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CONTESTED MARKETS: THEORIES AND CONTROVERSIES

INTERNATIONAL INTERDISCIPLINARY CONFERENCE



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Centre Panthéon, Paris

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PRESENTATION

This conference brings together diverse researchers working on the appropriate boundaries of markets with the aim of identifying commodification studies as an independent and crucial field of multidisciplinary research unto itself. The contributions will furnish the content of the Routledge Handbook of Commodification edited by Elodie Bertrand and Vida Panitch, to be published in 2023.

ORGANIZATION

Elodie Bertrand and Vida Panitch

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PROGRAM

FRIDAY JUNE 3

MORNING: Centre Panthéon
(Amphitheater 1, Aile Soufflot)

9:45 am Welcome coffee
(Galerie Saint-Jacques)

10:15 am Introductory remarks
Elodie Bertrand & Vida Panitch

10:30 am Session 1: Commodification theory
Chair: Marie Garrau

- Classical pro-market arguments
Marie Daou & Alain Marciano
- Anti-commodification theory 1:
Market failures - Elodie Bertrand
- Anti-commodification theory 2:
Corruption and Inequality - Vida Panitch
- Contested commodities
and democratic goods - *Margaret Jane Radin*

12:30 pm Lunch

AFTERNOON: Centre Panthéon
(room 1: Aile Soufflot, stair M,
1st floor - breaks also)

**2:30 pm Session 2: Contested commodities
in historical context – Chair: Isabelle Aubert**

- Land - *Pierre Crétois*
- Usury and simony - *André Lapidus & Pierre Januard*
- Gambling games - *Marie Trespeuch*

4:00 pm Coffee break

4:30-6:00 pm Session 3:
The natural world as contested commodity 1
Chair: Mathilde Maurel

- Ecosystemic 'services' - *Julia Martin Ortega et al.*
- Seeds - *Christine Noiville, Fabien Girard & Christine Frison*
- Emission trading - *Nathalie Berta*

SATURDAY JUNE 4

ALL DAY: Centre Panthéon (room 1:
Aile Soufflot, stair M, 1st floor - breaks also)

9:00 am Coffee

9:30 am Session 4:
The natural world as contested commodity 2
Chair: Emmanuel Picavet

- Parks and forests - *Catherine Larrère*
- Natural capital and biodiversity - *John O'Neill*
- Water - *Adrian Walsh*

11:00 am Coffee Break

**11:30 am Session 5: Contested commodities
and the state 1 – Chair: Michael Kessler**

- Health care - *Chad Horne*
- Education - *Harry Brighouse*

12:30 pm lunch

**2:00 pm Session 6: Contested commodities
and the state 2 – Chair: Aksel Sterri**

- Security and prisons - *Jonathan Peterson*
- Cultural goods and cultural appropriation
Michael Kessler

3:00 pm Coffee Break

**3:15 pm Session 7: Contested commodities
and the body 1 – Chair: Chad Horne**

- Plasma - *Peter Jaworski*
- Organs - *James Stacey Taylor*

4:15 pm Coffee break

**4:30 pm Session 8: Contested commodities
and the body 2 – Chair: Peter Jaworski**

- Gametes - *Kimberley Krawiec*
- Surrogacy - *Stephen Wilkinson*

5:30 pm Coffee break

5:45-7:00 pm Keynote:
Concluding remarks by Philippe Steiner
Chair: Elodie Bertrand and Vida Panitch

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