# On the (Im)Possibility of Conceptualizing Social Change in Eastern Europe

# Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, 14-16.11.2024

#### Lecture room on 6. Floor

### 14.11.2024

### 1. Reconceptualizing the Left

10-11h Mikołaj Ratajczak, Reconceptualizing the Left with Four Polish Classics: Abramowski, Brzozowski, Krzywicki, Luxemburg

11-12h Mark Losoncz, Conceptual Metaproblems of Postcapitalism

### 2. Psychoanalyzing the Social (I)

12:15-13:15 Barbara Barysz, Conceptualizing the (im)Possible: Psychoanalysis as a Tool for Capturing Social and Political Change in Poland

13:15-14:15 Andrea Perunović, *Psychotic Regimes: An Analysis of the Contemporary Political Conjecture* 

### 3. Psychoanalyzing the Social (II)

16-17h Adam Lipszyc, Beyond Fratriarchy: Juliet Mitchell and the Cultural Revolution in Contemporary Poland

17-18h Milan Urošević, "The All-Serbian Funhouse": Depoliticizing Fantasies in Contemporary Serbia

#### 15.11.2024

### 4. Gender-Studying the East European (I)

10-11h Adriana Zaharijević, Postsocialist Feminism. Terms of Our Own

11-12h Magda Grabowska, Conceptualizing Critical Social Reproduction Theory in Eastern Europe: Marxism, Anti-communism, and Feminist Responses to Polycrisis

### 5. Gender-Studying the East European (II)

12:15-13:15 Milica Resanović, Anti-Gender Mobilizations in Eastern Europe: The Rise of Illiberal Threats

13:15-14:15 Marta Szpala, *TBA* 

### 6. Processes of Symbolic Reproduction in EE

16-17h Piotr Wesołowski, *The (Im)possibility of the Field of Art in Contemporary Poland: Vicissitudes of the Symbolic Capital* 

17-18h Marjan Ivković, *Postsocialism and Counterhegemony: A Burden or an Advantage?* 

#### 16.11.2024

# 7. Easternizing Frankfurt

10-11h Kuba Gorecki, *The Critique of Form and the Form of Critique. Benjamin, Adorno and the actuality of constellational thinking* 

11-12h Natasha Schmelz, Alienation in Contemporary Perspective: Frankfurt and Beyond

# 8. Conceptualizing the Crisis

12:15-13:15 Igor Cvejić, Social Engagement, Shared Emotions and Crisis

13:15-14: 15 Andrzej Frelek, *The value of the concept of real subsumption for a critical theory of the domination of nature in capitalism*