

Wednesday, 14th June 2023

18.00-22.00 Informal dinner/drinks for early arrivals* [Boot and Shoe](#)

Thursday, 15th June 2023

09.30-12.00 **PhD/Postgraduate workshop**
 Convenors: Hervé Corvellec, María José Zapata Campos, Patrik Zapata & Alison Stowell (Room – LUMS LT16)

12.00-14.00 **Registration & Lunch** (LUMS Reception Area and Breakout LT2 & 3)

13.45-14.25 **Welcome to Lancaster University Management School, OTB3, PhD workshop input:**
 Professor Katy Mason, Dr Alison Stowell, Dr María José Zapata Campos (Room – LUMS, LT01)

14.25-14.55 **Introductory keynote: Professor Josh Lepawsky (online)**
 “Scale, magnitude, indeterminacy: some ways they matter for acting on 'the bin'”
 Convenor: Professor Jutta Gutberlet (Room – LUMS, LT01)

14.55-15.10 Time to get to parallel tracks

Fraction 1 (Room – LUMS, LT01)
 Room Assistant: Sam Cusworth

Fraction 2 (Room – LUMS, LT14)
 Room Assistant: Victoria Frausin

Fraction 3 (Room – LUMS LT16)
 Room Assistant: Mark Ryan

15.10-16.25 **Theory (I): Temporality**

Plastic temporalities and the materiality of connection on Christmas Island
Saskia Abrahms-Kavuneko, Copenhagen University

From thin to thick relations with objects and materials: Constituting subjectivity through new foldings
Taru Lehtokunnas, Elina Närvänen, Tampere University

Tracing household waste: A practice theoretical approach
Ulla-Maija Sutinen, Tampere University

Convenor: Mathieu Durand

Governance (I): Circular Economy 1

A Welsh responsibility or an Irish opportunity? Interrogating contrasting policy discourses on the circular economy
Megan O'Byrne, Cardiff University

The policy landscape in Europe on electronics repair from a Social Practice Theory perspective
Magdolna Molnár, Brandenburg Technical University

Thinking with organic waste in place: Diverse economies, design and periurban futures in Sydney, Australia
Stephen Healy & Abby Mellick Lopes, Western Sydney

Convenor: Lucy Wishart

Behaviour/Practice (I): Households

Enlisting the work of boundaries and boundary objects in shaping apartment waste
Bhavan Middha & Ralph Horne, RMIT University

“Don’t blame us!” Centring the role of the household in plastic recycling policy
Helen Holmes & Torik Holmes, Manchester University

A taste for waste: Situating unsustainable consumption within practices & social structures
Alex Skandalis et al, Lancaster University

Convenor: Patrik Zapata

| | | | |
|--|---|---|---|
| 16.25-17.00 | Coffee/tea break and Waste safari instructions (LUMS Breakout LT2 & 3) Convenor: John Chweya, María José Zapata Campos, Marta Ferri | | |
| 17.00-17.15 | Time to get to parallel tracks | | |
| | Fraction 1 (Room – LUMS, LT01) Room Assistant: Sam Cusworth | Fraction 2 (Room – LUMS, LT14) Room Assistant: Victoria Frausin | Fraction 3 (Room - LUMS LT16) Room Assistant: Mark Ryan |
| 17.15-18.30 | <p>Theory (II): More than humans/multispecies post human</p> <p>Knowing-with plastics: How to deal with inorganic waste materialities in more-than-human ethnography <i>Alma Onali</i>, Tampere University</p> <p>The place of waste in the material factory of the Fab City. Biowastes and urban craftsmanship in the Poblenou District, Barcelona <i>Solene Tixadou & Cyria Emelianoff</i>, Le Mans University</p> <p>Wasting Trajectories and Ecologies in the Venetian Aquapelago <i>Francesca Guarnotta & Giovanni Lorenzi</i>, Ca' Foscari University of Venice</p> <p>Convenor: Alex Skandalis</p> | <p>Governance (II): Circular Economy 2</p> <p>Making the sewage sludge fertiliser use seamless <i>Linus Ekman Burgman</i>, Linköpings University</p> <p>The future of plastics and circular economy contexts <i>Marta Ferri</i>, Lancaster University</p> <p>Waste into wellbeing: The value of food in transition <i>Lenka Brunclikova & Duncan Pollard</i>, Lancaster University</p> <p>Convenor: Sarah Surak</p> | <p>Behaviour/Practice (II): Industries</p> <p>Since when does waste matter? Decision making in Brussels' real estate sector <i>Louise Huba</i>, Stephanie Van de Voorde, Ine wouters, Linoel Billet, Michael Ghyyoot, Vrije Universiteit Brussels</p> <p>Understanding latent tensions in a circular fashion business model <i>Mark Ryan</i>, Lancaster University</p> <p>Plastic packaging waste reduction in food supply chains: The role of supply chain stakeholders <i>Ghadafi Razak et al</i>, Lancaster University</p> <p>Convenor: María José Zapata Campos</p> |
| 18.30-18.40 | Walk to dinner | | |
| 18.40-21.00 | Dinner (pop-up) with the Larder – Kay Johnson MBE (Area - Furness Quad) | | |
| Friday, 16th June 2023 | | | |
| 09.00-09.35 | <p>Welcome back and keynote speaker: Dr Blanca Callén Moreu “Learning from repair communities: what (electronic) waste can teach design” Convenor: Dr Alison Stowell (Room – LUMS LT01)</p> | | |
| 09.35-09.45 | Time to get to parallel tracks | | |

| | Fraction 1 (Room - Mngt School LT01) Room Assistant: Sam Cusworth | Fraction 2 (Room - Mngt School Dormer LT14 WPA002) Room Assistant: Victoria Frausin | Fraction 3 (Room - Mngt School Robinson LT16 WPA019) Room Assistant: Mark Ryan | Fraction 4 (Room – Mngt School LT 03) Room Assistant: Alison Stowell |
|-------------|---|--|---|--|
| 09.45-11.00 | <p>Theory (III): In circulation</p> <p>Waste in circulation. Stefan Laser, Sven Bergmann, <i>Nicolas Schlitz</i>, <i>Yusif Idies</i>, University Bochum</p> <p>Beyond micro & macro: a multi-scalar approach to studying waste <i>Stylianos Zavos</i> & Olli Pyyhtinen, Tampere University</p> <p>Re-opening the circle: an interdisciplinary detour into circularity <i>Andrea Bortolotti</i> & <i>Dario Minervini</i>, Polytechnic of Milano & University Fedreico II Napoli</p> <p>Convenor: Nicolas Schlitz & Yusif Idies</p> | <p>Governance (III): Policies 1 & Practice</p> <p>Garbage-free cities as the new normal in India: A Critical Review <i>Devika Ganesan</i> & Prathibha Ganesan, Administrative Staff College (online)</p> <p>Digitalizing Waste Management Work. <i>Silvia Bruzzone</i> & Thomas Nyland, Mälardalen University & Effen (online)</p> <p>Governance practices of the grassroots initiatives involved in solid waste management: Does collaboration with local government matter? <i>Goodluck Charles Urassa</i> & Mesia Ilomo, University of Dar es Salaam Business School</p> <p>Convenor: Patrik Zapata</p> | <p>Behaviour/Practice (III): Labour</p> <p>Guns, gangs, and metal: The double-edged sword of protection inside Beirut’s scrap economies - <i>Elizabeth Saleh</i>, AUB</p> <p>Mapping waste labour in domestic spaces: Interrogating the politics of waste work in urban Kolkata, India <i>Rageshree Bhattacharyya</i>, South Asian Delhi (online)</p> <p>Unvalued and Unseen: Highlighting forgotten histories and contemporary realities of night soil workers. <i>Sally Cawood</i> & Pratik Mishra, Lancaster University</p> <p>Convenor: María José Zapata Campos</p> | <p>Management (I): Reuse</p> <p>Reusing façade components as a collective endeavour: collaborations in recent pioneering projects <i>Ruben Van Vooren</i> & <i>Esther Geboes</i>, VRIJE University of Brussels</p> <p>Soft toys are hard work: reuse and recycling through UK charity shops <i>Violet Broadhead</i>, Bristol University</p> <p>Labour of Pre-Loved: Promoting Reuse in a Linear Retail System <i>Lucy Wishart</i> et al, St Andrews</p> <p>Convenor: Clare Mumford</p> |
| 11.00-11.30 | Coffee/tea break (LUMS Breakout LT2 & 3) | | | |
| 11.30-12.45 | Fraction 1 (Room – LUMS, LT01) Room Assistant: Sam Cusworth | Fraction 2 (Room – LUMS, LT14) Room Assistant: Victoria Frausin | Fraction 4 (Room – LUMS, LT03) Room Assistant: Mark Ryan | |
| | <p>Theory (IV): Critique</p> <p>Waste as a posthumanist critique Olli Pyyhtinen, <i>Alma Onali</i>, <i>Ulla-Maija Sutinen</i>, <i>Niina Uusitalo</i>, <i>Stylianos Zavos</i>, Tampere University</p> <p>The Resourcification of Waste: A critique of heroic efficacy <i>Hervé Corvellec</i>, Lund University</p> | <p>Governance (IV): Policies 2</p> <p>Waste Management during the COVID crisis: Environmental objectives versus public hygiene concerns <i>Mathieu Durand</i>, Helene Beraud, Rebecca Oates & Frederic Gbedande, University Gustave Eiffel, University of France & Le Mans University</p> | <p>Management (II): Recycling 1</p> <p>Polyphony or cacophony? Exploring multiple stakeholder values and situated dialogues within the process of polymer recycling <i>Clare Mumford</i> et al, Lancaster University</p> <p>Fly tipping as a question of responsibility in highly regulated waste management systems</p> | |

| | | | | |
|-------------|---|--|---|---|
| | <p>Wasting generously. From a circular to a digestive logic <i>Lisa Doeland</i>, Radbound University</p> <p>Convenor: Alison Stowell</p> | <p>Financing solid waste management in Tanzania: Benchmarking to international best practices <i>Mesia Ilomo & Goodluck Charles</i>, University of Dar es Salaam Business School</p> <p>Convenor: Blanca Callen</p> | <p><i>Julia Perczel & Helen Holmes</i>, University Manchester</p> <p>Recyclers and recycled: path and challenges across the continents <i>Francisco Suarez</i>, Universidad Nacional de General Sarmiento</p> <p>Convenor: Lucy Wishart</p> | |
| 12.45-13.45 | Lunch (Mngt School Breakout 2 & 3) | | | |
| 13.45-14.15 | <p>Keynote speaker: Patrik Zapata “Local governments and waste - an elephantine problem, assumptions, and collaborative dreams” Convenor: Hervé Corvellec (Room – LUMS, LT01)</p> | | | |
| 14.15-15.00 | <p>Panel 1. Ocean Plastics: Practice, research, and policy Panellists: John Chweya, Lauren Munro-Bennett, Crispin Halsall, Alexandra Harrington Convenor: Marta Ferri (Room – LUMS, LT01)</p> | | | |
| 15.00-15.15 | Time to get to parallel tracks | | | |
| | <p>Fraction 1 (Room – LUMS, LT01) Room Assistant: Sam Cusworth</p> | <p>Fraction 2 (Room – LUMS, LT14) Room Assistant: Victoria Frausin</p> | <p>Fraction 4 (Room – LUMS, LT03) Room Assistant: Mark Ryan</p> | <p>Fraction 5 (Room – LUMS, LT16) Room Assistant: Alison Stowell</p> |
| 15.15-16.30 | <p>Theory (V): Ethics and Environmental Justice</p> <p>Waste as a disruption to unitary understandings of environmental justice (online) <i>Wang Kun</i>, Guangzhou Institute of Geography</p> <p>Interrogating the ‘ideological position’ of Clean India Mission <i>Avinay Yadav</i>, University of London</p> <p>Grassroots greening: Local Composting as fertile ground for challenging environmental injustice <i>Sarah Surak</i>, Salisbury University</p> | <p>Governance (V): Stakeholder Dynamics</p> <p>Waste as commons, towards a sustainable and just society within planetary boundaries <i>Patrik Zapata & María José Zapata Campos</i>, University of Gothenburg</p> <p>'Every small action helps towards the greater cause': Online communities scaling up community-led citizen science in addressing litter challenges in Scotland <i>Noleen Chikowore</i>, St Andrews University</p> | <p>Management (II): Recycling 2</p> <p>Branded waste: Chemical Recycling of Polyester in Japan <i>Katarzyna Cwiertka</i>, Leiden University</p> <p>Evolution of material salvage in demolition practices: A preliminary study on shifting trends in twentieth-century Brussels <i>Lara Reyniers, Stephanie Van de Voorde & Ine Wouters</i>, Vrije Universiteit Brussel</p> <p>Strategies for persistence under the absence of the rule of law: Learning from local recycling practices in the context of Lebanon. <i>Rita Nasr</i>, Henley Business School</p> | <p>Epistemologies (I): Framing & Methods 1</p> <p>What do landfills teach us? <i>Daniel Sosna</i>, Institute of Ethnology - Czech Academy of Sciences</p> <p>Knowing Styrofoam: Exploring the epistemology of a hyperobject <i>Niina Uusitalo</i>, Tampere University</p> <p>Circular Economy as infrastructural Change - Waste citizenship in the Bin <i>Teemu Loikkanen</i>, University of Lapland</p> |

| | | | |
|--|--|---|--|
| | Network of disaster waste management stakeholders: a case of the Roya Valley (South France) after storm Alex <i>Gaïa Marchesini & Helene Beraud, University Gustave Eiffel</i> | | |
| | Convenor: Lenka Brunclikova | Convenor: Ghadafi Razak | Convenor: Divya Joyti Convenor: Hervé Corvellec |
| 16.30-17.00 | Coffee/tea break (Mngt School Breakout 2 & 3) | | |
| 17.00-18.00 | Departure for Lancaster city centre and waste safari walk (coach departs from outside the main front of door of LUMS, please do not be late) Convenor: Marta Ferri, John Chweya, Dr María José Zapata Campos | | |
| 18.00-18.30 | Time to walk to dinner | | |
| 18.30-22.00 | Dinner – Kings Arms, Lancaster city centre (coach returns to Campus at 21:30 hrs) | | |
| Saturday, 17th June 2023 | | | |
| 09.00-09.35 | Keynote Speaker: Trisia Farrelly (online) “Ending plastic pollution and waste colonialism? Reflections on global plastics treaty negotiation” Convenor: Alison Stowell (Room – LUMS, LT01) | | |
| 09.35-09.45 | Time to get to parallel tracks | | |
| | Fraction 2 (Room – LUMS, LT01) Room Assistant: Victoria Frausin | Fraction 5 (Room – LUMS, LT16) Room Assistant: Mark Ryan | |
| 09.45-11.00 | Governance (VI): Working conditions Political (in)visibilities of waste infrastructure: An understanding through breakdowns and contestations <i>Advita Rajendra & Ankur Sarin, Indian Institute of Management (online)</i> “Treated like trash...?” – how management scholarship calls out the marginalisation of people in factories in the practice of codes of conduct but fails to address it in its own research <i>Divya Jyoti, Lancaster University</i> Public discontent: Mobilizing community resources against ExxonMobil’s oil and gas waste disposal at Haags Bosch sanitary landfill in Guyana <i>Kesha Fevrier, Queens University (online)</i> | Epistemologies (II): Framing & Methods 2 Value in architecture: Designing with waste <i>Simone Ferracina, Edinburgh University</i> Away from downstream waste management approaches: The heuristics of the metabolic perspective <i>Jeremie Cave & Yann-Philippe Sustainability Sciences, GET/IRD & Anthropology, LISST/CNRS (online)</i> The Relational Space Collage: Sea pet scenario and participatory plastic waste workshop Bricolage <i>Katarina Dimitrijevic & Robert Harland, Loughborough University</i> | |

| | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------|
| | Convenor: Marta Ferri | Convenor: Patrik Zapata |
| 11.00-11.30 | Coffee/tea break (LUMS, Breakout LT2 & 3) | |
| 11.30-12.05 | Keynote speaker: Manisha Anantharaman (online) “Recycling Class -The contradictions of inclusion in urban sustainability” Convenor: Lucy Wishart Room – LUMS, LT01 | |
| 12.05-12.50 | Panel 2. Waste work: Policy, research, and practice Panellists: Patrick O’Hare, Michael Rendon, María José Zapata Campos Convenor: Lucy Wishart (Room – LUMS, LT01) | |
| 12.50-13.35 | Fraction themes feedback, Waste Safari winners, closing of conference, next steps (Room – LUMS, LT01) | |
| 13.35-14.15 | Lunch (LUMS Breakout LT2 & 3) | |
| 14.15-14.45 | Coach to field trip visit to RELIC (Leaving outside the Management School – please do not be late) | |
| 14.45-17.45 | <u>Field Trip: RELIC</u> | |
| 17.45-18.15 | Return to Campus (Drop off, outside LUMS) | |
| 18.30 | Informal dinner* <u>Greaves Park Hotel</u> | |
| Sunday, 18th June 2023 | | |
| TBC | Day/Afternoon social for remaining OTBers* | |

*not included in conference fee

Italics = presenter