



DEMOLOGOS Valorisation Conference, Newcastle
Friday 16 – Saturday 17 November, 2007

Room 2.22, Research Beehive, Old Library Building (Level 2), Newcastle University
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Thu	Travel in
Fri-Sat	Working days
Sun	Travel out - Excursion

Participants: About 50

Day 1 – Friday 16th November, 2007

0845 Coffee and Welcome by Newcastle Team – Welcome words by Mr Tim Shaw, Head of APL School – Dr Ronan O’Brien (EC, DG Research, SSH)

0915 Session 1 - Chair: Flavia Martinelli
“DEMOLOGOS: Development Models and Logics of Socio-Economic Organization in Space” – Frank Moulaert

*The presentation will show the ‘DEMOLOGOS flow’ by introducing the research questions, the themes, the Workpackages, and the **relationships between** literature survey (ABC papers), theoretical syntheses (TSPs), and methodology for case-study analysis.*

0945 Discussants: Andy Pike, Marica Frangakis (15 min each)
 1005 General discussion

1045 Coffee / Tea

1115 Session 2 – Chair: Erik Swyngedouw
“The role of theory and meta-theory in studying socio-economic development models” – Bob Jessop (Presented by Erik Swyngedouw)

This paper/presentation will be based on the role of the TSPs and their synthesis/integration to deal with the DEMOLOGOS problematic. It will also explain how TSP (and synthesis) as meta-theory can be used in a flexible way according to the specific problematic and thematic foci of case-studies.

1145 Discussants: Ray Hudson - Odoardo Como
 1205 Discussion

1245 Lunch

- 1415 Session 3 - Chair: Frank Moulaert
“A methodology for empirical research on spatial socio-economic development. With illustrations from case-studies” – (Andreas Novy, Flavia Martinelli)

This paper/presentation will put forward the multiscalar methodological framework used for the Case-studies.

- 1500 Discussants: Beate Littig – Jenn-Hwan Wang
 1520 Discussion

1600 Coffee / Tea

- 1630 Session 4 – Chair: Frank Moulaert
“Case-studies, part 1: Pearl River Delta and London”
Brief introduction: a typology of case-studies (Flavia Martinelli)

Pearl River Delta (Ngai Ling Sum, Erik Baark)
London (Delphine Ancien, Frank Moulaert)

1730 End of working day

Dinner arrangements

Day 2 – Saturday 17th November, 2007

- 0900 Session 5 – Chair: Pasquale de Muro
“Case-studies, part 2: Reggio Calabria and Chicago”
Brief introduction: a typology of case-studies (Flavia Martinelli)
Reggio Calabria (Flavia Martinelli)
Chicago (Nik Theodore)

0945 Coffee

- 1015 **“Transreading the case-studies 1: Scalar accumulation, scalar politics”** – Erik Swyngedouw

The paper will test/illustrate the scalar dynamics as dealt with in ABC and TSP papers by way of a detailed ‘scalar reading’ of the case studies.

- 1045 Discussants: Abdel Hamdouch – Arantxa Rodriguez
 1100 Discussion
 1130 **“Transreading the case-studies 2: the tension between mainstream and alternative development: discourse, strategies and policy”** (Pasquale Tridico)

The paper will test/illustrate the tension between mainstream and alternative development (discourse, strategies and policy) in ABC and TSP papers.

1200 Discussants: Jim Segers – Stefano Prezioso – Pavlos Delladetsima

1220 Discussion

1330 Lunch

1415 Session 6 – Chair: Stuart Cameron

“Towards an alternative observatory for socio-economic development: Questions and suggestions to the panel” – Andreas Novy and Pasquale de Muro

This paper will serve as a starting point for the panel discussion at 1445.

1445 Session 7 – Chair: Ngai-Ling Sum

Panel debate on an alternative observatory for socio-economic development: Stuart Cameron, Albert Martens, Jenny Chan, Helga Leitner, Peter Taylor, Andreas Novy, Pasquale de Muro.
Followed by general discussion

1630 Future plans: Post-DEMOLOGOS (Andreas Novy)

1700 Closing words (Stuart Cameron)

1700 – 1900: Drinks for delegates in Courtyard Bar

[1700 -1830: DEMOLOGOS Partners meeting in GURU space, Claremont Tower]

1900 Social Dinner in Courtyard Restaurant