

POLICING OF/THROUGH FLOWS: NEW PERSPECTIVES

November 12-13, 2015

Le Méridien

1808 Sherbrooke Street West
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Thursday, November 12

The policing of flows of people and things

9 AM Welcome of the participants

9:30 AM Introductory presentation (Benoît Dupont)

Each presentation is 20 minutes long. A period of 40 to 60 minutes, animated by the chair, is allowed at the end of every roundtable for questions and discussion.

9:45 AM Roundtable 1: The policing of/through digital flows

Chair: Benoît Dupont

1. Policing, Delinquency and Digital Drift

Russell Brewer & Andrew Goldsmith – Flinders University, Australia

2. Policing Suspicious Financial Flows in Canadian Retail Banking

Vanessa Iafolla – University of Alberta, Canada

3. Reflexive adaptations: the regulation of urban flows and shifting public-order policing imaginaries

Adam Molnar & Chad Whelan – Deakin University, Australia

11:45AM-1:15PM Lunch Break (restaurant Branzino)

1:15 PM Roundtable 2: Policing flows of people

Chair: Karine Côté-Boucher

1. Questioning the unilateral policing of flows: the moral economy of negotiations on visa policies.

Nora El Qadim – Université de Namur, Belgium

2. Regulation of Cross-Border Law Enforcement: Policing Flows Regionally and Internationally

Saskia Hufnagel – Queen Mary University of London, United Kingdom

2:35-2:55 PM Coffee Break

2:55 PM Roundtable 2: Policing flows of people

Chair: Samuel Tanner

1. From Local Pluralism to Central Control and Back Again? Policing the flows of Electrons in South Africa

Jan Froestad, Øivind Jensen, Martin Nøkleberg – University of Bergen, Norway

Clifford Shearing - University of Cape Town, South Africa

2. A game of horns: The fluid interface between legal and illegal flows of rhino horn

Annette Hübschle – Max Planck Institute, Germany/University of Cape Town, South Africa

4:15 PM End of the first day

7 PM Supper : Europea – 1227 de la Montagne (514-398-9229)

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Friday, November 13

Law enforcement agencies and the policing of/through flows

9 AM Roundtable 4: Legal and operational considerations for (trans)national flows

Chair: Anthony Amicelle

1. Thinking about the flow of intelligence in police organizations

James Sheptycki – York University, Canada

2. 5EYES+ and Snowden: the visibilisation of the transnational flows of sensitive information by the guild of the transatlantic SIGINT agencies and their private partners

Didier Bigo – King's College, United Kingdom/Sciences-Po Paris, France

10:20 AM Coffee Break

10:40 AM Roundtable 5: The administration of flows by the police

Chair: Massimiliano Mulone

1. Shaped by Currents and Flows: The Evolving Form, Functions and Priorities of the Cape Verdean Police

Conor O'Reilly – University of Leeds, United Kingdom

2. Police Technology and the Intelligence Game: Exploring the social construction of 'intelligence' data

Carrie Sanders – Wilfrid Laurier University, Canada

12-12:15 PM Concluding remarks (Samuel Tanner)

12:15 PM Lunch - To be determined (not included)