



Programme of the 10th Annual IAS-STS Conference
 "Critical Issues in Science and Technology Studies"
 Graz, Austria, Schölgelgasse 2



Sunday, May 1, 2010

19:00	Casual pre-conference meeting of early arriving participants at "Eschenlaube"		
Monday, May 2, 2010			
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome Note Günter Getzinger (Managing Director of IAS-STS, Graz), Christine Wächter (Director of IFZ, Graz)		
9:15 – 10:00	Transdisciplinarity in sustainability studies: Theoretical debates – methodological challenges and empirically gained experiences Irmgard Schultz, Institute for Social-Ecological Research (ISOE), Germany Chair: Ulrike Seebacher (Meeting Room I)		
10:00 – 10:15	BREAK		
	Information and Communication Technologies 1 (Meeting Room I) Chair: TBC	The Concept of 'Heteronormativity' and its Methodological Implications (Meeting Room II) Chair: Torsten Wöllmann	Trans-disciplinarity in sustainability studies 1 (Meeting Room III) Chair: Sandra Karner
10:15 – 10:45	Issues of hierarchy and control built into the software's architecture Katja Schönian	Workshop (registration required)	The Problem Multiple – Constructing 'the Research Problem' in TD Project Contexts Ulrike Felt, Judith Igelsböck, Andrea Schikowitz, Thomas Völker
10:45 – 11:15	Informatized Work and its socio-cultural implications Caroline Roth-Ebner		Participatory modelling and sustainability research Barbara Smetschka, Viktoria Gaube
11:15 – 11:45	Technological visions and Open Government Data Axel Kittenberger		Responsivity as a transdisciplinary research principle Ulli Vilsmaier
11:45 – 12:15	Open source software development: "GNU communities" and the social face of ICT Rositsa Dikova		Integrating research and teaching by inter- and transdisciplinary case-studies Alfred Posch, Ralf Aschemann, Karin Dullnig, Karl Reiter, Ulrike Seebacher
12:15 – 13:30	LUNCH: Reception at Hotel Gollner hosted by the President of the Styrian Parliament, Ing. Manfred Wegscheider		
	Information and Communication Technologies (Meeting Room I) Chair: TBC	How do you manage? Unravelling the situated practice of environmental management 1 (Meeting Room II) Chair: Anna Schreuer	"Sustainable behavior at work and in private life" (Meeting Room III)
13:30 – 14:00	Trusting Diversity: Exploring Diversity-Based Recommendations in Research Judith Simon	Dimensions of Limits to Environmental Management: STS Reflections Ingmar Lippert	Final conference - in German (registration required)
14:00 – 14:30	An STS approach to the design of Online Reputation: The Assemblage Theory compared with current state-of-the-art Stefano De Paoli	Carbon as an Object of Management: Insights from an Offset Site Anup Sam Ninan	
14:30 – 15:00	Digital Civic Engagement among Anarchist Activists in Poland Lisiunia A. Romanienko	Environmental research and management rationalities - who figures whom? Niklas Hartmann	
15:00 – 15:15	BREAK		
	Energy and Climate: Organizations and Consumers (Meeting Room I) Chair: TBC	How do you manage? Unravelling the situated practice of environmental management 2 (Meeting Room II) Chair: TBC	"Sustainable behavior at work and in private life" (Meeting Room III)
15:15 – 15:45	Organizational development of renewable energy Marfuga Iskandarova	Making room for water. Managed-retreat as local practice Silvia Bruzzone	Final conference - in German (registration required)
15:45 – 16:15	Unbundling of District Heating Co-operations in Stockholm? Dick Magnusson	Rivers, reservoirs and riparians: The multiple dimensions of flood control Franz Krause	
16:15 – 16:45	Patterns of energy use in energy-aware households Lisa Bohunovsky, Sigrid Grünberger	'Environmental citizenship' in energy-related community projects Anna Schreuer	
16:45 – 17:15	Energy Poverty: a sociological case study in Austria Thomas Berger	A tale of Two Communities: Mutual and Overlapping, or Divergent and Confused? Gerald Aiken	
17:15 – 17:30	BREAK		
17:30 – 18:15	Socio-technical transitions towards sustainable energy systems - some conceptual issues Harald Rohrer, IFZ, Austria Chair: TBC (Meeting Room I)		

Tuesday, May 3, 2010

9:00 – 9:45	What can STS do for sustainability? Michael Ornetzeder, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria <i>Chair: Harald Rohrer</i> (Meeting Room I)		
9:45 – 10:00	BREAK		
	Ethical, Legal and Social Aspects of Agricultural Biotechnology 1 (Meeting Room I) <i>Chair: TBC</i>	Sustainable Consumption, Work and Private Life (Meeting Room II) <i>Chair: TBC</i>	Energy and Climate: Issues of Regional Development (Meeting Room III) <i>Chair: TBC</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Governing Agrobiotechnology in Developing Countries: the Case of South-East Asia Gloria Adduci	Sustainable consumption beyond the market Corinna Vosse	Transition to Bioenergy Systems in Transition Economies: Case of Ukraine Yuliya Voytenko
10:30 – 11:00	Policy impacts of ethical advisory bodies on the societal regulation of biotechnology Franc Mali, Toni Pustovrh, Blanka Groboljesk	Working within and beyond the market – Individual and societal recognition for sustainable work Linda Nierling	Urban batteries/incubators: recognizing and using the energetic potential of small urban and rural areas of Vojvodina region Ivan Simic
11:00 – 11:30	Balancing the Commercialization and ELSI of the Biopharmaceutical Innovation ShihHsin Chen, DuenKai Chen	Green work-life-balance – a new concept of promoting sustainable lifestyles Viola Muster, Ulf Schrader	Urban future on tria: Creative response(s) to climate change Aleksandra Stupar
11:30 – 13:30	LUNCH: Reception by the Mayor of Graz, Mag. Siegfried Nagl, in the City Hall, Hauptplatz		
	Ethical, Legal and Social Aspects of Agricultural Biotechnology 2 (Meeting Room I) <i>Chair: TBC</i>	Sustainable Consumption and Production (Meeting Room II) <i>Chair: TBC</i>	Issues of Inclusion and Exclusion in Web 2.0 1 (Meeting Room III) <i>Chair: Christine Wächter, IFZ</i>
13:30 – 14:00	Bio-Luddism: uneven diffusion and national context Franz Seifert	What does it take to be ecological? Luísa Reis de Castro	Informal learning with social media and its potential for a democratisation of education Anita Thaler
14:00 – 14:30	Discursive aspects of GMO risk policy in Latvia Zane Linde	Eco ideas – Way to sustainable future Katarina Knafelj	Reflecting the individual use of Web2.0 tools Jutta Pauschenwein, Anastasia Sfirin
14:30 – 15:00	Accessing Banked Treasure Michaela Theresia Mayrhofer	“Overcoming Leviathan”: Setting up alternative agro-food systems in Eastern Europe: network theory perspective Wojciech Goszczyński	Gender Struggles in Web 2.0 Tanja Carstensen
15:00 – 15:15	BREAK		
	Postersession (Meeting Room I) <i>Chair: TBC</i>	Trans-disciplinarity in sustainability studies 2 (Meeting Room II) <i>Chair: Ulrike Seebacher</i>	Issues of Inclusion and Exclusion in Web 2.0 2 (Meeting Room III) <i>Chair: Julian Anslinger</i>
15:15 – 15:45		Integrating research and stakeholder's perspective in research on alternative agro-food networks Sandra Karner, Nicoleta Chioncel	Towards a feminist ethics of knowledge modeling for the future Web 3.0 Corinna Bath
15:45 – 16:15		Trans-disciplinary Methods for Researching and Supporting Ecological Entrepreneurship Hart Nadav Feuer	Revitalizing East Asia's Old Virtue of Filial Piety in 21st Century Informational City On-Kwok Lai
16:15 – 16:45		A plea for the self-aware sustainability researcher Felix Rauschmayer, Tell Muenzing, Johannes Frühmann	
16:45 – 17:15		Integrated participatory development and assessment of new demand response technology Michael Ornetzeder	
17:15 – 17:30	BREAK		
17:30 – 18:15	Web 2.0 & Diversity: Gender and Technology in Action Heike Wiesner, Berlin School of Economics and Law, Germany <i>Chair: Anita Thaler</i> (Meeting Room I)		
18:15 – 18:30	Closing Remarks Günter Getzinger (Managing Director of the IAS-STs, Graz) (Meeting Room I)		
18:45	Departure to 'Buschenschank' – Reception of the Governor of Styria Mag. Franz Voves		

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