

3rd International Conference of *desiguALdades.net*

Inequalities in Latin America: Frictions between Global Configurations and National Negotiations

April 10 - 11, 2014
Berlin, Germany
Seminaris CampusHotel Berlin

Latin America is historically one of the most unequal regions in the world. In addition to their historical persistence, social inequalities in Latin America are characterized by being heavily influenced by global processes. Interdependencies with world markets, international legal structures and practices as well as sectoral policies (related to economy, trade, migration, human rights, science, etc.) strongly influence the creation, structuring and transformation of social inequalities in Latin America. Despite the increasingly transnational and global character of processes affecting inequality, social actors must still address national and subnational political spaces when they seek to mediate the social, political and ecological impact of globally structured inequalities. The 3rd International Conference of *desiguALdades.net* thus focuses on these discrepancies between the global configuration of inequalities and the persistence of national and subnational arenas in which these inequalities are negotiated.

Program

Thursday, April 10

9:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Marianne Braig (Freie Universität Berlin):
Introduction

9:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Juan Pablo Pérez Sáinz (FLACSO Costa Rica):
**El tercer momento rousseauiano de América Latina.
Posneoliberalismo y desigualdades sociales**

Moderation: **Barbara Göbel** (Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut)

10:45 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. *Coffee Break*

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Antje Wiener (Universität Hamburg):
**Unbound Constitutionalization: Potentials, Problems,
Power Shifts**

Moderation: **Sérgio Costa** (Freie Universität Berlin)

12:15 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. *Lunch*

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Panel I: Global Structuration of Social Inequalities

Chair: **Manuel Góngora-Mera** (Freie Universität Berlin)
Discussant: **Göran Therborn** (University of Cambridge)

Elizabeth Jelin (IDES, CONICET)
Sérgio Costa (Freie Universität Berlin):
Beyond Categorical Asymmetries: The Dynamic Construction
of Inequalities

Manuela Boatcă (Freie Universität Berlin):
Unequal Citizenships and the Global Structuration of the
National

Martina Sproll (Freie Universität Berlin):
Precarization and New Class Formations: The Case of Call
Centers in the Brazilian Banking Sector

Anna Skornia (Freie Universität Berlin):
Entangled Inequalities in Transnational Care Chains:
Practices across the Borders of Peru and Italy

6:00 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.

Venue: **Lateinamerika-Institut (LAI),**
Rüdesheimer Str. 54-56, 14197 Berlin

Luis Reygadas (Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana
Iztapalapa):

**Diferencias y desigualdades: una perspectiva desde la
historia y la cultura**

Moderation: **Marianne Braig** (Freie Universität Berlin)

7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. *Reception*

Friday, April 11

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

**Panel II: The State in the Making of Inequalities in
Latin America**

Chair: **Marianne Braig** (Freie Universität Berlin)

Discussant: **Verónica Schild** (University of Western Ontario)

José Carlos Aguiar (University of Leiden):

Reform or Continuation? Debates on the Regulation of
Informality in Mexico under Enrique Peña Nieto

Markus-Michael Müller (Freie Universität Berlin)

Gundo Rial y Costas (Universidade Federal Fluminense):
Unpacking Pacification: Counterinsurgent Urban Renewal in
Neoliberal Rio de Janeiro

Rodrigo Rodrigues-Silveira (Freie Universität Berlin):

The State and Governance Regimes of Natural Resources

Frank Müller (Freie Universität Berlin):

The Efficiency of Exclusion: Gated Communities and Urban
Informality in Mexico City

12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. *Lunch*

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Panel III: Global Commodification of Nature

Chair: **Hebe Vessuri** (Universidad Nacional de Mexico)

Discussant: **Gerardo Damonte** (Pontificia Universidad
Católica del Perú)

Carlos Monge (Revenue Watch Institute):

Commodification and Governance of Natural Resources in
Latin America: What does this Mean for Social Inequalities?

Imme Scholz (German Development Institute / Deutsches
Institut für Entwicklungspolitik (DIE)):

What Do We Know about Socio-ecological Inequalities? Some
Elements of an Answer

Kristina Dietz (Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut):

Analyzing Socio-ecological Inequalities in the Context of
Globalization

Barbara Göbel (Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut)

Astrid Ulloa (Universidad Nacional de Colombia):
Extractivism and Social Inequalities

5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. *Coffee Break*

5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

**Roundtable: Interdependent Inequalities in Latin
America: Global Configurations and National Arenas
of Negotiations**

Chair: **Hans-Jürgen Puhle** (Universität Frankfurt)

Participants:

Elisa Reis (Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro)

Ludger Pries (Ruhr-Universität Bochum)

Hebe Vessuri (Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México)

Registration

To attend the conference, please fill in the online registration
form on our homepage: www.desigualdades.net.
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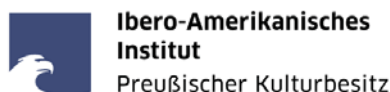
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