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# WORKSHOP

# DESERVINGNESS AND BEYOND

REASSESSING EPISTEMOLOGIES  
OF DISTRIBUTION AND  
INEQUALITY

Day 1: Müller Friedberg Strasse 6/8, Room 52-7024


Day 2: Rosenbergstrasse 20-22, 83-3235



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24 OCTOBER, THURSDAY

@ MÜLLER FRIEDBERG STRASSE 6/8, 52-7024

## 14:00-15:00 WELCOME & INTRO

*JELENA TOŠIC, ANDREAS STREINZER (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN), VIOLETTA ZENTAI (CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY)*

## 15:00-17:00 PANEL 1 - CASES, FIELDS, ENTANGLEMENTS

**CHAIR:** *JELENA TOŠIC (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN)*

**DISCUSSANT:** *SUSANA NAROTZKY (UNIVERSITY OF BARCELONA)*

- DESERVINGNESS ACROSS DECISION-MAKING IN MIGRATION GOVERNANCE – SUSPICION, MISTRUST AND MORALITY, *LISA MARIE BORRELLI (HES-SO VALAIS-WALLIS)*
- THE OFFICES FOR THE UNDESERVING FAMILIES: SUBJECTIVATION OF HUNGARIAN FAMILY SUPPORT AND CHILD WELFARE WORKERS, *MÁRTA BASKI (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN)*
- 'DOING' DISABILITY 'RIGHT': RUMOUR, SPECULATION AND PERFORMATIVITY AMONGST DISABILITY BENEFIT CLAIMANTS, *LILLIANA BUONASORTE (UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL)*
- THE DESERVINGNESS OF TECHNOLOGY: HOPE AND PRECARIOUSNESS AMONG PUBLIC SERVANTS IN COLOMBIA, *JUAN FORERO DUARTE (UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON)*

## 17:30-19:00: KEYNOTE

*BIRGIT SAUER (UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA):* INEQUALITY AND NON-DESERVINGNESS. RIGHT-WING ANTI-GENDER MOBILIZATION TOWARDS AN AUTHORITARIAN CONJUNCTURE

**CHAIR & COMMENTARY:** *FRANCES PINE (GOLDSMITHS)*

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## 10:00-12:00 PANEL 2 - EPISTEMOLOGIES

**CHAIR:** *ANDREAS STREINZER (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN)*

**DISCUSSANT:** *ERIC BÄHRE (LEIDEN UNIVERSITY)*

- MORALISED CONSTRUCTIONS OF (UN)DESERVINGNESS AND NEED IN RURAL UKRAINE, *ILONA GRABMAIER (UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA)*
- "YOU CAN'T LEGALLY GRASP IT." - 'AFFECTIVE DENIAL OF ACCESS' IN THE SWISS NATURALISATION PROCESS, *MARIA LASSAK (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN)*
- DESERVING, BUT... - CONFLICTS AROUND ACCESS DENIAL IN URBAN SOCIAL (STATE) REGIMES IN GERMANY, *TIM HERBOLD AND LISA RIEDNER (LUDWIG-MAXIMILIANS-UNIVERSITÄT)*
- RETHINKING WEALTH FROM A DECOLONIAL PERSPECTIVE. WHAT CAN PACIFIC SALMON-HUMAN RELATIONS ILLUSTRATE ABOUT CONCEPTS OF WEALTH AND STRUGGLES OF INEQUALITY? *SARAH MUND (UNIVERSITY OF COLOGNE)*

## 13:30-15:30 PANEL 3 - POLITICS OF SCHOLARSHIP

**CHAIR:** *JELENA TOŠIC (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN)*

**DISCUSSANT:** *SABINE STRASSER (UNIVERSITY OF BERN)*

- SEEING LIKE A WELFARE STATE: RECOGNITION, FISCAL RELATIONS AND DESERVINGNESS AS A DISTRACTION, *ANDREAS STREINZER (UNIVERSITY OF ST.GALLEN)*
- 'EMANCIPATING' THE SOCIAL TENANT? UNDERSTANDING HIERARCHIES AND TEMPORALITIES OF DESERVINGNESS IN FLANDERS' SOCIAL HOUSING POLICY, *ELINE DE JONG (UNIVERSITY OF ANTWERP)*
- INTERSECTIONS OF DESERVINGNESS, CONSPIRACIES, AND MIGRATION FOR ROMANIANS IN LONDON DURING COVID-19, *ANA-MARIA CÎRSTEĂ (DURHAM UNIVERSITY)*
- "WHY SHOULD WE EAT THE CHICKEN'S BUTT?" - EVERYDAY CONSUMPTION, MORALITY AND BELONGING, *ALEXANDRA SZŐKE (HUN-REN, CENTRE FOR ECONOMIC AND REGIONAL STUDIES, BUDAPEST)*

## 16:00-17:00 FINAL DISCUSSION

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