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International Seminar

“Human capital, wage labour and innovation in rural areas”

23-24 October 2015
Harokopio University of Athens

FRIDAY, 23rd OCTOBER

14.00-15.00 Registration

14:45-15.15 Welcome

Apostolos G. Papadopoulos, *Harokopio University of Athens, Greece*

Charalambos Kasimis, *Agricultural University of Athens, Greece*

15:15 - 17:00 Session I: Rural Change and mobilities

Chair: Jesús Oliva, *Public University of Navarre, Spain*

Pro-rural migration to remote rurality at stake: lifestyle, contributions, and difficulties. The case of ‘Las Batuecas-Sierra de Francia’ (Salamanca, Spain)

María Jesús Rivera, *University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU), Spain*

Ways of life and labour strategies in the Spanish rurality after the crisis. A comparative analysis of remote and peri-urban areas

Jesús Oliva, *Public University of Navarre, Spain*

Mediterranean Transhumances

Michele Nori, *European University Institute, Firenze, Italy*

Agrarization of migrant labor, rururbanization and internal mobility in times of crisis: a comparative analysis between Italy and Spain

Alessandra Corrado and Francesco Caruso, *University of Calabria, Italy*

17.00-17:30 Coffee break



17:30-19:30 Session II: International migration and labour precarity

Chair: Alessandra Corrado, *University of Calabria, Italy*

The making of vulnerability of migrant workers in agro-food commodity chain. The case of Murcia, Spain

Carlos de Castro Pericacho, *UAM, Spain*; Elena Gadea, *UMU, Spain*; Andrés Pedreño, *UMU, Spain*

Managing Seasonal workers in the agriculture sector in Italy and Spain. Legal mechanisms and promises of circularity

Gennaro Avallone, *Università Degli Studi di Salerno, Italy*; Ana María López-Sala, *Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC), Spain*; Yoan Molinero Gerbeau, *Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC), Spain*

The use of family and hired labor in Greek livestock farms in times of crisis

Athanasios Ragkos, Stavriani Koutsou and Vasiliki Lagka, *Alexander Technological Educational Institute of Thessaloniki, Greece*

Refugees and asylum seekers in rural areas: Policies and social dynamics in Southern Italy

Alessandra Corrado and Mariafrancesca D'Agostino, *University of Calabria, Italy*

Greek adversities and survival adjustment plans of migrants in the environment of continuing economic crisis

Charalambos Kasimis and Stavros Zografakis, *Agricultural University of Athens, Greece*

SATURDAY 24th OCTOBER

10.00 - 11.45 Session III: International migration and social conditions in rural areas

Chair: Mimmo Perrotta, *University of Bergamo, Italy*

Tomato harvesters in Southern Italy: Forms of Conflict and Resistance

Mimmo Perrotta, *University of Bergamo, Italy*

Migrant agricultural labourers and social conflict in the rural areas of southern Italy

Romain Filhol, *Université Paris Est, France / Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II, Italy*

Sexuality in global care-commodity chains: Gender and farm labour in the Italian green factories

Irene Peano, *University of Bologna, Italy*

Agriculture in Sicily. Labourers and peasants' voices in the representation of the rurality of the South

Martina Lo Cascio, *Università di Palermo, Italy*

The institutionalisation of seasonal workers' camps in the agricultural area of Saluzzo (Italy): a way to manage migrant labour?

Cristina Brovia, *University of Turin, Italy / Paris 1-Panthéon Sorbonne, France*



11.45 - 12:15 *Coffee break*

12.15 - 14.00 Session IV: Rural change, food and local development

Chair: Beatriz Izquierdo, *University of Burgos, Spain*

Social innovation at rural areas. The impact of new residents on a hyper-productivistic rural zone in Huelva, Southwest Spain

Beatriz Izquierdo, Jorge Ruiz, M^a Dolores Sesma and M^a Jesús Rivera, *University of Burgos, Spain*

Taking stock of 'mobility mix' in rural communities: Stances and perceptions of local economic development in two island rural communities (Greece)

Apostolos G. Papadopoulos, Loukia-Maria Fratsea, George Mavrommatis and Christos Chalkias, *Harokopio University of Athens, Greece*

A route to rural innovation? Changing cropping patterns and labour use in Harmanli village

Fatma Nil Doner, *Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey*

Human capital, creativity and local development: A study of "new" agrofood ventures in crisis-hit Greece

Sophia Skordili, *Harokopio University of Athens, Greece*

14.00 - 15.15 *Light lunch*

15.15 - 16.45 Session V: Innovation in rural areas

Chair: Alex Koutsouris, *Agricultural University of Athens, Greece*

Terroir 'tale of two glasses': localness vs. de-territorialization in Nemea and Basto wine regions

José Duarte Ribeiro, *University of Aveiro, Portugal*

Online farmers: Studying the information needs and internet seeking behavior in the agricultural sector

A. Souliotis, *Harokopio University of Athens, Greece*; P. Kostagiolas, *Ionian University, Greece*; G. Boskou, *Harokopio University of Athens, Greece*

The evolution of innovation thinking: implications for agricultural research, advisory services and higher education

Alex Koutsouris, *Agricultural University of Athens, Greece*

16.45 - 17:00 *Coffee break*



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17.00 - 18.00 Roundtable discussion

Participants:

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Mimmo Perrotta, *University of Bergamo, Italy*
María Jesús Rivera, *University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU), Spain*
Alex Koutsouris, *Agricultural University of Athens, Greece*

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