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**AXEL HONNETH**

Plenary Speakers

**Katia Genel**

**Daniel Loick**

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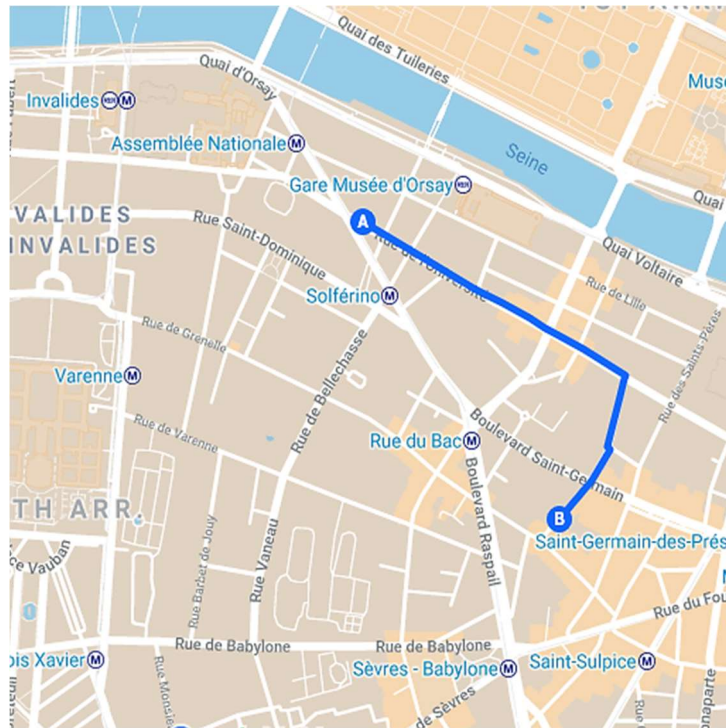
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## Locations

**A : CEVIPOF**  
*Salle Percheron*  
*Salle Lavaux*  
98 rue de l'Université



**B : Le « 27 »**  
*Jacques Chapsal*  
*A 13, A 15*  
27 rue Saint Guillaume

June 6, 2019

16h30

Registration and welcome

17-19h

Opening remarks (CEVIPOF, Salle Percheron)

**Plenary Speaker: Katia Genel**

Co-Director of the Centre Marc Bloch Berlin

Assistant Professor (MCF), Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

*"How to express what is wrong with society? Thinking Social Pathologies with Honneth"*

19-20h

Drinks

June 7, 2019

**9h00**      **Coffee**

**9h30**      **Opening remarks, Organization team**

**9h45-12h**      **1. Thinking Social Struggles with Honneth (Salle Lavaux)**

“Expériences morales de mépris social et dynamiques de résistances collectives chez les représentants ouvriers pendant la Deuxième République française.”

– **Tatiana Fauconnet, ENS Lyon**

“Rural Youth, Citizenship and Geographic Inequality: Politics of Recognition and Redistribution”

– **Susanna Areschoug, Stockholm University**

“‘*La Hogra*’ comme émotion fondatrice d’une lutte pour la reconnaissance dans les quartiers populaires”

– **Chayma Drira, Sciences Po**

Chair: Ignacio Garcés García (Sciences Po)

**12h- 13h30**      **Lunch break. Meal is provided**

**13h30-15h45**      **2. Critical Theory of Institutions: Law and Property (Salle Percheron)**

“Anti-functionalist impulses in Weimarian Critical Theory of Law”

– **Gabriel Busch de Brito, University of São Paulo/CEBRAP/ Goethe University Frankfurt**

“Praxis-Oriented Questions Regarding Menke’s *Critique of Rights*”

– **Ewgenia Baraboj, University of Leipzig**

“Property and the Frankfurt School: Past, Present, Futures.”

– **Niklas Angebauer, University of Oldenburg**

Chair: Niklas Plaetzer (Sciences Po)

**15h45-16h**      **Coffee break**

**16h-17h30**

**3. Normativity beyond Discourse**  
Salle Percheron

“Is There Normativity Outside of Discourse?”  
– **Ítalo Alves, Catholic University in Porto Alegre (Brazil)**

“Rehabilitating the body in Honnethian theory: what consequences for recognition?”  
– **Cécile Cadet, Sciences Po (Paris)**

Chair: Juliette Faure (Sciences Po)

**4. Critical Theory and Ethics**  
27, room 23

“Injustice, Ethics, and the Forms of Life”  
– **Vafa Ghazavi, University of Oxford (UK)**

“Critical Theory as a Critique of Ethics. Against the Objectification of the “Ethical Goods””  
– **Veronika Hilzensauer, Munich School of Philosophy (Germany)**

Chair: Lila Braunschweig (Sciences Po)

**17h30-18h**      **Change of venue**

**18h-20h**

**Keynote Address: Axel Honneth**

27 rue Saint-Guillaume, Amphithéâtre Jacques Chapsal

Jack C. Weinstein Professor for the Humanities, Department of Philosophy, Columbia University;  
Previous Director of the Institute for Social Research, Goethe University Frankfurt

**“Democracy and the Division of Labor: A blind spot in political philosophy”**

**Introductory remarks :**

**Astrid von Busekist, Director of Graduate Studies in Political Theory, Sciences Po**

**20h**      **Conference dinner**

June 8, 2019

9h45

Coffee

10h15-11h45

**5. Axel Honneth and the Anthropocene**  
27, room 13

"Axel Honneth and the Idea of Environmental Justice"  
– **Marcus Wallner, Uppsala University (Sweden)**

"Recognition and Critique in the Anthropocene"  
– **Atticus Carnell, University of Oxford (UK)**

Chair: Léna Silberzahn (Sciences Po)

**6. Rethinking Reification**  
27, room 15

"Grounding recognition in emerging subjectivities: The contestation of reification as a truth regime."  
– **Tivadar Vervoort, KU Leuven (Belgium)**

"Repenser la réification avec Axel Honneth : un défi salvateur pour la théorie critique contemporaine"  
– **Marie Simon, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris (France)**

Chair : Eduardo Quinderé de Carvalho (Sciences Po)

11h45-12h45

Lunch break. Meal is provided.

12h45-14h15

**7. Critical Theory and Critical Epistemologies** 27, room 13

"From Cultivation to Critique: Is a Critical Virtue Ethics Possible?"  
– **Patrick Wheatley, University of Oxford (UK)**

"Critical Theory of Recognition as a Critique of Epistemic Pathology"  
– **Hiroki Narita, Waseda University (Tokyo)**

Chair: Melis Akdag (Sciences Po/Unige)

**8. Franco-German Critiques of Domination** 27, room 15

"Politics and the other Utopia: on Abensour and Adorno"  
– **Helmer Stoel, Goethe University, Frankfurt (Germany)**

"Comment articuler reconnaissance et servitude volontaire ? Comprendre les divergences de Renault et Lefort à partir de La Boétie"  
– **Emmanuel Charreau, Université Libre de Bruxelles (Belgium)**

Chair: Arthur Guichoux (Paris VII)

14h15-14h30

Coffee break

14h30-16h

**9. Rancière Goes to Frankfurt**  
27, room 13

"Recognition as Struggle within the Distribution of the Sensible"  
– **Marcus Döller, University of Erfurt (Germany)**

"The 'best' Political Order: Rancière, Honneth, and Adorno on the Possibility of a Self-Reflective Order"  
– **Léonie Hunter, Goethe University Frankfurt (Germany)**

Chair: Niklas Pläetzer (Sciences Po)

**10. Neoliberalism and the Paralysis of Critique** 27, room 15

"Populism as a Political Pathology of the 'Neoliberal Revolution': Honneth's Diagnosis of 21st Century Democratic Deficits."  
– **Thor João de Sousa Veras, Santa Catarina Federal University, Florianópolis (Brazil)**

"One-Dimensional Exhaustion: Marcuse's Economy of Critique"  
– **Nica Siegel, Yale University (USA)**

Chair: Thomas Zicman de Barros (Sciences Po)

16h- 16h15

Break

16h15-17h30

**Plenary speaker: Daniel Loick**

Visiting Professor of Practical Philosophy, University Lucerne, Fellow at the Center for Humanities & Social Change, HU Berlin

"Subaltern Sociality. On the Normative Structure of Counter-Communities"

17h30-18h

Closing remarks (Organizing team: Juliette Faure, Niklas Pläetzer, Léna Silberzahn)