

Republics and Republicanism

Theory and Practice. Heritage / Present and Future Perspectives

Venice International University, 3-5 May 2019
(Isola di San Servolo, Venice)

Friday, 3 May 2019

Aula Magna

17:30 - Keynote Speech

Neo-Liberalism and Neo-Republicanism

Philip Pettit, Princeton University

Discussion

Welcome Reception to follow

Saturday, 4 May 2019

parallel sessions, four 15-minute papers in each, followed by 30 minutes of open discussion

Aula Magna

9:15-10:45 Theoretical Debate

Chair: Oleg Kharkordin, European University at St. Petersburg

Subjectivity in republicanism,

Sabrina Zucca-Soest, Humboldt University zu Berlin

Le concept du politique: une réponse républicaine à la pensée de la Realpolitik

Victor Kaploun, Higher School of Economics, Saint-Petersburg

Bringing France Back In. The Crisis of Hegemonic Republicanism Between Deconstruction and Rearticulation

Daniel Schulz, TU Dresden

Discussion

Room 1-G

9:15-10:45 Domination

Chair: Béla Kapossy, UNIL Université de Lausanne/ École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne

What is "Structural Domination"? Three Challenges

Tamara Jugov, Institut für Philosophie, Freie Universität Berlin

Mechanisms of control and domination: a critique of Philip Pettit's theory of legitimacy

Romina Frontalini Rekers, Argentina National Council of Scientific and Technical Research

Who Should Fight Domination? On Individual Responsibility and Structural Injustice

Dorothea Gädeke, Universiteit Utrecht

Group Freedom: Applying Individual Non-Domination to Groups

Kelly Tuke, University of Bern

Discussion

10:45 - Coffee Break

Aula Magna

11:00-12:30 Classical Republicanism: its Versions and Critique

Chair: Philip Pettit, Princeton University

Rome's past and Europe's future: Gibbon's 'Great Republic of Europe' versus Mueller's 'Bundesrepublik'

Bèla Kapossy, UNIL Université de Lausanne/École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne

Republican Constitutional Thought: Elitist and Plebeian Interpretations of the Mixed Constitution

Camila Vergara, Columbia University

Gaia as Shared Sovereignty: Lucretius on Foedera Naturae
Oleg Kharkhordin, European University at St. Petersburg

Discussion

Room 1-G

11:00-12:30 Freedom and Solidarity

Chair: Claudio Corradetti, Università Tor Vergata, Roma

Neorepublicanism as a Public Philosophy: Some Arguments for Freedom as Non-Domination

Doris Unger, JG Universität Mainz, and Jürgen Sirsch, Otto-Friedrich University Bamberg

Limiting the markets? Two republican approaches of regulation

Milan Pap, National University of Public Service Budapest

Solidarity as a Means of Realizing Republican Freedom
Andreas Busen, Universität Hamburg

Discussion

12:30 - Lunch Break

Aula Magna

13:30-15:00 Republicanism and Democracy

Chair: Andrew Hadfield, University of Sussex

Voting for Republicans. Realizing Republican Values in Electoral Procedures

Ulrich Metschl, University of Innsbruck

Republicanism and Egalitarianism: A Historical Perspective
Annelien De Dijn, University of Utrecht

Republics without publics: discussing Habermas's theory
Vincenzo Romania, University of Padova

Discussion

Room 1-G

13:30-15:00 Venice and Novgorod

Chair: Luca Pes, Venice International University

The ordini of Venice: a case study for Renaissance republicans

Giovanni Silvano, University of Padova

Republican music: Music in Venice 1550-1650
Dorit Tanay, Tel Aviv University

Republican Legends de origine: the Cases of Venice and Novgorod-the-Great

Pavel Lukin, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow

Discussion

15:00 - Break

Aula Magna

15:15-16:45 Early Modern

Chair: Dorit Tanay, Tel Aviv University

Good and Bad Republicans In Early Modern England
Andrew Hadfield, University of Sussex

Room 1-G

15:15-16:45 18th Century

Chair: Michèle Longino, Duke University

Constitutional ideas at the end of the republic: the Dutch Republic and Venice

Antonio Trampus, Ca' Foscari,

Koen Stapelbroek University of Helsinki/Erasmus University Rotterdam

*The Survival of Civic Ritual in 17th-century Republicanism
(Genoa, Venice, and Low Countries)*
Alessandro Metlica, University of Padova

*Democratic Republic as Kingdom of God. Religious-political
Republicanism of Spinoza*
Ki-myung Kim, Institute of Philosophy, Freie Universität
Berlin

*The Artists as Republican: Early Modern Respublica Literaria
and the Arts*
Tamar Cholcman, Tel Aviv University

Discussion

*Hungarian Noble Republicanism during the French Wars
(1792–1815)*
Agoston Nagy, National University of Public Service,
Budapest

Republicanism as a Global Project: a Kantian Perspective
Claudio Corradetti, University of Rome Tor Vergata

*The Sacred Republic. Political Jansenism and its Remaking of
the Church in the Age of Revolutions, 1780s–1830s*
Franz Leander Fillafer, Austrian Academy of Sciences

Discussion

16:45 - Coffee Break

Aula Magna

17:00-18:30 Visions by 18th-20th Century Intellectuals
Chair: **Norimasa Morita**, Waseda University

*Mary Wollstonecraft's Critique of Effeminacy through
Liberal Civility*
Dirk Schuck, Centre Marc Bloch Berlin

*Republicanism in Mary Shelley's Valperga and Robert
Browning's Sordello*
Rieko Suzuki, Waseda University

*„Menschenrepublik“ im Geiste der Brüderlichkeit? An
overview about Schillers notions of republic*
Viktoria Gisela Christina Walter, Alpen-Adria-Universität
Klagenfurt

*A Republic Beyond Reason: Hermann Cohen and Ernst
Cassirer on Prophetic Republicanism*
Asher Biemann, University of Virginia

Discussion

Room 1-G

17:00-18:30 Socialism
Chair: **Simon Levis Sullam**, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Towards a Socialist Republicanism,
James Muldoon, University of Exeter

*Marx's Social Republic: Radical Republicanism and the
Political Institutions of Socialism*
Bruno Leipold, European University Institute

*Land, Labour and Liberty: Social Republicanism in 19th
Century Britain*
Sean Irving, University of Manchester

Toward a History of the Russian Republics of 1917
Martin Miller, Duke University

Discussion

20:00 – Conference Dinner

Sunday, 5 May 2019

parallel sessions, four 15-minute papers in each, followed by 30 minutes of open discussion

Aula Magna

9:15-10:45 Slavery

Chair: Thomas Reinhardt, Ludwig Maximilians
Universitaet, Munich

*Slaves to individuals or slaves of the
community? Republicanism and the invisible chains of
domination*

Alan Coffee, King's College London

The Republic and the Factory

Stanislas Victor Richard, University of Yangon, Myanmar
(Burma) and Central European University, Budapest

*Ralph Ellison, the Dream of Diversity, and the Curse of
Property*

Raphaël Lambert, Kansai University, Osaka

*Republicanism and Wage Slavery: Domination, Private
Property, and the Role of the Market*

Nicholas Vrousalis, Leiden University

Discussion

Room 1-G

**9:15-10:45 Republicanism Beyond Western Europe?
China, Japan and Turkey**

Chair: Vera Costantini, Università Ca' Foscari of Venice

*The "Republican" moment in the History of Chinese
Political Thought*

Youngmin Kim, Seoul National University

*Enomoto Takeaki through the Looking Glass: the short-
lived Republic of Ezo in Kōbō Abe's Historical Novel*

Norimasa Morita, Waseda University

The Intellectual Origins of Turkish Radical Republicanism

Banu Turnaoğlu, University of Cambridge

Discussion

10:45 - Coffee Break

Aula Magna

11:00-12:30 Republican critique of present threats

Chair: Gustavo Piga, Tor Vergata University of Rome

In Defence of Rhetoric

Iain Hampsher-Monk, University of Exeter

On the Boundaries of Corporate Demoi

Andreas Oldenbourg, TU Dortmund University

Sanctuary Cities and Republican Liberty

Matthew Hoye, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam

*The historic-pragmatic Republicanism – Swiss
experiences and the current challenge of illiberalism*

Jörn Knobloch, University of Potsdam

Discussion

Room 1-G

11:00-12:30 Participatory Practices

Chair: Giovanni Zanalda, Duke University

*A challenge of being republican: three-dimensional
clashes around participatory budgeting in Russian cities*
Daria Dimke and Oleg Pachenkov, European University
at St. Petersburg

Contemporary Participatory Art

Angela Vettese, IUAV University of Venice

The False Promises of a Republican Basic Income

Orlando Lazar-Gillard, University of Oxford

Neo-republicanism and Labour law

Adalberto Perulli, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

Discussion

12:30 - Lunch Break

Aula Magna

13:30-15:00 Europe and its future

Chair: Shaul Bassi, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

*Unravelling the (hidden) nature of the European Union
as a Republic*

Sara De Vido, Ca' Foscari University, Venice

*Is Anti-Federalism and Republicanism the Way Forward
for the United States of Europe? Lessons from the XVIII
century American Debate*

L. Pecchi, G. Piga, D. Hong, Rome Tor Vergata

*Andrew Fletcher of Saltoun's Project for the Future of
Europe*

Giovanni Lista, Göttingen Universität

*We the People: The Prospects and Limits of a
Republican Model for the EU*

*Desmond Johnson, The Hague University of Applied
Sciences*

Discussion

Room 1-G

13:30-15:00 Republicanism: Contemporary Challenges

Chair: Iain Hampsher-Monk, University of Exeter

*Digital Companies and Citizens Under Threat:
Republican Values and Personal Data Ownership*

Roberta Leonie Claude Fischli, University of St. Gall

*Blockchain community as a new governance practice?
Founders' White papers, virtual agoras and cloud public
spaces*

Olga Bychkova, European University at St. Petersburg

Patriotism and Cosmopolitanism in Republican Theory

Szilárd János Tóth, Corvinus University of Budapest

Three Republican Justifications of Secession

Adam Fusco, University of York

Discussion

15:00 - Coffee Break

Aula Magna

15:15 - Open Meeting: planning future initiatives
