

PROGRAMME

10th MIDTERM CONFERENCE OF ESA-RESEARCH NETWORK 11 „SOCIOLOGY OF EMOTIONS“

August 31 – September 02, 2022

The Midterm-Conference will be hosted by the University of Hamburg, Germany, at the chair of Social Analysis and Social Change and is jointly presented by the DFG-Collaborative Research Center „Affective Societies“ at Freie University Berlin.

Format: hybrid event, access to all sessions locally and virtually possible

Venue: Sozialökonomie, Von-Melle-Park 9, 20146 Hamburg, Rooms: VMP9, S07, S08, S27

Website of the Midterm-Conference: <https://midterm2022.socemot.com>
* Please, notice all times are CET.

PhD Workshop: August 30th, 2022 (in person), S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room) with Swen Seebach (Universität Abat Oliba CEU) and Poul Poder (University of Copenhagen)

DAY 1 – Wednesday, August 31st 2022

9.00am: reception

9.15 – 9.45am

Opening of the Conference

Moderation: Elgen Sauerborn & Nina Margies
Opening Messages by Professor Cord Jakobeit, Dean of the Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences at Universität Hamburg & Dr. Yvonne Albrecht, Coordinator of the ESA-Research Network RN11
Room: VMP 9 (Hörsaal / Lecture Hall)
Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

10.00 – 12.00am

Panel 1: Emotions and Climate Change

Chair: Stina Bergman Blix

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Benjamin Thober: “When will we be heard?” Emotions and Subjectivation in Climate Activism
2. Åsa Wettergren, Karl Malmqvist & Carl Cassegård: Emotions and Time in Narratives of the Postapocalyptic Environment Movement
3. Matthew Stemp: Climate Change as Trauma Drama: Emotional Performances of ‘Climate’ Emergency’ and ‘Climate Justice’ in British Climate Activism
4. Karl Malmqvist: Avoiding the Hope to Avoid Collapse: Experiences and Practices of Emotional Deintegration Among Postapocalyptic Environmentalists

Panel 2: Theorizing Emotions, Feelings and Affects

Chair: Rotem Leshem

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2:

1. Catalina Ganga León: Understanding the Interrelations of Macro- and Micro-Level Aspects of Emotional Labour for the Elderly: Reflections from the German Case
2. Christian Helge Peters: Social Cohesion between Solidarity and Affinity
3. Tim Handick: Theorizing Emotions and Knowledge
4. Vanessa Schwenker: Trust, Vulnerable Emotions and Protective Practices in the Group Spaces

Panel 3: Emotions, Protest and Social Movements

Chair: Jonathan G. Heaney

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 3

1. Chris Day: The Rainbow Connection: Disrupting Background Affect, Overcoming Barriers and Emergent Emotional Collectives at ‘Pride in London’

2. Liv Halperin: Combining Emotions: Hope, Anger, Joy and Love in Israeli Peace Movements
3. Hizky Shoham: The Emotional (and Anti-Emotional) Scripting of Boycotts
4. Vito Giannini: Emotions and LULU mobilisations: how 'pleasure' can sustain protest?

12.00 – 13.30pm: Lunch Break

13.30 – 15.30pm

Panel 1: Emotions in Family and Intimate Lives I

Chair: Cécile Vermot

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Silke Ohlmeier: As a Mum You Never Get Bored? A Sociological Approach to Maternal Boredom During Parental Leave
2. Markus Klingel: Me or We? Aging Couples and the Tension Between Autonomy and Belonging
3. Sandra Fiedler: An Integrated Theory of Indebtedness
4. Poul Poder: What's Love to Do With It? Synthesizing Micro-Sociological Theory to Capture Love Practices in Contemporary Personal Life

Panel 2: Variations of Emotion Work and Management

Chair: Maja Sawicka

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Franziska Veit: Emotion / Failure: Emotion Work Live and on Stage
2. Nina Margies: Making Sense of Change: Emotive-Cognitive Reframing
3. Yvonne Wechuli: Disabling Affect. Material Consequences of Ableist Feelings between Violence, Medicalisation, and Emotion Work.
4. Marcel Sebastian: Emotional Neutrality as a Work Requirement in the Slaughterhouse

Panel 3: Collective Emotions I

Chair: Iveta Kešāne

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link Room 3

1. Rotem Leshem: So much cringe: The diffusion of a Globally Mediated Affect in Israeli Middle-Class Culture
2. Mary Holmes: Feeling Fluctuations? How Has Emotional Reflexivity Changed?
3. Cecilia Y. Nordquist, Alessandra Minissale & Stina Bergman Blix: Emotional Communities in the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Collaborative Auto-Ethnographic Approach
4. Elgen Sauerborn & Nina Sökefeld: Paradoxes and Specious Promises: An Ethnography of Mindfulness Classes

15.30 – 15.45pm: Coffee Break

15.45 – 17.15pm

Panel 1: Collective Emotions, Identity and Protest

Chair: Manuela Beyer

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Ali Teymoori: The Role of Emotions in Models of European Identity
2. Moti Gigi: The Moroccan Ziara: An Exhibition in Jerusalem as a Liminal Jewish and Muslim Space
3. Ahmet Ferhat Özkan: How Hope Created a New Nation-State: Transforming the 'Philosophy of Hope' of Turkish Nationalism to a 'Sociology of Hope'

Panel 2: Politics of Emotions

Chair: Nina Margies

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Pınar Yıldız: The Politics of Emotions and Memory: Turkishness, Mourning and Melancholia in Turkish Cinema
2. Jonathan G. Heaney: Beyond Belief: On the Emotional Basis of Political Legitimacy

3. Monika Verbalyte: Emotions and Political Polarization in Europe: Anger, Fear, Contempt and Social Resentment

Panel 3: Emotions and Gender

Chair:

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 3

1. Esra Sarioglu: An Account of Embodied Life in Global Era: Emotions and Gender in Turkey
2. Yavuz Yavuz & Cansu Okan: A „Volleyball Country?“ Ecstatic Nationalism and National Identity Through Women’s Volleyball in Turkey
3. Hannah Helseth: Ordinary Meets Extraordinary: Emotional Work in Interpersonal Violent Relationships

17.15 – 17.30pm: Coffee Break

17.30 – 19.00pm

Keynote: Sighard Neckel: Grudge – “The Emotional Side of Resentment”

Abstract:

Due to the rise of radical right-wing movements and the political flourishing of conspiracy myths, sociology in recent years has increasingly focused on the functioning of resentment. However, little attention has been paid to the fact that resentment is not only a specific attitude, but is also accompanied by typical emotions. Grudge is that emotional side of resentment and forms the affective ground of resentful attitudes. In my keynote, grudge will be explained in its phenomenological characteristics, its emotional structure, its historical changes and its current social and political significance.

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DAY 2 – Thursday, September 1st 2022

10.00 – 11.30am

Keynote: Olga Sabido Ramos – “Emotions and Senses: Experiences, practices, and sensory networks”

Abstract:

The main purpose of this paper is to present a theoretical-methodological approach with particular emphasis on emotions and senses. Although the sociology of the body (Turner, 1989) and the sociology of emotions (Flam, 2012; Bericat, 2016) have traveled parallel paths, their trajectories have separated, and it is not always clear how it is possible to relate them methodologically. However, I propose that in the field of sensory studies (Howes, 2014), a bridge can be established that convincingly links senses and emotions with significant analytical potential. In this talk, I will emphasize the articulation between senses and emotions from the field of the sociology of the senses (Simmel, 2009; Vannini et al., 2012), and particularly from three analytical levels and their respective methodological resources: experience, practices, and sensory networks between human and non-human entities. I will recover some research findings I have carried out about the urban sensory experiences in my context, Mexico City.

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11.30 – 11.45am: Coffee Break

11.45 – 12.30pm

Meet the Editors of our Journal “Emotions and Society“

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Link: Conference Room 1

Everyone is welcome to join!

Chair: Editors: Mary Holmes & Åsa Wettergren

12.30 – 14.00pm: Lunch Break

14.00 – 15.30pm

Panel 1: Migration, Exclusion and Emotion

Chair: Gözde Cöbek

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Mei-Chen Spiegelberg: Making Cultural Differences: Emotions in Positioning
2. Eunike Piwoni: Studying Affective and Emotional Dimensions of Experiences of Ethnoracial Exclusion
3. Yvonne Albrecht, Natàlia Cantò Milà & Swen Seebach: The Circulation of Emotions in Media Discourses on Refugee Movements: Reports from the Syrian and the Ukrainian Wars

Panel 2: Emotions and Digitalisation

Chair:

Room: S08 (Seminarroom / Seminarraum)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Käthe von Bose: Feeling Connected Online? *Doing Exclusivity* in Women's Clubs during the Pandemic
2. Melanie Piser: Digital Participation as an Approach for Empowering Marginalized Groups
3. Maja Sawicka: Managing Fear Through Digital Interactions: The Construction of Local Emotion Norms Regarding COVID-19 Pandemic in an Online 'Contestation Community'

Panel 3: Emotions in Family and Intimate Lives II

Chair: Rotem Leshem

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 3

1. Katrine Weiland Willaa: A Study of Children's Emotional Experiences in Their Transition From Kindergarten to Primary School
2. Kailing Xi & Yunyun Zhou: Familial Nationalism Deploying Emotion to Evoke Family-Nation Sentiment in Xi's China
3. Alessandro Pratesi: Transnational Acts of Family, Emotions and Social Change

15.30 – 15.45pm: Coffee Break

15.45 – 17.45pm

Panel 1: Collective Emotions, Politics and the State

Chair: Natàlia Cantó-Milà

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Mikko Salmela & Christian von Scheve: Collective Ressentiment
2. Hanna Muhlenhoff, Rosa Sanchez Salgado & Andrew Telford: Emotions and the Shaping of European Union's Climate Change and Defense Policy
3. Iveta Kešāne: National Pride and the Insecure Social Bond Between People and their State: The Socio-Emotional Context of National Identity in Post-Soviet Neoliberal Latvia
4. Jogilė Ulinskaitė & Monika Verbalyte: Invoking Feelings of Pride and Inferiority in Narrating Lithuania's Post-Communist Transformation

Panel 2: Researching Emotions I

Chair: Elgen Sauerborn

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Heike Greschke: Put Your Foot in Your Mouth! The Epistemic Value of Unpleasant Feelings in (Auto-)Ethnographic Research
2. Stina Bergman Blix: Exploring Invisible Emotions
3. Manuela Beyer: Affective Dynamics in Qualitative Interviews: A Micro-Sociological Approach to Affective Methodology
4. Lars Wicke: Affect as Method. Social Research and the Relationship Between Researchers and Phenomena Observed

Panel 3: Labour Market, Workspace and Emotions

Chair: Alessandro Pratesi

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference-Room 3

1. Sarina Parschick: Shame, Identity, and Social Order – Re-Positioning in Narrative Interviews in Contexts of Work and Care
2. Vladimir Mentus: The Gender Gap in Emotional Well Being Testing the Moderating Effect of Gender Equality
3. Stephanie Beyer & Andreas Schmitz: Fear and Loathing in Academia: Subtle Mechanisms of Symbolic Domination in the Academic Field
4. Veronica Vassbotn: The Emotional Costs of Managing Workplace Bullying

17.45 – 18.00pm: Break

18.00 – 19.00pm

Business Meeting

Nina Margies, Rotem Leshem, Natàlia Cantó-Milà, Cécile Vermot

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Link: Conference Room 1

Everyone is welcome to join!

20.00pm: Joint Dinner

Restaurant Hobenköök, Reservation was necessary in advance

DAY 3 – Friday, September 2nd 2022

10.00 – 12.00am

Panel 1: Emotions, Institutions and Organisations I

Chair: Käthe von Bose

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Link: Conference Room 1

1. Charlotte Renda: The Organization of Cooling Out Processes: Organisational Structures and Emotional Stabilisation Work in Outplacement Counseling
2. Nina Hossain: ‚Team Spirit‘ in the Gaming Industry: How Emotions Become Relevant in Organisations
3. Diana García Catena: The Limits of Commodified Intimacy: Informal Rules of Personnel-Customer Interaction in the Hospitality Industry
4. Maja Herstad: Emotions as Important Results in Gender Equality and Diversity Work in Companies

Panel 2: Collective Emotions II

Chair: Nina Margies

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Özlem Savas: Telling Loss: Collective Feelings, Traveling Stories and Relationalities of Post-Gezi Migration From Turkey
2. Daniel Eilwanger: A Catholic Feeling? Emotion as Media of Health and Devotion
3. Gavin Brent Sullivan, Chris Day & Zsófia Hacsek: Enacting Solidarity, Ritual and Collective Emotions in a Black Lives Matter Protest: An Affective Practices and Virtual Reality Analysis
4. Güneş Ertan & Batuhan Eren: Emotions and Collective Action: Diffusion in Social Networks and Biographical Outcomes

Panel 3: Migration and Emotions

Chair: Eunike Piwoni

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 3

1. Léo Manac'h & Claire Leinot: Cure or Be Cured as a Foreigner in France: Discouragement Politics
2. Zuzana Ringlerova & Jan Krotký: Does Empathetic Communication Lead to More Positive Attitudes Toward Immigrants?
3. Margherita Cusmano: Bitterness, Resentment and Pride: The Rejection of Legal Inclusion Among Italian Second-Generation Return-Migrants
4. Nagehan Tokdogan: Collective Pride and Erdoganism of Turkish Migrants in Germany

12.00 – 13.15pm: Lunch Break

13.15 – 15.15pm

Panel 1: Emotions, Institutions and Organisations II

Chair: Christian von Scheve

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Stefan Jürss: The Activating Social State and the Perception of Injustice – on the Role of Emotions. A Case Study of German Welfare Recipients
2. Alessandra Minnisale: Scrutinizing Gut Feelings: Emotional Reflexive Practices in Italian Courts
3. Tirthankar Chakraborty: 'Pedagogy of Fear': An Ethnohistorical Study of the Institutionalisation of Fear to Create a Subservient Citizenry
4. Tabea Louis: Sensing Evidence- Dogs Contributions to Police Knowledge

Panel 2: Covid-19 and Emotions

Chair: Cécile Vermot

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Aldana Boragnio & Andrea Dettano: Between the Image and the Word: Food Practices and Emotions in Soup Kitchens of La Matanza and General Pueyrredón (Argentina) in Pandemic Contexts
2. Lisa Smith: Solidarity and Social Conflict: Carer Emotions in Times of Crisis
3. Gengfan Chen: Looking Inward or Blocking Out: Dealing With Bursts of Emotions During the COVID-19 in a Foreign Country
4. Alessandra Polidori, Adrian Scribano & Lorenzo di Tomasso: Young Sicilian People Face the Covid-19: Experiences and Sensitivities in Relation to their Families in the Context of Isolation

Panel 3: Researching Emotions II

Chair: Mikko Salmela

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 3

1. Minna K. Ruokonen-Engler: Doing Biographical Research: From Mediated Affective Encounters to Emotional Remembering
2. Julie Brownlie: Telling Good Stories
3. Merete Monrad: Anger and Community: Using Anger to Build Solidarity
4. Amanda Ptolomey: Encountering the Emotional Landscape of Disablement with Young Disabled Women Using Zine-Making as Creative Mode of Inquiry

15.15 – 15.30pm: Coffee Break

15.30 – 17.00pm

Panel 1: Emotions and Climate Change II

Chair: Åsa Wettergren

Room: S07 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 1

1. Ewoud Vandpitte: Hope and Interaction Rituals in the Belgian Climate Movement
2. Anna Clot-Garell: Climate Futures in Action: The Effects and Affects of Imagining the Disaster
3. Svetlana Fork: How Environmental Activists Negotiate a Sense of Hope in the Face of Global Threats – A Grounded Theory Study

Panel 2: Emotions in Digital Spaces

Chair: Nina Margies

Room: S08 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference Room 2

1. Gözde Cöbek: „Sikinti Var“: The Relationship Between Ordinary and Intimate Lives, Heterosexual Individuals and Dating Apps
2. Viktoria Rösch: Political Influencers, the New Emotional Workers?
3. TaoYi Yang: Affective Treatment: Understanding Contemporary Well-Being Practices in Digital Spaces

Panel 3: Emotions in Film and Media

Chair: Nina Sökefeld

Room: S27 (Seminarraum / Seminar Room)

Zoom-Link: Conference-Room 3

1. Zeynep Baykai & Aleks Matosoğlu: Shaping Emotions in Media Coverage: Discourse Analysis of Web-Based News in Turkey
2. Merve Betül Üçer: A Discursive Analysis of Class Shame at the Intersection of History, Emotions and Media
3. Kailing Xi & Yunyun Zhou: Gendering National Sacrifices. The Making of New Heroines in China's Counter-Covid-19 TV Series

17.00pm: End of the RN11 Midterm-Conference 2022