



International Conference, April 25-26, 2017

Sovereignty, Contestation, and 'the Economy'

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How do new forms of social contestation — such as sharing economy initiatives, community currencies, faith-based ethical consumption, and solidarity economy networks — challenge economic practices in finance, production, and consumption on local and translocal levels? What is the role of transnational institutions and corporations in fulfilling the promise of sustainable livelihoods? This conference maps these shifting economic landscapes by inquiring about sovereignty, value, sustainability, and livelihoods. Four panels will focus on financialization, old and new divisions of labour, sustainable livelihoods, and sharing economies & the commons.

Panel organizers: Cristina Grasseni, Coco Kanters, Don Kalb, Patrick Neveling, Vinzenz Bäumer Escobar

Papers by: Catherine Dolan, Jonathan de Vore, Coco Kanters, Giovanni Orlando, Sílvia Gómez Mestres & Marianne Lien, Peter Luetchford, Liz Fox, Federico De Musso, Vinzenz Bäumer Escobar, Hadas Weiss, Erik Bähre, Katharina Bodirsky, Stefan Voicu, Rebecca Prentice, Tijo Salverda, Ivan Rajkovic, Jane Lynch, Paul Robert Gilbert

Discussants: Tine de Moor, Susana Narotzky, Douglas Holmes, Chris Hann

For more information and the schedule:

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