



Conference

Europe and the extraction-exploitation nexus

Studying systemic social reproduction
in times of environmental crisis

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Wednesday, June 28th

- 09.30 – 10.00 Opening by **Mikel Aramburu**, head of the Department of Social Anthropology of the University of Barcelona
Introduction of the workshop by **Natalia Buier and Doris Buu-Sao**
- 10.00 – 11.30 Keynote conference by **Jaume Franquesa**: "Energy transitions: for an anthropological agenda"
- 11.30 – 12.00 *Coffee break*
- 12.00 – 13.30 Panel 1 Global chains, local impacts: labour devaluation and ecological degradation

Alicia Reigada: "The capital-nature and capital-labor conflict in the strawberry fields of Huelva: a historical approach" *
- Carlos de Castro, Andrés Pedreño and Miguel Ángel Sánchez**: "The ecological degradation of Mar Menor. Power, science and deep histories in global agriculture" *
- Discussant: **Camila del Márquez**
- 13.30 – 15.00 *Lunch*
- 15.00 – 16.30 Panel 2 Reorganising work, reorganising nature: extractive economies and labour discipline

Andrea Tollardo: "Selling the ground. The multiple latching of an Alpine extractive locality on global markets"

Luisa Piart: "Navigating climate change. An anthropological contribution to seafarers and over-extraction"

Discussant: **Susana Narotzky**

Thursday, June 29th

- 09.30 – 11.00 Panel 3 Productive transformations and reproductive crises: agricultural extractivism and rural conflicts

Marguerite Maclouf: "The appropriation of water as a 'way of life'? The governance of an extractivist agriculture in Andalusia" *
- Andrés Pedreño, María Giménez and Antonio J. Ramírez**: "Extractivism of rural vitality or development model? Frontier of appropriation and conflict with pig macro-farms in the upper districts of Lorca (Region of Murcia)" *

Discussant: **Esteban Ruíz Ballesteros**
- 11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee break*
- 11.30 – 13.00 Panel 4 Shifting agricultural frontiers: agro-food systems and the reorganization of the global division of labour

Stefan Voicu: "Capitalocene's fault lines. Peasant workers and capitalist farmers in Romania"

Maura Benegiamo: "Accumulating social reproduction? Debt, labour and ecology in the digitalisation of agriculture"

Discussant: **Jaume Franquesa**
- 13.00 – 14.30 *Lunch*
- 14.30 – 16.00 Panel 5 Social relations of de-carbonisation: labour in the energy transition

Rocío Hiraldo: "Broadening and complicating the extraction-exploitation nexus: interacting counter-narratives in the Spanish energy transition"

Theodora Vetta: "Deperipheralising the European South? On energy crisis, labour and rent"

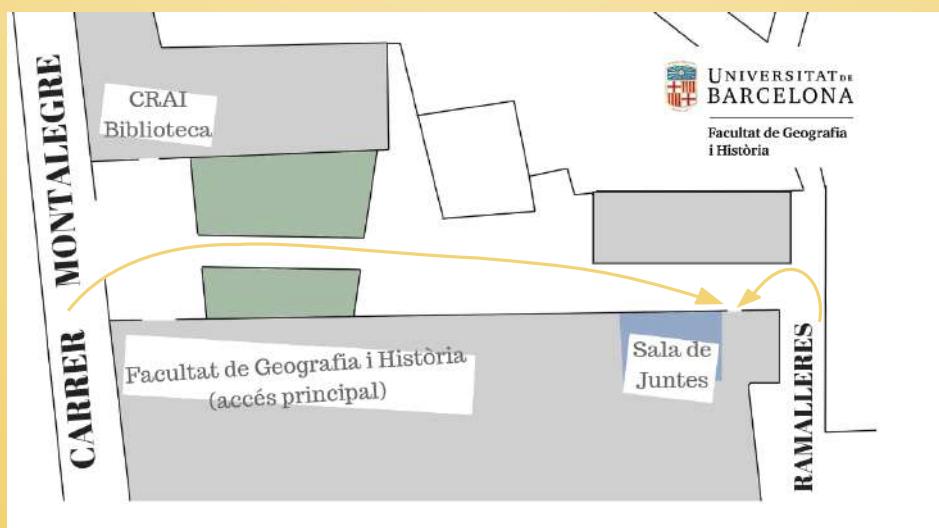
Discussant: **Antonio María Pusceddu**
- 16.00 – 16.30 *Coffee Break*
- 16.30 – 17.30 Concluding remarks: **Susana Narotzky, Natalia Buier and Doris Buu-Sao**

* Presentations whose titles are followed by an asterisk will be in Spanish.

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The workshop will take place in the Sala de Juntas of the Geography and History Faculty of the University of Barcelona, Carrer de Montalegre, 6, 08001 Barcelona.



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