

RN 24: Science and Technology

Convener: Luísa Oliveira, CIES / ISCTE, Portugal

Session 1

Tuesday 4th, 09.00 – 11.00, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Luísa Oliveira`

Opening Session (Welcome, Dr. Luísa Oliveira on behalf of the organizing committee)

1. Erich Griessler: Impediments for public participation in science and technology
2. Christiane Quendt: How to involve the public? – Observations in participatory projects in some European countries
3. Harald Rohrer: Linking innovation and public debate with hybrid organisations
4. Jaime Jiménez & Juan Escalante: How Latin American countries react to contentious 'progress' in science and technology?
5. Paul Haynes: Progress in researching science and technology: building an inclusive discipline

Session 2

Tuesday 4th, 14.00 – 15.30, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Raymund Werle

1. Marja Alestalo: Corporatism facing new orientations of energy policy
2. Mhairi Aitken: Wind power planning controversies: 'expert' arguments in 'lay' domains
3. Gloria Baigorrotegui: Neighbourhood's against large power systems. When technology can't be free from conflicts
4. Andrew Hewitson, Mike Hodson, Eva Heiskanen, Eric Jolivet, Simon Vicky Marvin Simpson & Jamil Khan: Managing urban socio-technical change? Comparing energy technology controversies in three European contexts
5. Andreas Metzner-Szigeth: Progress, vulnerability and sustainable development – theses proita

Session 3

Tuesday 4th, 16.00 – 17.30, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Aaro Tupasela

1. Jan Cornelius Schmidt: Shaping the visions of nanotechnology
2. Petra Lucht: Science fiction as discursive arena for boundary work – the example of nanotechnology
3. Piet Sellke, Britta Oertel & Rotraud Gitter: Reflexive innovation and the case of pervasive computing
4. Stephen Bates, Sarah Parry, Wendy Faulkner & Sarah Cunningham-Burley: Public engagement in stem cell research: lay/ expert issues
5. Susana Nascimento: Machines and autonomy: a sociological stance on how technical objects are taking action and changing our relations with the modern world

Session 4: PhD Students Session

Wednesday 5th, 09.00 – 11.00, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Franc Mali

1. Cristina Palma Conceicao: Presenting science to public: can we talk about the end of deficit model?
2. Piotr Stankiewicz: Managing conflicts about risk
3. Sascha Dickel: Better bodies + better minds = better lives? The bio-utopian discourse of human enhancement
4. Aécio Amaral Jr: Discourse ethics and liberal eugenics: on Jurgen Habermas "The future of human nature"
5. Noora Talsi: Constructing marginalities in Finnish knowledge society strategy and policy programmes
6. Rui Brito Fonseca: 30 Years of public policies of science in Portugal: 1976-2005

Session 5

Wednesday 5th, 14.00 – 15.30, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Katarina Prpic

1. Aaro Tupasela: Re-examining medical modernization in biomedical research
2. Bernhard Wieser: Embedded diffusion: on medical innovations in genetic testing
3. Julie Kent & Naomi Pfeffer: From the abortion clinic to the neurology clinic: sociological and historical perspectives on the use of fetal cells for repair of neurological disorders
4. Céline Granjou & Isabelle Mauz: Controversial experiment: The case of a contraception operation on marmots
5. Rebecca Hanlin: Power and politics within vaccine innovation partnerships

Session 6

Thursday 6th, 09.00 – 10.30, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Raymund Werle

1. Maria Nedeva: What makes 'good' science? Norms, rules and scripts revisited
2. Katarina Prpic & Adrijana Šuljok: How do the key actors of science governance perceive science?
3. Franc Mali & Blanca Jelnicar: Is a commodification of scientific knowledge a threat for professional ethos of academic scientists?
4. Ipek Demir: Trusting 'trusting' scientists
5. Gethin Rees: Forensic medical guidelines as mechanisms of trust

Session 7

Thursday 6th, 11.00 – 12.00, Room CLIC 6 & 7

Chair: Aaro Tupasela

1. Les Levidow: The WTO agbiotech dispute: contentious links between science, policy and law
2. Janus Hansen: Does mode 2 knowledge production have a national variety component? – Should it?
3. Roger Hestholm: The meaning of scientific knowledge in Norway
4. Michel Dubois: The French as GIS << Infections À Prions >>. Institutional agenda, research strategy and aggregation
5. Maria Jimenez-Buedo, Manuel Fernandez Esquinas & Celia Diaz: Science and the new social contract. The undoing of supply-oriented science policy

Session 8**Thursday 6th, 13.30 – 15.00, Room CLIC 6 & 7****Chair: Luísa Oliveira**

1. Johannes Weyer: Modes of governance of hybrid systems. The mid-air collision at Ueberlingen and the impact of smart technology
2. Anne-Marie Oostveen: A perfect storm: analyzing the unlikely success of a Dutch campaign against black-box voting
3. Susana Costa: Paternity claims, the judiciary and forensic expertise: the case of Portugal
4. Karel Müller: Reflexivity patterns of innovation actors
5. Alexandre Pólvora: Thrown away and possibly found: notes for a critical sociology of our technical modernity through its obsolete objects and material residues