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Auditorio da Reitoria
University of Coimbra
International
Colloquium



PRESENTATION

This colloquium is part of the activities in celebration of the 30th anniversary of CES. The goal of this international colloquium on law and justice is to reflect on one of the most relevant and broader issues of contemporary sociology of law: human rights and global justice. The focus is on the major challenges facing the liberal and Western paradigm of human rights and global justice in the light of collective struggles for equality and for recognition of difference. The North-South relations are another focus of the colloquium, with special attention on the struggles and debates taking place in the European, Latin-American, Caribbean, and African contexts.

REGISTRATION

<http://www.ces.uc.pt/humanrightscolloquium/pages/registration.php>

PROGRAM

NOVEMBER 27TH, 2008 | THURSDAY

9:30 – 10:00 | Opening Session

José Conde Rodrigues, Adjunct Secretary of State and of Justice

Fernando Seabra Santos, Rector of the University of Coimbra

Boaventura de Sousa Santos, General Director of the Center for Social Studies

José Manuel Mendes, President of Scientific Committee of the Center for Social Studies

10:00 – 10:45 | Inaugural lecture Human rights in light of the challenges of social inequality and cultural diversity

Boaventura de Sousa Santos, Centro de Estudos Sociais

10:45 – 11:00 | Coffee-break

11:00 – 12:30 | Session I The rights to the sustainability of the ways of life and ethics: the North-South relations

Moderator: Catarina Frade, CES

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9:30 – 11:00 | Session V – Violence against women and human rights

Moderator: Madalena Duarte, CES

Presenters:
Kamala Kempadoo, York University

Maria José Magalhães, University of Porto

Commentator: Cecília Santos, CES

11:00 – 11:15 | Coffee Break

11:15 – 12:45 | Session VI – Children's rights: challenges to human rights

Moderator: Catarina Trincão, CES

Presenters:
Manuel Jacinto Sarmiento, University of Minho

Teresa Picono Novales, University of Zaragoza

Commentator: João Pedroso, CES

12:45 – 14:15 | Lunch

14:15 – 15:45 | Session VII - Racism, discrimination, and the right to cultural diversity

Presenters:
Issa Shivji, University of Dar es Salaam

Nelson Maldonado Torres, University of California,
Berkeley

Commentator: Clemens Zobel, CES

12:30 – 14:00 | Lunch

14:00 – 15:30 | Session II
The “new” fundamental rights to the city and to health

Moderator: Giovanni Allegretti, CES

Presenters:
Edesio Fernandes, University College London

António Arnaut, Attorney

Commentator: João Arriscado Nunes, CES

15:30 – 15:45 | Coffee-break

15:45 – 17:15 | Session III
The right to labor with rights

Moderator: Virginia Ferreira, CES

Presenters:
Alain Supiot, University of Nantes

Nicola Piper, University of Wales Swansea

Commentator: António Casimiro Ferreira, CES

17:15 – 17:30 | Coffee-break

17:30 – 19:00 | Session IV
Human rights and new paradigms of (inter)national security/violence

Moderator: Conceição Gomes, CES

Presenters:
Wladimir Brito, University of Minho

José Manuel Pureza, CES

Commentator: Maria Raquel Freire, CES

Moderator: Paula Meneses, CES

Presenters:
David Theo Goldberg, University of California, Irvine

Shirley Tate, University of Leeds

Commentator: Marta Araújo, CES

15:45 – 16:00 | Coffee Break

16:00 – 17:30 | Session VIII – Legal pluralism and human rights: dialogues among different conceptions of justice

Moderator: Cecília Santos, CES

Presenters:
José Geraldo de Sousa Júnior, University of Brasília, Brazil

Mathias Thaler, CES

Commentator: Leonete Botelho, Jornal Público

17:30 – 17:45 | Coffee Break

17:45 – 18:30 | Closing Session

Boaventura de Sousa Santos, General Director of the Center for Social Studies

Jorge Lacão, Secretary of State of the Presidency of the Counsel of Ministers

Coordenador Científico: Boaventura de Sousa Santos

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