The Venice World Multidisciplinary Conference on Republics and Republicanism  
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Venice International University  

Friday 11 June 2021  

9:30 am (CEST)  
First keynote: Quentin Skinner, Queen Mary University of London, *On so-called “republican” liberty and rights* (STREAM A)  
Chair: Oleg Kharkhordin, European University at St. Petersburg  

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15:15-16:45
Liberty and Equality
Chair: Sean Irving, University of Essex

Marijn Nohlmans, University of Cambridge, *Philip Pettit is a Liberal*


Camila Vergara, Columbia University, *Plebeian Liberty and Constituent Power*

Stream B

15:15-16:45
Republicanism and Race
Chair: Cécile Laborde, University of Oxford


Gaetano Marco Latronico, Università di Padova and Friedrich-Schiller-Universität-Jena, *The Color of Republicanism and the “Race” of Democracy. Rethinking Republicanism and Democracy from the Standpoint of the Haitian Revolution*

Alvaro Sottil, University of Michigan, *Republicanism, Civic Virtue, and Settler Colonialism: William Apess on Native Solidarity*

Saturday 12 June 2021

Stream A

9:15-10:45
Republicanism and the City
Chair: Oleg Kharkhordin, European University at St. Petersburg

Cristina Rosillo-López, Universidad Pablo de Olavide de Sevilla, *Was there a Political Memory of the Plebs in the Late Roman Republic?*

Pavel Lukin, Russian Academy of Sciences, *Republican Spaces of Medieval and Early Modern Novgorod and Pskov Through History*

Ferenc Hörcher, National University of Public Service, Budapest, *Urban Republicanism and the Tradition of the Italian City-States. The Legacy of Carlo Cattaneo*

Stream B

9:15-10:45
Socialist Republicanism: from Assembly Lines to Algorithms
Chair: Tristan Spillmann, University of Cologne

James Muldoon (with Paul Raekstad), University of Exeter, *How Algorithms Dominate*

Nicolai von Eggers, Kingston University London/Aarhus University, *The Republican Roots of Socialism: Radical Republicanism in France in the 1830s*

Lillian Cicerechia, Free University of Berlin, "Goodbye, Political Economy" Or, Diagnosing Critical Theory’s Neglect of Exploitation/Domination

Bruno Leipold, London School of Economics, *A German Res Publica: The Young Marx’s Republicanism*

11 am (CEST)
Chair: Camila Vergara, Columbia University
Stream A

13:30-15:00
Eco-Republicanism
Chair: Shaul Bassi, Università Ca' Foscari Venezia

Eze Paez, Pompeu Fabra University, *A Republic for All Sentients: Extending Pettit's Neorepublicanism to Nonhuman Animals*

Ashley Dodsworth, University of Bristol, *An Equal Agrarian Is a Perpetual Law: Reconsidering the Agrarian Laws*

Hana Fořtová, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, *Rousseau's Republican Theory and Nature: The Case of Corsica*

15:15-16:45
Republicanism and Representation in Contemporary Perspective
Chair: Quentin Skinner, Queen Mary University of London

Dario Castiglione, University of Exeter, *The Antinomies of Republican Representation*

Samuel Hayat, Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique–Sciences Po, *People's Republicanism: The Gilets Jaunes' Arguments against Political Representation*

Céline Spector, Sorbonne Université, *Republican Arguments for and against Representation*

Nadia Urbinati, Columbia University, *Reuniting Constitutional and Popular Politics*

17:00-18:30
Contemporary Challenges
Chair: Camila Vergara, Columbia University

Francisco Beltran, Munk School of Global Affairs & Public Policy, Toronto, *The Liberal-Republican Paradox in Switzerland*

Rodrigo Ribeiro de Sousa, University of Campinas, São Paulo, *Republicanism and Social Inclusion: an Analysis of the Brazilian Electoral System Based on Elements of Republican Theory*

Reid Kleinberg, University of Essex, *Two Discourses of Tyrannicide: the French Revolution and Mélémelon's 6th Republic*

Evgeny Roshchin, RANEPA, St Petersburg, *The Status of Universities in Russia: A Story of Corroded Liberty*

Stream B

13:30-15:00
Political Economy and Republican Freedom
Chair: Dorothea Gaedeke, University of Utrecht

Mirjam Müller, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, *Who Cares: Market Socialism and Social Reproduction*

Tom O'Shea, University of Roehampton, *Eugen Dela's Socialist Republicanism*

Tim Platenkamp, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, *The Political Economy of Socialist Republicanism*

15:15-16:45
Political Control of the Economic Sphere. Republican and Liberal Perspectives
Chair: Giovanni Zanalda, Duke University

Alan Thomas, University of York, *Utopianism About Work and Property-Owning Democracy*

Roberta Fischli, University of St. Gallen, *Digital Freedom through Data-Owning Democracy? Citizen Empowerment and Freedom as non-Domination*

Andreas Oldenbourg, Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities, *Political Control of Digital Platforms*

17:00-18:30
Anarchism and Republicanism
Chair: Oleg Kharkhordin, European University at St. Petersburg

Matthew Adams, Loughborough University, *Virtue, Valour, and the Militia in Anarchist Political Thought*

Ruth Kinna, Loughborough University, & Alex Prichard, University of Exeter, *Anarchy, Republicanism and the Oikos of World Order: the Case of Radical Routes Cooperative Federation*

Peter Seyferth, Fern Universität in Hagen, *A New Model Utopia for an Anarchist Republic*

Martin Miller, Duke University, *Republicanism and its Discontents: The Russian Anarchist Perspective*
Stream A

9:15-10:45
Democracy, Representation and Republican Procedures
Chair: Céline Spector, Sorbonne Université

Ulrich Metschl, University of Innsbruck, Fairness in Republican Procedures

Sergej Seitz, University of Innsbruck, On the Edge of Institutions: Free Speech between Isogoria and Parrhesia

Natalia Potapova, European University at St. Petersburg, Republicanism in Discipline and Political Practices of the Russian Legislative Commission, 1767

11:00-12:30
Republicanism, Rights and the Law
Chair: Frank Poulsen, University of Copenhagen

Sabrina Zucca, Helmut Schmidt University, Hamburg, Law and (Non)domination

Paolo Astorri, University of Copenhagen, Common Good and Private Rights in the first German Treatises on Public Law

Alexander Bryan, Tel Aviv University, Property and Non-domination

Stream B

9:15-10:45
Communitarian Republicanism in the Belles-Lettres: its Allies and Enemies
Chair: Shaul Bassi, Università Ca’ Foscari Venezia

Alan Coffee, King’s College London, Mary Shelley, Personal Ambition and the Vulnerability of Republican Institutions

Raphaël Lambert, Kansai University, Property in Toni Morrison’s Paradise

Nori Morita, Waseda University, Republicanism and Imperialism in Julius Caesar and Antony and Cleopatra by Williams Shakespeare and Enrico Guazzoni

Rieko Suzuki, Waseda University, The Republicanism of J. C. L. Simonde de Sismondi and his Romantic Heirs. A Case of Mary Shelley

11:00-12:30
Slavery and Colonialism
Chair: Thomas Reinhardt, Ludwig Maximilians Universität Munich

Thomas Ashby, European University Institute, Race, Slavery, and the English Republic

Ross Carroll, University of Exeter, An Ambiguous Heritage: Republican Argument in British Debates on the Abolition of the Slave Trade

Lina del Castillo, University of Texas, Austin, Mid-19th century Latin American Republicans fear the specter of popular Monarchists
Stream A

13:30-15:00
Who is ‘the Prince’? Republican Reflections on Power and Authority in International Law
Chair: John Martin, Duke University
Claudio Corradetti, Università di Roma Tor Vergata, The Solitude of Machiavelli’s New Prince
Sara de Vido, Università Ca’ Foscari Venezia, Who is the “Prince” in Contested Territories? The Role of the International and Regional Judiciary in Protecting Human Rights in Sovereignty-Based Complaints
Lieneke Slingenberg, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, Rights to Non-Domination in Human Rights Law

15:15-16:45
Citizenship, Inequality and Contemporary Republicanism
Chair: Luca Pes, Venice International University
Gordon Arlen, University of Amsterdam, Oligarchy and Democracy: A Normative Geography
Yuna Blajer de la Garza, Stanford University, Protest and Privilege: On the Unequal Means to Resist Domination
Will Levine, University of Goettingen, Radical Kantianism and Radical Republicanism: Imagining New Ideals
Natasha Piano, University of Chicago, Vilfredo Pareto: Neo-Republican against Liberal Plutocracy

17:00 (CEST)
Closing Roundtable & Open Meeting: Planning future initiatives (STREAM A)
Chair: Luca Pes, Venice International University

Stream B

13:30-15:00
Republican Beginnings: Independence and Nationbuilding
Chair: Ananya Vajpeyi, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi
Banu Turnaoğlu, University of Cambridge, Political crises and ideological battles on republicanism in the formative years of the Turkish Republic
Adam Fusco, University of York, Republican and Nationalist Conceptions of Citizenship: The Case of Irish Nationalist and Ulster Unionist Claims for Constitutional Self-Determination
Anna Meine, University of Siegen, Free Polities. Independence under Conditions of Interdependence?
Peterson da Silva, Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina, “I Assumed the Democratic Republic Would Achieve that Ideal, but I Was Wrong”: Challenging Brazil’s Nascent Republic with Anarchism

15:15-16:45
Radical Republicanism in the Americas
Chair: Camila Vergara, Columbia University
Arturo Chang, Northwestern University, Fellow at Williams College, Subverting Natures: Mestizo Republicanism and Cross-Ethnic Unity in New Granada
Lucien Ferguson, Northwestern Pritzker School of Law, Douglass, Republicanism, Caste: Theorizing Unequal Freedom in the Antebellum U.S.
Ely Orrego Torres, Northwestern University, The Construction of a Secularized Society in Nineteenth-century Latin America: The Case of the Chilean Republic