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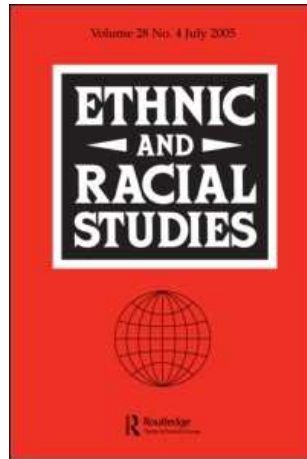
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**64 Routledge titles in Sociology and related areas soon available for ESA regular members**



The ESA and Routledge are pleased to offer ESA regular members six month's free access to 64 Routledge titles in Sociology and related areas, including Race & Ethnic Studies, Gender Studies, Sociology of Culture, Social Theory, and Political Sociology. Titles include Ethnic and Racial Studies, Mobilities, Economy and Society, Journal of Youth Studies, International Journal of Social Research Methodology, Feminist Economics, Culture, Health, and Sexuality, Ethnicity and Health, Gender, Place, and Culture, Identities, and Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies.

ESA members will be able to access these titles from the end of June via the link they use to access European Societies on the members' area of the ESA website.

For more information you can get in touch with the conference secretariat: [esa@pouchet.cnrs.fr](mailto:esa@pouchet.cnrs.fr)

Conference Announcement

**LES NATIONALISMES QUÉBÉCOIS FACE À LA DIVERSITÉ ETHNOCULTURELLE**

Université du Québec à Montréal  
Pavillon J.-A. DeSève, rue Sainte-Catherine  
Salle DS-R520

Mercredi 15 mai, jeudi 16 mai et vendredi 17 mai 2013

<http://www.criec.uqam.ca/Page/colloques.aspx>

**Les nationalismes québécois face à la diversité ethnoculturelle**

La question nationale demeure non résolue au Québec, puisque l'option souverainiste semble incertaine dans l'immédiat bien qu'elle soit fortement revendiquée, et que l'option fédéraliste n'apporte pas de réponses satisfaisantes pour une large proportion de citoyens et de forces politiques. Or l'option nationaliste fait face à de nombreux défis, certains relevant de la conjoncture politique et économique internationale, et d'autres de la reconfiguration du paysage politique et démographique au Québec. Plusieurs de ces défis concernent la pensée nationaliste/indépendantiste face à la diversité ethnoculturelle. Entendons par là l'immigration et le fait minoritaire au Québec dont il faut rappeler l'hétérogénéité intra et intercommunautaire. En effet, si la diversité ethnoculturelle a toujours été constitutive de la société québécoise, l'immigration contemporaine suscite aujourd'hui de nouvelles interrogations concernant les modalités de son incorporation économique, politique et culturelle à la nation québécoise, ces enjeux concernant d'ailleurs l'ensemble du peuple québécois. Dans ce nouveau contexte et à l'instar de ce qui se passe dans plusieurs démocraties occidentales, le thème de l'identité nationale est redevenu un sujet délicat et un objet de controverse. Et c'est la façon même dont les nationalismes se pensent et définissent l'identité nationale ainsi que leurs frontières avec l'altérité qui est en pleine transformation.

Le présent colloque se veut un moment de réflexion sur les nationalismes québécois face à la diversité ethnoculturelle, par le biais de ce qui fait la spécificité de la Chaire : l'étude et la prise en compte de l'ethnicité et de la citoyenneté.

La diversité ethnoculturelle minoritaire sur le territoire du Québec suscite plusieurs questions. Quel statut a-t-elle dans la pensée des nationalismes? Comment ce statut s'inscrirait-t-il dans les projets de constitution, de république et de citoyenneté québécoises? Quelles orientations émanent des perspectives nationalistes sur l'aménagement de la diversité ethnoculturelle, la question des droits et la lutte contre les discriminations? Quelles positions originales émanent des minorités ethnoculturelles elles-mêmes au sein de la mouvance souverainiste en particulier?

Plusieurs thèmes qui interpellent les chercheurs universitaires émergent alors, dont, par exemple :

- Les figures et les transformations historiques du nationalisme québécois (ethnique et culturel ; civique et républicain) et la question de la citoyenneté
- Les perceptions (d'ailleurs diversifiées) des minorités ethnoculturelles face à la question nationale
- La résurgence du nationalisme conservateur et l'affirmation d'une droite nationaliste

**COMITÉ SCIENTIFIQUE DU COLLOQUE**

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Programme :

[http://www.criec.uqam.ca/Page/Document/CRIEC\\_programme%20%28Courriel%29%20colloque%20nationalisme,%20vf.2013-04-02.pdf](http://www.criec.uqam.ca/Page/Document/CRIEC_programme%20%28Courriel%29%20colloque%20nationalisme,%20vf.2013-04-02.pdf)

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## Call for Papers

### II Seminar: Social Times and the Contemporary World, "The Crisis, Phases and discontinuities"

University of Minho | Braga | Portugal

18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2013

Deadline: 30 April

The seminar addresses the concepts of time and temporality. Time and temporality are both structuring elements of human and social experience. Today, common sense and scientific analysis seem to converge claiming the increase of speed, multiplicity and simultaneity of time and temporalities. But what is the actual sense of temporal processes? What is really new in contemporary societies and their time schemes? How do institutions respond to temporal transformations? What does time and temporality have to offer to research in social sciences and humanities?

These are some of the issues that will be discussed during the seminar that brings together researchers interested in the debate about time, rhythm and social temporalities.

Proposals need to follow the given formatting and editing rules and can be submitted until **30th April 2013** to the address: [tempossociais2013@gmail.com](mailto:tempossociais2013@gmail.com)

This seminar is organized by the Research Centre in Studies of Communication (CECS) and Society and by the Research Center in Social Sciences (CICS) with the collaboration of the Department of Sociology and Political Science (University of Vigo), Federal University of Paraíba, SOCIUS / UTL and the Portuguese Association for the Study of Time and Society.

#### Important dates

**Call for abstracts: April 30th, 2013**

**Communication assessment of the proposal: May 15th, 2013**

**+ info:**

[http://www.lasics.uminho.pt/tempossociais/?page\\_id=124&lang=en](http://www.lasics.uminho.pt/tempossociais/?page_id=124&lang=en)

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**Call for Papers**  
**International Symposium**  
**The political extremes: (dis)qualifications, (dis)positions, transfers.**  
**3rd 4<sup>th</sup> October 2013**  
**Université de Picardie Jules Verne - Amiens - Logis du Roy**

In the introduction of a collective book published in the direction under their direction in 2006 and from a roundtable of the French Political Association of Political Science in 2002, Annie Collovald and Brigitte Gaïti were noting : « "Fanatism", "clash of civilizations", "irresistible rise of racism" and of "working-class authoritarianism" : so many alarmist reports in the face of what seems to threaten today the norms, the ideals, and the principles of every democracy. The use of physical violence (entry into the armed struggle, terrorism, hostage-taking) and more broadly the refusal of arrangements and compromises which supported the peaceful policy rules would directly test the democratic order established ; these phenomena would find their political location in all forms of extremism (extrem right, extrem left, islamism, nationalism, separatism) and their social location in groups returned to the ages of the democratic world ; immigrant youth from the suburbs or the Muslim Arab countries, the unemployed or undocumented today somehow replacing yesterday's workers or farmers. » (Collovald et Gaïti, 2006)

We could add, to complete these synthetic overview of habitual ways of thinking about phenomena known as « extremists », the wide diffusion among political commentators and beyond, of the hypothesis of a twinning between the extremes (particularly between groups classified as « extreme left » and those classified as « extreme right) that fall into the same fact « totalitarianism » (Christofferson, 2009). One can notice, six years after the publication of the book, the still widespread in the political and intellectual analysis merely explain « extremism » in general personality frustrated, authoritarian, violent, Manichean (Ory, 2012 : 11-14). The symposium « the extreme politics : (dis)qualifications, (dis)positions, transfers », open to recent research enrolled in different theoretical traditions and in different disciplines (sociology, political science, social history, etc.) intends therefore to contribute, following the book edited by A. Collovald and B. Gaïti, renewal of political commitments understanding, discourse, practices, commonly classified in a form of « extremism ».

Going against essentialist and normative approaches which attribute the phenomena called "radicals" or "extremists" clean and distinctive features (a violent "nature" for example) at the same time suitable for certain groups of attitudes fundamentally undemocratic and authoritarian, Annie Collovald and Brigitte Gaïti proposed in their book research program inspired interactionist and constructivist endeavoring to identify the *process* (reversible) radicalization situations and rules, groups and men - indexed tipping themselves on several types of temporality (temporality that transform ways of thinking and doing is not the same as the temporality that is change "frameworks of interpretation and meaning joined to practices or those representations"). Out of the theoretical tradition mobilized by them and derives a special interest in "the work of labeling and its effects to construct a reality that it intends qualify" (Collovald and Gaïti, 2006: 12). Politics - "activity that consists of doing things with words" (Cohen et al., 2009: 15) - is indeed crossing categories and representations (socially and historically situated) with a character "performative" in that they form the political reality. Also opens the conference the contributions focusing more specifically the mechanisms of production of "Other" violent, dangerous and threatening, as disqualification of political groups outside the peaceful democratic game, whether an "enemy within", and / or devices (or other) to curb these threats (Collovald, 2001; Rigouste, 2009; Biard et al., 2012). The constructivist approach is not without its limitations if it merely presupposes the effectiveness of stigma. The conference intends to ask about the social and historical conditions of a successful identity assignment. As far as this issue is concerned, contributions that take into account the resources and social trajectories of individuals or groups and undertake an analysis of the structure and dynamics of social spaces in which individuals or groups evolve, will be welcome (Kestel, 2012).

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### **▪ Calendar:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> June: deadline for the submission of proposals for papers.

- 15<sup>th</sup> July: sending responses after evaluation by two members of the Scientific Committee.

- 1<sup>st</sup> September: sending of the interventions supports texts to the scientific and organization committees.

### **▪ Format of proposals for papers :**

-Author(s)

-Statute(s)

-Discipline(s)

-Establishment(s) and laboratory(ies) connecting

- Address(es)

- Title of the paper

- Summary (between 3000 and 4000 characters including spaces)

- Key bibliographic references

Proposal for a communication to be sent to the following address:

[colloque.extremes.politiques@gmail.com](mailto:colloque.extremes.politiques@gmail.com)

The conference registration fee (before September 10th), covering reception, two lunches and coffee breaks will amount to:

- Intervening statutory (or professional): 50€
  - Speaking PhD, doctorate or post-doc ': 25€
  - Student: mandatory registration (no fee)
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## Call for Papers

### Health Systems in Asia A Social Science and Medicine Conference

13 - 16 December, 2013  
National University of Singapore, Singapore

**Abstract submission deadline 21 June, 2013 – [submit yours here](#)**

#### Chairs

[Vivian Lin](#),  
*La Trobe University, Australia*

[Gerry Bloom](#),  
*University of Sussex, UK*

**Health Systems in Asia 2013** is an interdisciplinary, social science conference, focusing on health systems adopted, or being considered for adoption, in Asian countries and their associated unique implications due to rapid economic, social, demographic and epidemiologic changes in the region.

The Conference Organising Committee welcomes submissions including, but not limited to, the following topics:

- Emerging health challenges – social determinants of health, urban health, NCDs, environmental challenges
- Vulnerable populations – aging, migration, gender, minorities, conflict
- Governance and regulation: government, power, partnerships, regional/national/local
- Mixed health systems – public/private, modern/traditional, formal/informal
- Management of technological change – pharmaceuticals, medical devices, ICT, genomics
- Consumers, citizens and accountability - health literacy, civil society, the political economy of reform
- Access impacts due to financing, payment, and cost containment strategies
- Research and evaluation methods for health systems policy

The conference welcomes empirical examinations of health outcomes, social, economic and political analyses as well as theoretical and philosophical contributions on these, and allied themes. Comparisons of reform experiences within and outside Asia are particularly encouraged.

The conference is the 2nd to be held in association with [Social Science & Medicine](#), the world's most cited social science journal, building on the success of the 2011 event. A Special Issue of selected papers presented at this conference will be published in *Social Science & Medicine* after the event.

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## Call for Papers

### 5th CADAAD Conference

1-3 September 2014

ELTE University, Budapest, Hungary

CADAAD conferences are intended to promote current directions and new developments in cross-disciplinary critical discourse research. We welcome papers which, from a critical-analytical perspective, deal with contemporary social, scientific, political, economic, or professional discourses and genres. Possible topics include but are not limited to the following:

- (New) Media discourse
- Party political discourse
- Advertising
- Discourses of war and terrorism
- Discourses of discrimination and inequality
- Power, ideology and dominance in institutional discourse
- Identity in discourse
- Education discourses
- Environmental discourses
- Health communication
- Language and the law

We especially welcome papers which re-examine existing frameworks for critical discourse research and/or which highlight and apply new methodologies sourced from anywhere across the humanities, social and cognitive sciences including but without being limited to the following fields:

- Sociolinguistics
- Multimodality
- Media and Mass Communication Studies
- Functional Linguistics
- Cognitive Linguistics
- Corpus Linguistics
- Pragmatics and Argumentation Theory
- Conversation and Discourse Analysis
- Ethnography of Communication
- Discursive Psychology
- Political Science

Reflecting the diversity of topics and approaches in critical discourse studies, the following distinguished guests have confirmed their participation as plenary speakers:

- PROFESSOR RUTH WODAK (Lancaster University)
- PROFESSOR THEO VAN LEEUWEN (University of Technology Sydney)
- PROFESSOR LILIE CHOULIARAKI (London School of Economics)
- PROFESSOR ANDREAS MUSOLFF (University of East Anglia)
- PROFESSOR CRISPIN THURLOW (University of Washington)

Papers will be allocated 20 minutes plus 10 minutes for questions. The language of the conference is English.

Abstracts of no more than 250 words including references should be sent as MS Word attachment to [cadaad2014@gmail.com](mailto:cadaad2014@gmail.com) before **1 December 2013**. Please include in the body of the email but not in the abstract itself (1) your name, (2) affiliation and (3) email address. Notifications of acceptance will be communicated by **1 March 2014**.



A peer-reviewed collection of selected papers is planned to be published with an international publisher.

For further information please visit the **conference webpages** at [http://cadaad.net/cadaad\\_2014](http://cadaad.net/cadaad_2014) or write to the local organising committee at [cadaad2014@gmail.com](mailto:cadaad2014@gmail.com).

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## OPPORTUNITIES

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### **Call for Applications - Social Sciences and More!**

GeT MA - the German Turkish Masters Program in Social Sciences is currently accepting applications for admission in the fall of 2013.

The GeT MA Program offers an excellent education in Europe's two vibrant capitals: Berlin and Ankara. The program is designed for students from all over the world who aim to pursue an international career in government agencies, NGOs, administration, journalism or research.

GeT MA is operated by two top universities: the Middle East Technical University Ankara and the Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin. All students of GeT MA attend their first year of studies in Ankara and their second year in Berlin. Graduates receive the Dual-Master of Arts in Social Sciences from both universities.

Application documents as well as further information about the program, its structure, contents and the participating universities are available online at [www.sowi.hu-berlin.de/getma](http://www.sowi.hu-berlin.de/getma).

The program's Berlin office will answer any questions ([info.getma@sowi.hu-berlin.de](mailto:info.getma@sowi.hu-berlin.de)). The application deadline is May 31, 2013.

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