

DECEMBER 6TH-7TH, 2019

Consumption, Gentrification, *and the* New Colonialism

XI ANNUAL CONFERENCE

FUA-AUF | *Florence University of the Arts - The American University of Florence*
SBU | *Stony Brook University - The State University of New York*



Friday, Dec 6th

GABINETTO SCIENTIFICO
LETTERARIO G.P. VIEUSSEUX
Sala Ferri, Piazza degli Strozzi 1

8:30 am – 9:15 am
REGISTRATION
& WELCOME COFFEE

9:30 am – 10:45 am
INAUGURATION
AND OPENING REMARKS
EUGENIO GIANI
President of the Tuscan Regional Council

LEONARDO BASSILICHI
President of the Chamber of Commerce of Florence

LUCA PEDOCCHI
FUA-AUF Provost

MARCO DI MANNO
FUA-AUF Academic Conference Coordinator

10:45 am – 11:15 am
KEYNOTE SPEECH: A FIFTH-
WAVE OF GENTRIFICATION?
PLATFORMS, RENTIERS AND THE
SHORT-TERM CITY
GIOVANNI SEMI
*Associate Professor
Dept. Culture, Politics and Society
Sociology and Urban Culture
University of Turin*

11:15 am – 11:30 am
COFFEE BREAK

11:30 am – 1:00 pm
PANEL ONE
THE TUSCAN REGION
AND TERRITORY PLANNING
ALDO IANNIELLO
*Director for Urban Planning and Housing Policies
Tuscan Regional Executive Committee*

THE COLONIZATION
OF PUBLIC SPACE
KEVIN D. MURPHY
Vanderbilt University

SALLY O'DRISCOLL
Fairfield University

PALAZZO BOMBICCI
GUICCIARDINI STROZZI
Sala Rosa, Corso dei Tintori 21

1:30 pm – 2:30 pm
LUNCH BREAK | FUA-AUF LIBRARY

2:30 pm – 4:00 pm
PANEL TWO
FROM RUST BELT TO PURE
MICHIGAN: THE NEW INNER CITY
AND WHAT WAS LEFT BEHIND
RYLAN SHEWMAKER
Calvin University

A TALE OF TWO CITIES:
GENTRIFICATION, COLONIALISM
AND THE NEW DETROIT
CHRISTOPHER T. GULLEN
Westfield State University

GENTRIFICATION ON THE
BROOKLYN WATERFRONT
KURT SCHLICHTING
Fairfield University

GENTRIFICATION: THE THEFT
OF SPACE
LUCIA TOZZI
Journalist

4:00 pm – 4:15 pm
COFFEE BREAK | FUA-AUF LIBRARY

4:15 pm – 5:00pm
PANEL THREE
FUA-AUF STUDENTS
COORDINATED BY COURSE
FACULTY

COURSE: MASTERS OF ARCHITECTURE
Lucia Giardino

COURSE: PROJECT FOR SUSTAINABLE
INTERIOR DESIGN II
Alberto Morselli – Giulio Vinci

COURSE: INRODUCTION TO STREET
PHOTOGRAPHY
Marco Gualtieri

5:00 pm – 6:00 pm
PANEL FOUR
THE NEXT BUILDING
CONSTRUCTION NECESSITY -
RESILIENCY
ORLA SMYTH LOPICCOLO
Farmingdale State College, SUNY

MORPHOLOGICAL ELUSIVENESS
OF MALIGNANT LATE-STAGE
NEOCOLONIALISM: THE
TRIPARTITE EPIDEMIC OF
GLOBALIZATION, MASS
TOURISM,AND CONSUMPTION AS
ETHOS
CONNOR MALEY
Writer and Translator

Saturday, Dec 7th

PALAZZO BOMBICCI
GUICCIARDINI STROZZI
Sala Rosa, Corso dei Tintori 21

9:00 am – 9:30 am
REGISTRATION

9:30 am – 11:30 am
PANEL FIVE
TOURISM IN FLORENCE AND
OTHER EUROPEAN CITIES
BETWEEN OPPORTUNITIES AND
NEGATIVE EXTERNALITIES
CECILIA DEL RE
*Member of the Florence City Executive Board for
Urban Planning, Environment, Urban Agriculture,
Tourism, Fairs and Congresses, Technological
Innovation, Information Systems*

TOTO ERRAS VIA: THE EFFECTS
OF GENTRIFICATION ON
HISTORICAL VIARY SYSTEMS -
THE CASE OF FLORENCE
GIOSUÈ PREZIOSO
FUA-AUF

“REFUGEES WELCOME,
TOURISTS GO HOME”
ESTHER ROMEYN
University of Florida

RECONCEPTUALIZING SOCIAL
MOBILITY AND URBAN
SPRAWLING: A WELFARE STATE
RESPONSIBILITY?
DAVIDE ORSITTO
Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa

11:30 am - 11:45 am
COFFEE BREAK | FUA-AUF LIBRARY

11:45 am – 1:30 pm
PANEL SIX
IS THE SCENT
OF TRAVEL TIME LOST?
NICOLETTA SALOMON
FUA-AUF

IS TIME TRAVEL POSSIBLE?
ANDREA MANCINI
FUA-AUF

GENTRIFICATION
AND SHORT-TERM RENTALS:
RE-ASSESSING THE RENT GAP IN
URBAN CENTERS
MEHMET CANSOY
Fairfield University

1:30 pm – 2:30pm
LUNCH BREAK | FUA-AUF LIBRARY

2:30 pm – 4:30 pm
PANEL SEVEN
FUA-AUF STUDENTS
COORDINATED BY COURSE
FACULTY

COURSE: GLOBAL ECONOMY:
HISTORY AND EVOLUTION
Andrea Giuntini

COURSE: ART, FOOD, FASHION, AND
WINE: CREATIVE
ADVERTISING OF ITALIAN
DESTINATIONS
Rosaria Parretti

COURSE: STYLE AND THE CITY:
FLORENTINE FASHION WALKS
Sandra Nannini

5:00 pm – 5:30 pm
PANEL EIGHT
COCOA AND GENTRIFICATION -
PRESENTATION AND TASTING
SIMONE DE CASTRO
FUA-AUF

