>Universität Leipzig</i></p>
<p>Roundtable 3</p> <p>Social movements in the BRICS countries</p> <p>Chairs: Alf NILSEN & Karl VON HOLDT</p>	<p>From Passive Revolution to Fractured Militancy in South Africa Marcel PARET, <i>University of Johannesburg</i></p> <p>Land, Labour, and Capital in South Africa and China: Rural and Urban Struggles in the Post-Apartheid and Hukou-Reform Periods Ben SCULLY, <i>University of Witwatersrand</i>; Shaohua ZHAN, <i>Nanyang Technological Univ.</i></p> <p>Territories of Dissent: The Cultural Political Economy of Brazil's Homeless Workers' Movement Victor ALBERT, <i>Higher School of Economics</i></p> <p>Mediating Social Spaces of Dissent: A Methodological Exploration Ian LAMOND, <i>Leeds Beckett University</i>; Esther SOLANO, <i>Universidade Federal de São paulo</i>; Vitor BLOTTA, <i>University of São Paulo</i></p>
<p>Roundtable 4:</p> <p>Labour Organizations and Social Movements: Cross-Movement Networks</p> <p>Chair: Sabrina ZAJAK</p>	<p>Beyond Pure Trade Unionism. Activism Synergies in the Movement against the Pension System in Chile. Natalia MIRANDA, <i>SMAG/CriDIS / University of Louvain</i></p> <p>Talking about the Same but Different? Cooperation in Social Movement and Industrial Relations Theories. an Integrative Approach. Giulia GORTANUTTI, Johanna LAUBER & Ana-Maria NIKOLAS, <i>Ruhr University Bochum</i></p> <p>Collective Actions Against the Exploitation of Migrant Workers in Italy: The Relationship between Trade Unionism and Social Movements Daniele DI NUNZIO, <i>Fondazione Di Vittorio</i></p> <p>New Trade Union Activists in Shaping Childcare Policies in Taiwan Chia-Ling YANG, <i>National Kaohsiung Normal University</i></p> <p>Between Strategies of Transnational Activism and Tripartite Dialogue: The Strategic Mechanism of Market-Based Lobbying Melanie KRYST, <i>University of Marburg</i></p>

TUESDAY, 17 JULY 2018

10:30-12:20:

**Social Movement
Studies and Far Radical
Right: Theoretical and
Empirical Enquiries**

**Session Organizer &
Chair:** Emanuele
TOSCANO

Room: 705
Location: 205D (MTCC
NORTH BUILDING)

How Racial Violence Is Provoked and Channeled

Kathleen BLEE, *University of Pittsburgh, USA;*

Matthew DEMICHELE, *RTI International, USA;*

Pete SIMI, *University of Nebraska, USA;*

Mehr LATIF, *University of Pittsburgh, USA*

A Biographical and Family Historical Approach in Researching Gender
and Right Wing Movements

Michaela KOETTIG, *Frankfurt Univ. of Applied
Sciences Germany*

Being and Time: A Study on Members of Casapound Italia

Sébastien PARKER, *University of Toronto, Canada*

A New Spanish Far Right? the Alter-Activism Far Right Style of Hogar
Social

Antonio ALVAREZ-BENAVIDES, *Centre d'Analyse et
d'Intervention Sociologique, France*

Radical Right Movements and Radical Right Parties: Cooperation and/or
Competition

Fabian VIRCHOW, *University of Applied Sciences
Duesseldorf, Germany*

From Sites of Practice to Collective Action: Examples from
Commemorative and Protest Movements

Mischa GABOWITSCH, *Einstein Forum, Germany*

15:30-17:20

**Beyond Utilitarian
Perspectives in Social
Movement Studies**
Chair: Kevin GILLAN

Location: 205D (MTCC
NORTH BUILDING)

Improvisation: Embodiment, Affect and Imagination

Kevin MCDONALD, *Middlesex University London, United
Kingdom*

Understanding the Performativity of Networked Activism: A Post-
Structuralist Turn,

Tin-yuet TING, *The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong
Kong*

Criticising the Neoliberal within Us. Beyond the Economic-Utilitarian
Perspective in Social Movement Studies and the Subordination of
Sociology to Economics,

Paolo GERBAUDO, *King's College London, United Kingdom*
In Defense of the Concept of Social Movement. Social Movements As
Meanings and As a Dimension of Action,

Geoffrey PLEYERS, *FNRS-CriDIS/UCLouvain*

Social Movement Politics, Everyday Life and Social Change: Struggles in
the 'Sharing Economy'

Luke YATES, *University of Manchester, United Kingdom*

The Actionalist Perspective of Social Movements Vs. Resource
Mobilization; With References to the Mexican Case.

Ilan BIZBERG, *El Colegio de Mexico, Mexico*

TUESDAY, 17 JULY 2018

17:30-19:20:

Epistemological Assumptions of the Sociology of Social Movements and Social Theory

Chairs: Eiji HAMANISHI and Breno BRINGEL

Reflexivity in Sociological Theories and Social Movement Theories

Shujiro YAZAWA, *Center of Glocal Studies, Seijo University, Japan*

The Theoretical Construction of Pobladores and Favelados As Social Movements in Latin America

Alexis CORTES MORALES, *Universidad Alberto Hurtado, Chile*
 Social Movements Studies Beyond the Core: Theories and Research in Post-Colonial and Post-Socialist Societies

Laurence COX, *Maynooth University, Ireland*; **Aif NILSEN**, *University of Agder, Norway*
 Time and Social Movements

Kevin GILLAN, *University of Manchester, United Kingdom*

What We Gain By Centering Agency in Social Movement Epistemology

Ben MANSKI, *University of California, Santa Barbara, USA*

Inclusion through Organization - Social Movements in the Global South
 As an Exercise of Self-Inclusion of the Excluded

Philipp ALTMANN, *Universidad Central del Ecuador, Ecuador*

17:30-19:20

Alternative Futures: Climate Justice and the Common Goods of Humanity Session

Organizers: Markus SCHULZ, Miguel OLIVA and Geoffrey PLEYERS

Joint Session
 RC07/RC47

Location: 501 (MTCC SOUTH BUILDING)

Building the "Relational Commons", Envisioning Peaceful Futures: The Role of the Ecovillages Movement in Promoting Grassroots Resilience in Crisis Areas

Ana Margarida ESTEVES, *Instituto Universitário de Lisboa, ISCTE - IUL, Portugal*

We Are Here to Say NO! Emotional Dynamics in the Legal Strategies of Social Movements Against the Mining in Latin America

Cristiana LOSEKANN, *Universidade Federal do Espírito Santo, Brazil*

Downshifting - a Silent Movement Towards Alternative Ways of Living and Working

Julia GRUHLICH, *Göttingen University, Germany*

'Passive Revolution' on the World Stage: How the Global Movement to Stop Climate Change Failed to Produce an Alternative Future

Herbert DOCENA, *University of the Philippines, Diliman, Philippines*

WEDNESDAY, 18 JULY 2018

<p>08:30-10:20</p> <p>Claiming and Practicing Democracy in Contemporary Social Movements</p> <p>Chairs: Ruben DIEZ GARCIA and Antonio ALVAREZ-BENAVIDES</p> <p>Room 705</p>	<p>From Peterloo to Occupy: What Difference Does Two Centuries Make to Pro-Democracy Movements? (Work In progress) Kevin GILLAN, <i>University of Manchester, United Kingdom</i> "Popular" and "Citizens" Movements in East Central Europe. the Case of Romania Ionel SAVA, <i>University of Bucharest, Romania</i> Violent Cultures, Acting Citizens and the Passive State: Contesting Political Morality in South Africa Tawanda Sydesky NYAWASHA, <i>University of Limpopo, South Africa</i> Anti-Neoliberal Protest and Neoliberal Outcomes: The Appropriation and Translation of the Tents Protest By the Trachtenberg Committee Yulia SHEVCHENKO & Sara HELMAN, <i>Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Israel</i></p>
<p>10:30-12:20</p> <p>Labour Organizations and Social Movements: Cross-Movement Networks</p> <p>Chair: Daniele DI NUNZIO</p> <p>Room 705</p>	<p>Gender Transformation, Care Work and Organising in Flexibilised Global Capitalism Ilse LENZ, <i>Ruhr University, Germany</i> The Role of Union Feminists in Building Coalitions and Alliances between Social Movements Suzanne FRANZWAY, <i>University of South Australia/TASA, Australia</i> Mary Margaret FONOW, <i>Arizona State University, USA</i> The Politics of Strikes: Strike Movements and Social Movements in a Global Perspective Peter BIRKE, <i>Soziologisches Forschungsinstitut Goettingen an der Georg August Universitaet, Germany</i> The Daisies' March: Labour Movements, Feminism and Identity Politics across the Urban-Rural Divide Renata MOTTA, <i>Lateinamerika-Institut FU Berlin, Germany</i>; Marco Antonio TEIXEIRA, <i>IESP-UERJ, Brazil</i> Defending Labour and Land. Challenges in Finding Common Ground in Cambodia. Anna SALMIVAARA, <i>University of Helsinki, Finland</i> Distributed Paper: Facing the Populist Challenge - Bringing Labor Movements and Urban Social Movements Together Peter BESCHERER, <i>University of Tubringen, Germany</i></p>

15:30-17:20

The Critical Search for Theoretical Relevance in Social Movement Studies, Considered Internationally

Session

Organizers: Ben MANSKI and Maria MARTINEZ

Location: 718B (MTCC SOUTH BUILDING)

Joint session
RC48/RC47

Starving for Justice: Hunger Strikes, Spectacular Speech, and the Struggle for Dignity in California in the 1990s

Ralph ARMBRUSTER-SANDOVAL, *University of California, Santa Barbara, USA*

Moving Beyond the Toolbox: Providing a Materialist Dialectical Lens to Social Movement Studies

Madelaine MOORE & Anne ENGELHARDT, *Kassel University, Germany*

Searching for the Microsociology of Social Movements: Everyday Emotions, Interaction and Conflicts in Radical Action

Maarit LAIHONEN, *Aalto University School of Business, Finland*
Critical Patterns in the Construction of Contemporary Social Movements

Paola REBUGHINI, *University of Milan, Italy*

Catching up with the Times: Research Designs for Transnational Movements

Helena FLAM, *University of Leipzig, Germany*

Distributed Papers

Submissive Resistance: An Empirical Study on Student Movements of Peking University Post-1989

Ruanzhenghao SHI & Yexing SHA, *Tsinghua University, China*

Limit of "Social Movement" and Its Relativization: In the Case of Late-Touraine Theory

Eiji HAMANISHI, *Department of Contemporary Sociological Studies, Faculty of Letters, Notre Dame Seishin University, Japan*

17:30-19:20

Feminist Movements: New Challenges in the 2010s

Session Organizer:
Carmen DIAZ ALBA,
ITESO, Guadalajara,
Mexico

Location: 705 (MTCC SOUTH BUILDING)

Shifting Inter-Organizational Relations & Insider-Outsider Strategies in Transnational Environmental and Women's Activism

Jackie SMITH & Basak GEMICI, *University of Pittsburgh, USA*;
Transnational Resonances of the World March of Women in the Americas

Anabel PAULOS, *University of Ottawa, Canada*;

Carmen DIAZ ALBA, *ITESO Guadalajara, Mexico*

Solidarity-Building with Anti-Extractivist Struggles in the World March of Women in the Macro-Norte Region, Peru

Dominique MASSON & Anabel PAULOS, *University of Ottawa, Canada*;

Anabel PAULOS, *University of Ottawa, Canada*

The Construction of Indonesian Lesbian Bisexual and Transgender (LBT) Collective Identity after Reformasi

Yulia ANDRIYANTI, *Qbukatabu, Indonesia*

Women's Movements Facing Surrogacy. Frames, Alliances and Reflections on Freedom.

Daniela BANDELLI & Consuelo CORRADI, *LUMSA University, Italy*;

THURSDAY, 19 JULY 2018

08:30-10:20

**Indigenous Resurgence
in Social Movement
Theory and Practice
Session**

Organizers: Carol Lynne
D'ARCANGELIS
and Janet CONWAY

Chair: Janet CONWAY

Reconciling to the State: Social Justice in an Era of Reconciliation

Vanessa WATTS, *McMaster University, Canada*

EL Pueblo Náyeri EN Lucha: De La Defensa DEL Territorio a La Producción
De Alterhegemonía Regional

Carlos Rafael REA RODRIGUEZ, *UNIVERSIDAD AUTÓNOMA
DE NAYARIT, Mexico*

"Living in Indigenous Sovereignty" As a Way of Being for Non-Indigenous
Supporters of Indigenous Resistance and Resurgence Movements

Elizabeth CARLSON, *Laurentian University, Canada*

Indigenous Peoples at the Frontlines of Globalization

Stellan VINTHAGEN, *Univ. Amerherst Massachusetts, USA;*

Håkan THÖRN, *University of Gothenburg, Sweden*

Discussant: **Altamirano Jiménez**

10:30-12:20

**Future into the Study of
Social Movements:
Possibilities for Newly
Conceived Research
Perspectives and
Methodological
Innovations**

Organizer & chair:
Daishiro NOMIYA

New Directions in the Study of Social Movements: From Causal
Explanations to Attribution Processes

Luca TRATSCHIN, *University of Lucerne, Switzerland*

Brand Feminism: Promotional Culture and Contemporary Feminist
Activism

Kaitlynn MENDES, *University of Leicester, United Kingdom*

From Social Movement Studies to Socio-Material Movement Studies: New
Materialism-Based Methodology of Social Movement Case Studies

Keisuke MORI, *Post Doctoral Fellow of Japan Society for the
Promotion of Science, Japan*

Some Theoretical Issues on XXI Century Social Movements

Antimo Luigi FARRO, *Sapienza University Of Rome, Italy*

15:30-17:20 JS-67

**Digital Experiences
and Narratives of
Networked Activism**

**Session Organizer &
Chair:** Tin-yuet TING

*Location: 602 (MTCC
SOUTH BUILDING)*

*Joint session
RC47/RC38*

This Smile Brightens up Our Hearts: Emotional Modulation and Social
Mobilization during the West African Ebola Outbreak

Ryann MANNING, *University of Toronto Rotman School of
Management, Canada*

Relatively "Free Spaces" in China: Narrating and Mobilising the Law
through Digital Spaces

Wei Lit YEW, *City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong*

Imagining Vidarbha : Analysis of Discourse on Social Networking Sites of
Vidarbha As a Region

Pralay NAGRALE, *Shri Narayan Guru College, India*

I am Mexican, what is your superpower? Migration, political subjectivity
and digital activism

Dorismilda FLORES-MÁRQUEZ, *Universidad De La Salle
Bajío, Mexico*

THURSDAY, 19 JULY 2018

17:30-19:20 792

**Neoliberalization,
Precarity and Social
Movements in the Brics
Countries: Towards
New Perspectives**

Session Organizers:
Alf NILSEN and Karl
VON HOLDT

Room: 705

Neoliberalization and the Politics of Dispossession in India: Investigating Three Moments in a Contentious Trajectory

Anand VAIDYA, ANAND, *University of Bergen, USA;*

Kenneth Bo NIELSEN, *University of Bergen, Norway;*

Alf NILSEN, *University of Agder, Norway*

Public Demonstrations

Gayatri MENON & Aparna SUNDAR, *Azim Premji University, India*

Between Neoliberalism, 'corruption' and Social Crisis in South Africa

Karl VON HOLDT, *University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa*

Precarity, Protest and Possibilities: Analysing South Africa's 'Rebellion of the Poor'

Peter ALEXANDER, *University of Johannesburg, South Africa*

Social Movements in Brazil- from 1988 to 2013-2018: Two Different Political Cycles

Maria da Gloria GOHN, *UFABC-Federal University of ABC, Brazil*

19:30-20:50

RC47 Business Meeting

Room: 705

FRIDAY, 20 JULY 2018

08:30-10:20

**Class Analysis in an
Emancipatory
Sociological Tradition
Session Organizers &**

Chairs: Ali DADGAR
and John KRINSKY

Room: 705

From the Meritocratic Illusion to the Notion of Social Equity in Working Class

Edna MULERAS, CONICET/ UNIVERSIDAD DE BUENOS AIRES, Argentina

Race, Class, Gender, and Movement Vision for the Current Moment: Lessons from the League of Revolutionary Black Workers

Waldia KATZ-FISHMAN, Howard University, USA; **Jerome SCOTT**, League of Revolutionaries for a New America, USA; **Rose BREWER**, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, USA

The Emancipatory Potential of Income Transfer and Political Participation in Contexts of Poverty and Violence

Emil Albert SOBOTKA, Pontifical Catholic University at Porto Alegre, Brazil

Housing Struggles: Integration, Recognition and Political Activism

Taísa SANCHES, Pontifical Catholic University Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Marxism and social movements

John KRINSKY, City University of New York

10:30-12:20

**Food Movements.
Practical and
Epistemological
Challenges**

**Joint Session
RC07/RC47**

Chairs: Dorismilda
FLORES-MÁRQUEZ &
Geoffrey PLEYERS

Location: 718 (MTCC
SOUTH BUILDING)

The Permaculture Movement in India and Its Transformative Potential

Simin FADAEI, University of Sheffield, United Kingdom

Fair Food Utopias, Civil Society and the Sdgs in Australia

Kiah SMITH, U. Queensland, Australia

What Hampers Contention in Practice-Based Movements? a

Comparative Study Resistance and Alternatives in Two British Cities

Joost DE MOOR, **Philip CATNEY** & **Brian DOHERTY**, Keele University, United Kingdom

Subjectivity and Subalternity in the Food Movement: Two Ways to Rethink Social Movements.

Elisabeth LAGASSE, SMAG/CriDIS-Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium

We Are Kneading Another World. Alternative Food Practices and Futures in Mexico City

Jorge A. GONZALEZ & **Tommaso GRAVANTE**, CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico

Food Banks As Transnational Actors of a Charitable Future

Stephan LORENZ, Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Germany

12:30-13:50

Social Movements and Labour: Joining Forces Against Authoritarian Neo-Liberalism in the Global North and South

Location: 718A (MTCC SOUTH BUILDING)

Language: English

Integrative session of RC09 Social Transformations and Sociology of Development, RC44 Labour Movements, RC47 Social Classes and Social Movements

Session Organizers: *Sabrina ZAJAK, Ruhr-University Bochum, Germany, Eva GERHARZ, Ruhr University Bochum, Faculty of Social Science, Germany and Andreas BIELER, School of Politics and IR, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom*

Chair: *Sabrina ZAJAK, Ruhr-University Bochum, Germany*

Co-Chair: *Daniele DI NUNZIO, Fondazione Di Vittorio, Italy*

Panelists: *Kim VOSS, University of California, Berkeley, USA, Supurna BANERJEE, Institute of Development Studies Kolkata, India and Andreas BIELER, School of Politics and IR, University of Nottingham, United Kingdom*

15:30-17:20

Social Movements and Popular Resistances Against Violence

Session Organizer & Chair:
 Mario CONSTANTINO

Nonviolence in a Violent Country. Mexico in the XXI Century

Jorge CADENA-ROA, *CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico*

Motivation for Countering an Extremist Social Movement: The Case of British Muslims' Activism Against Islamist Extremists

Sadi SHANAHAH, *Aarhus University, Denmark*

Field Movements, Mining, Social Transformations and Everyday Resistance in Rural Communities of Minas Gerais

Natália CARVALHOSA, *Programa de Pós-Graduação em Antropologia Social/Museu Nacional - PPGAS/MN/UFRJ, Brazil*

La No-Violencia Para Combatir La Violencia. Las Experiencias De Organización y Resistencia En Chile Durante La Dictadura De Pinochet.

Felipe SÁNCHEZ-BARRÍA, *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*

17:30-19:20

Social Movements and Conflicts over Migration and Asylum

Session Organizer: Priska DAPHI

Chair: Priska DAPHI

Discussant: *Piotr KOCYBA, Technische Universität Chemnitz, Germany*

La Cause Des Migrants à L'échelle Euro-Africaine. La Difficile Construction Du Mouvement Des Expulsés d'Espagne (2006-2012).

Emmanuelle BOUILLY, *Université Laval, CIRAM, RéQEf, Canada*

'Contact Zone' Developers Facing Inhibitors. Volunteers' Experiences of Refugee Movements and Racism in Finland

Sofia LAINE, *Finnish Youth Research Network, Finland*

Welcome Culture and Democracy in Germany: Refugee Support Initiatives As Site of Active Citizenship and Democratic Learning

Katherine BRAUN, *University of Osnabrück, Germany; Nikolai HUKU*, *University of Tübingen, Germany*

Urban Citizenship Struggles As Transformative Politics

Sarah SCHILLIGER, *Institute of Social Sciences, University of Basel, Switzerland*

SATURDAY, 21 JULY 2018

<p>08:30-10:20</p> <p>Social Movements and Resistances Against the Neocolonial, Neoliberal University</p> <p>Session Organizers: Marcelle DAWSON and Shruti TAMBE</p> <p>Chair: Shruti TAMBE</p> <p>Room: 705</p>	<p>Barricading 'Hindutva Capital': Student Movements and Ideas of Dissent and Resistance in Contemporary India Himadri MISTRI, JNU, India</p> <p>Precarious Labour and Neoliberal Universities: The Case of Food Service Workers at York Mina RAJABI PAAK, York University, Canada</p> <p>Insurgent Scholarship and Cognitive Justice: Exploring Knowledge Production within and Beyond the Academy Marcelle DAWSON, Centre for Social Change, University of Johannesburg, South Africa</p> <p>Digital Vs. Physical Disruption: The #Feesmustfall Movement in South Africa Mariya IVANCHEVA, University of Leeds, United Kingdom; Rebecca SWATRZ, University of Cape Town/University of Stellenbosch, South Africa</p>
<p>10:30-12:20</p> <p>Social Movements Facing Repression in an Authoritarian World.</p> <p>Session Organizer & Chair: Simin FADAEI</p>	<p>Outsourcing Repression to the Market: The Industry of Online Dissent Management in Authoritarian China Rui HOU, QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY, Canada</p> <p>The Repression and Criminalisation of Youth-Led Political Dissent in Contemporary Britain Sarah PICKARD, Université Sorbonne Nouvelle Paris 3, France</p> <p>Kurdish Political Movement and the Akp in the Face of Political Transformation in Turkey Gulay KILICASLAN, York University, Canada</p> <p>A Personal Account of Struggle for Democratization and Purge in Turkey Mert BÜYÜKKARABACAK, EĞİTİM SEN, Turkey</p> <p>State Repression and Human Rights Mobilization in Contemporary Democracies: The Brazilian Case (2013-2016) Marta MACHADO, Brazilian Center of Analysis and Planning - Cebrap, Brazil; Debora MACIEL, Brazilian Center of Analysis and Planning - Cebrap, Brazil</p>

SATURDAY, 21 JULY 2018

12:30-14:20

**Global Youth in the
Move: Alteractivism and
Post-2011 Social
Movements
Session**

Organizers: Carles
FEIXA, Sofia LAINE &
Geoffrey PLEYERS

Joint session RC34/RC47

*Location: 602 (MTCC
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"What Have You Done with Our World?". the Generational Issue in 5 Post-2011 Social Movements

Cécile VAN DE VELDE, *Université de Montréal, Canada*
Vulnerability, Processes of Subjectivation and Youth Activism. the
"Juventud Sin Futuro (Youth Without Future)"'s Case in Spain.

Antonio ALVAREZ-BENAVIDES, *CADIS, France*; **Antonio
MONTAÑES JIMENEZ**, *Autonomous University of
Barcelona, Spain*

West African Youth Against Democratic Backsliding - a Comparative
Process-Tracing Analysis of the Uprisings in Senegal in 2012 and in
Burkina Faso in 2014

Nina-Kathrin WIENKOOP, *Leuphana University
Lüneburg, Germany*

Political Participation and Activism in the POST15M Era: Young People's
Political Identifications in Lleida, Catalonia

Eduard BALLESTÉ ISERN, *University of Lleida, Department of
Geography and Sociology, Spain*

Post-2008 Movements and the Biographic Dissonance of Millennials

Paolo GERBAUDO, *King's College London, United Kingdom*

14:30-16:20

**How Social Movements
Produce Alternative
Futures**

Joint Session
RC47/RC07

Session Organizers:
Markus S. SCHULZ

Chair:
Jorge CADENA-ROA

Location: 705

Expectations of the Future As Motivation in New Rightist Movements

Johanna FROEHLICH, *University of Oldenburg, Germany*

Performing alternative networks of trust and solidarity in the aftermath
of Gezi protests

Baran Alp UNCÜ, *Marmara University, Turkey*

The Shifting Nature of Prefiguration in Social Movements: From
Modelling to Expressing Alternatives?

Felix BUTZLAFF & Michael DEFLORIAN, *Institute for Social
Change and Sustainability, Vienna University of Economics and
Business, Austria*

David Against Goliath: How a Small Village on Jeju Island in South Korea
Became a Hub of the Peace Movement in East Asia

Jeong-lm HYUN, *University of Turku, Finland*

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