



The Practice Turn in International Relations and Its Critics (Authors' Workshop)

29-31 March 2023

Venue: Erfurt, Germany

Programme

Wednesday, 29 March 2023

13:00-14:00 Arrival and Welcome

14:00-15:30 INTRODUCTION AND JOINT DISCUSSION OF THE CONCEPT NOTE

FRANK GADINGER & OLIVER KESSLER

15:30-16:00 *Coffee Break*

16:00-17:30 REFLECTIONS FROM WITHIN INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE RESEARCH I

16:00-16:45 **How to make a difference with Praxiography**

Christian Bueger

Discussant: Nora Stappert

16:45-17:30 **Beyond 'Interdisciplinary Exchange': Towards a Transdisciplinary Empirical Research Program on Practice Theory and International Law**

Nora Stappert

Discussant: Christian Bueger

17:30-17:45 *Coffee Break*

17:45-18:30 REFLECTIONS FROM WITHIN INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE RESEARCH II

17:45-18:30 **The milieu and the promises of embodiment, aesthetics and emotions for practice scholarship**

Alena Drieschova

Discussant: Elsa Hedling

19:00 *Dinner @*



Thursday, 30 March 2023

09:30-10:00 Arrival

10:00-10:45 REFLECTIONS FROM WITHIN INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE RESEARCH III

10:00-10:45 **From Spectacular Performances to Mundane Practices and Back Again? Practice Research and Digital Culture in World Politics**

Elsa Hedling

Discussant: Alena Drieschova

10:45-11:30 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A PRAGMATIST POINT OF VIEW I

10:45-11:30 **The place of practice in pragmatist thought and its role as a critical resource for assessing global governance**

Jason Ralph

Discussant: Gunther Hellmann

11:30-11:45 *Coffee Break*

11:45-12:30 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A PRAGMATIST POINT OF VIEW II

11:45-12:30 **Theorising social practices: a conversation between practice internalism and pragmatism?**

Silviya Lechner

Discussant: Jason Ralph

12:30-14:00 *Lunch @*

14:00-14:45 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A PRAGMATIST POINT OF VIEW III

14:00-14:45 **The Consequences of the Primacy of Practice and the Posteriority of Theorizing**

Gunther Hellmann

Discussant: Silviya Lechner

14:45-15:30 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A CRITICAL/FEMINIST/POSTCOLONIAL POINT OF VIEW I

14:45-15:30 **Agency is positionally distributed: practice theory and (post-)colonial structures**

Vincent Pouliot & Lou Pingeot

Discussant: Siddarth Tripathii

15:30-15:45 *Coffee Break*

15:45-17:15 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A CRITICAL/FEMINIST/POSTCOLONIAL POINT OF VIEW II

15:45-16:30 **Bringing Gender, Race, and Class back in International Practices**

Maïka Sondarjee & Lou Pingeot

Discussant: Vincent Pouliot



16:30-17:15 **Of Silences and Struggles: The Practice 'Turn' in IR and Decolonial/Postcolonial Praxis**

Siddharth Tripathi
Discussant: Maïka Sondarjee

17:15-17:30 *Coffee Break*

17:30-18:15 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A CONSTRUCTIVIST POINT OF VIEW I

17:30-18:15 **Ritualisation of the study of praxis in International Relations**

Xymena Kurowska
Discussant: Jorg Kustermans

19:00 *Dinner @*

Friday, 31 March 2023

09:00-09:30 *Arrival*

09:30-11:00 CRITICIZING THE PRACTICE TURN FROM A CONSTRUCTIVIST POINT OF VIEW II

09:30-10:15 **Ritual and the limits of the everyday**

Jorg Kustermans & Maria Mälksoo
Discussant: David McCourt

10:15-11:00 **Constructivist and Practice Theoretic Approaches to Identity in International Relations**

David McCourt
Discussant: Xymena Kurowska

11:00-11:15 *Coffee Break*

11:15-12:00 THE NEXT STEPS OF THE PROJECT

FRANK GADINGER & OLIVER KESSLER

12:00 *Farewell*



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