Global Structural Injustice and Minority Rights
Friday March 13 - Saturday March 14, 2020

Location: Northeastern University, Boston, MA, USA. Sessions on Friday will be spread out across campus - in either Renaissance Park, Egan Hall or Hurtig Hall. They are about a 5 minute walk apart. Signs will be posted but please see the camps map for directions.

Friday March 13:
8:30-9:00 Egan 440: Coffee & Pastries/Registration

9:00-11:00 Session 1

1A Displacement and Migration as Structural Injustice
Location: Egan 440
Chair: TBA

Lisa Eckenwiler (George Mason University)
“Long-term Displacement and Remedial Responsibilities for Structural Injustice: Ethical Place Making”

Ting-An Lin (Rutgers University)
"Rethinking Transnational Marriage Migration through the Lens of Structural Injustice"

Magnus Egan (Arctic University of Norway)
“Structural Injustice and Labour migration - The Scope of Responsibility”

1B Gender Minorities and Structural Injustice
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 310
Chair: TBA

Leonard Halladay (Carleton University)
“Queer Equalities: Structural Injustice and LGBTQ2+ Rights in Canada”

Perica Jovchevski (Central European University)
“Epistemic Structural Injustice and the Autonomy of Global Gender Minorities”

Annamari Vitikainen (Arctic University of Norway)
“Global Displacement, LGBT+ Rights, and Structural Injustice”

11:00-11:45 Break

11:45 - 1:15 Keynote 1
Avigail Eisenberg, University of Victoria
Title: Colonialism and the Crisis of Authorities.
Location: Hurtig 130

1:15-2:15 Lunch

2:30 - 4:30 Session 2

2A Responsibility and Blame
Location: Egan 440
Chair: TBA

Corwin Aragon (Cal Poly Pomona)
“Structural Responsibility for Latin American Migration”

Yarran Hominh (Columbia University)
“Blaming the System”

Chris Sardo and Erin Lockwood (Occidental College and University of California, Irvine)
“Answering the Call: Allocating Political Responsibility”

2B Indigenous Peoples
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 310
Chair:

Øyvind Stokke (Arctic University of Norway)
“Structural Environmental Injustice and the Global Indigenous Movement as Avantgarde”

Yann Allard-Tremblay (York University, Canada)
“Civic Citizenship, the Long Walk to Freedom and Indigenous Activism”

Kerstin Reibold (Arctic University of Norway)
“Willful Ignorance, Epistemic Exploitation, and Truth and Reconciliation Commissions for Indigenous People”

4:30-5:00 Break

5:00 - 6:30 Keynote 2
Stephen Gardiner, University of Washington
Title: Evading Structural Injustice
Location: Hurtig 130
Saturday March 14: All talks will be in Renaissance Park (RP) 310 or 909
9:30-10:00 Coffee & Pastries
Location: TBA

10:00-12:00 Session 3

3A Climate Change and Structural Injustice
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 909
Chair: TBA

Säde Hormio (University of Helsinki and University of California, Berkeley)
“Indigenous Communities and the Structural Injustice of Climate Change”

Melina Duarte (Arctic University of Norway)
“What Could be the Role of Human Rights Law in Addressing the Structural Injustices Related to Climate-Driven Displacement?”

Lukas Sparenborg (Goethe University Frankfurt)
“Climate Change as Structural Injustice: What’s Wrong and Who’s Responsible?”

3B Resistance to Structural Injustice
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 310
Chair: Kay Mathiesen

Candice Delmas (Northeastern University)
“Toward an Ethics of Hunger Strikes”

Sharon Mason (University of Central Arkansas)
“Structural Epistemic Injustice: Resisting Oppression through Revised Epistemologies”

12:00-1:00 lunch

1:00-2:30 Keynote 3
Catherine Lu, McGill University
Title: War and Structural Injustice: Political Responsibility for Ending the Global War on Terror
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 909

2:30-3:00 Break

3:00-5:00 Session 4
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 909

4A Other Theories of Structural Injustice
Chair: Chris Sardo
Amandine Catala (Université du Québec à Montréal)
“Global Minorities, Structural Injustice, and the Right to Colonial Memory”

Jennifer Casseldin-Bracht (Independent Scholar)
“Examining Narratives of Western Responsibility for Structural Injustice in the Capabilities Approach”

4B Other Global Minorities
Location: Renaissance Park (RP) 310
Chair: Candice Delmas

Frank Abumere (Arctic University of Norway) “Global Structural Injustice and Racial Minority Children”

Ashley Kennedy (Florida Atlantic University)
“Structural Injustice and the Rights of Child Laborers”

Leland Harper and Jennifer Kling (Siena Heights University)
“Semantic Foundations of White Privilege and the Consequences for Justice”

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