

HISTORICAL MATERIALISM 2013

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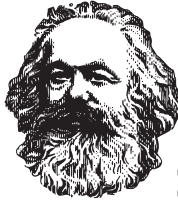
**CONFRONTING
CAPITAL**



★ *From* ★

**FRI.
APRIL 26th**

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY



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**SUN.
APRIL 28th**

31 WASHINGTON PLACE

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Welcome to

HISTORICAL MATERIALISM NYC 2013



CRITICAL INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE PRESENT MOMENT quickly reveal that the current crisis of capitalism shows no sign of abating. The failure of austerity to restore growth has sent ruling class politicians scrambling, as the assault of capital on all fronts of life—ecological, economic and social—grows exponentially.

This is not without resistance however. From the ongoing Arab revolution, to Occupy and Greece, confrontations of capital and regimes of power continue to proliferate, push forth new political horizons and sustain influence on a global scale.

HMNY 2013 is an intervention into the present to provide a theoretical space for debate and discussion, urgently needed on the left at this juncture. Moments like this are especially fertile for new looks at old debates, from the history of capitalism to new modes of resistance. HMNY 2013 will be a venue where figures representing the breadth of current leftist thought will convene to exchange ideas.

Historical Materialism (HM) is one the foremost journals of Marxian theory. HM's London-based conferences have long drawn hundreds of scholars from around the world. Since 2006, North American HM conferences have been organized in Toronto and New York City (which will now alternate with bi-annual Spring conferences). HMNY 2013 will begin with an opening plenary on the evening of Friday April 26th, and will continue April 27th-28th at New York University in downtown Manhattan. All participants are encouraged to stay for the whole duration of the conference.

7:00

9:00



SILVER 408

Opening Plenary

**A CONVERSATION
on SOCIALIST PLANNING**



Allin

COTTRELL

David

McNALLY

Costas

PANAYOTAKIS





Session

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10:00

12:00



SILVER 408

**ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION:
TECHNOLOGY
and the LABOR PROCESS**

STANLEY ARONOWITZ
GEORGE CAFFENTZIS

Chair:
SILVIA FEDERICI



SILVER 411

**NEIL DAVIDSON'S
HOW REVOLUTIONARY
WERE the BOURGEOIS
REVOLUTIONS?**

Book Launch

NEIL DAVIDSON
JEFF GOODWIN
CHARLES POST

Chair:
JONAH BIRCH



SILVER 401

ARAB SPRING

ALI BEHRAN OZCELIK
*Turkey's Interactions
with the Arab Spring*

JAMIE ALLINSON
*Emancipatory Politics
and the New Left
in the Arab Revolutions*

Discussant:
MOHAMMED EZZELDIN

Chair:
ADANER USMANI



SILVER 414

**COMPETITION
and CAPITALISM**

MORGAN ADAMSON
*Markets Without
Subjects: NASDAQ
and the Making
of Contemporary Finance*

IHSAN ERCAN SADI
*Markets And Competition:
A Critical Comparative
Analysis Of Economic
Sociology and Marxist
Political Economy*

STEVEN ROLF
*Fixing Capital:
Capitalist Strategy
and its Limits*

Chair:
ERIK VAN DEVENTER





WAVERLY 366

**POETICS of RADICAL
POLITICAL ECONOMY:
POETRY AFTER the CRISIS**

DAVID LAU

*The Political Turn
in Recent Poetry:
Toward a New Poetics*

JEANINE WEBB

*Poets and Rogues: Art,
Insurrection, Defiant
Life and 'The Terrain
of Aggregation' in the
Work of the Negative*

CHRIS CHEN

*The Poetics of
Recognition: Neoliberal
Multiculturalism in the
Post-Civil Rights Era*

ANNE BOYER

Chair:

JOSHUA CLOVER



WAVERLY 367

**THE UNDAMNED FLOOD:
UNWAGED TIME,
REPRODUCTION,
and REVOLT**

ALAN SMART

*The Work
of Reproduction
in the Age
of Social/Digital Design*

EVAN CALDER WILLIAMS

*The Domestic-Industrial
Complex: On Unwaged
Labor Time*

CHRISTIANE KETTELER

*Reproductive Labours:
A Critical Reassessment*

Chair:

MAYA GONZALEZ



WAVERLY 369

INDIGENOUS MARXISMS

**SALVATORE ENGEL-DI MAURO
LINDSEY CORNUM
ANDREW CURLEY
PACO SALAS
LINDA QUIQUIVIX**

ROXANNE DUNBAR-ORTIZ

Chair:

SATYEL LARSON



WAVERLY 370

**WHY CRITICAL THEORY
NEEDS MARX**

MICHAEL J. THOMPSON

*Reviving Base
and Superstructure:
Returning Critical Theory
to its Radical Roots*

GREG ZUCKER

*The Two Worlds of Critical
Theory: Why Marxism Needs
the Frankfurt School*

LAUREN LANGMAN

*From the Alienation of Labor
to the Alienation of Theory:
Why Critical Theory
Must Start with Marx*

STEPHEN ERIC BRONNER

*Metaphysics or Politics?
On the Contributions
of Marx for Critical Theory*

Chair:

ERIN SCHELL



WAVERLY 431

CATASTROPHISM*

EDDIE YUEN

*The Politics
of Failure Have Failed*

JIM DAVIS

Chair:

DOUG HENWOOD

**Thanks to PM Press
and Common Notions*



SILVER 509

**MARX'S CONCEPT
of the ALTERNATIVE
to CAPITALISM**

Book Talk

**AZFAR HUSSAIN
CURRY MALOTT
MARIJA KRTOLICA**

Discussant:

PETER HUDIS

Chair:

RICHARD GREEMAN



WAVERLY 433

**ALEXANDER BOGDANOV
TODAY**

MCKENZIE WARK

*'And Worsened
the Climate for Decades'
Bogdanov, Systems
Theory, Critical Theory
and Climate Change*

EVGENI PAVLOV

*Bogdanovshchina:
A Certain 'Reactionary
Philosophy' and the Birth
of Dialectical Materialism*

Discussant:

ELIZABETH KENDALL

Chair:

AARON JAFFE



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SILVER 408

**POST-COLONIALISM
and the SPECTER
of CAPITAL**

Book Talk

VIVEK CHIBBER
TARIQ ALI
MICHAEL SCHWARTZ
ANWAR SHAIKH

Chair:
ADANER USMANI



SILVER 411

**POLITICAL ECONOMY
of ART**

RUTH JENNISON
*29-73-08:
Poetic Form
and the Limits to Capital*

PABLO BUSTINDUY
Fiction and Communism

BEN DAVIS
*Art and Inequality:
The Transformation
of Visual Art
Under Neoliberalism*

Chair:
SOYOUNG YOON



SILVER 401

**GEOLOGICAL ECONOMY
and the US WORKING CLASS**

RADHIKA DESAI
*International Monetary
Reform in the 20th
Century: The Imperatives
and the Options*

LEE SUSTAR
*The Remaking
of the US Working Class*

ALAN FREEMAN
*The Rate of Profit
in the Presence
of Financial Markets*

Discussant:
DOUG HENWOOD

Chair:
ASHER DUPUY-SPENCER



SILVER 414

LENINIST LINEAGES

LARS LIH
*Two Cheers
for Lev Kamenev*

PAUL LE BLANC
*Leninism in History
and Practical Politics*

JOEL GEIER
*The Politics
of Zionvievism*

PAUL KELLOGG
*Substitutionism versus
Self-emancipation: The
Theory of the Offensive,
the Russo-Polish War
of 1920 and the German
March Action of 1921*

Chair:
JOHANN JAECKEL

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APRIL **27th**



WAVERLY 366

CITY, CRIMINALITY, CINEMA*

EVAN CALDER WILLIAMS

*A Chase Scene
Too Scratched to Follow:
Rent, Circulation,
and Style in
the Cinematic Century*

**MARYAM
MONALISA GHARAVI**
*Towards a Theory of
Criminality in Cinema*

KARTIK NAIR
*The Work of Art in the
Age of Family Planning:
Video Spectatorship
and Sterilization
in 1980s India*

Chair:
MAX FOX

*Thanks to *The New Inquiry*



WAVERLY 367

**HISTORICAL MATERIALISM,
GENDER and SEXUALITY**

CHRIS CHITTY
*A Marxist Turn
in Queer Theory*

NICOLE WHALEN
*Abolish Gender?
Historical vs. Cultural
Materialisms
in Contemporary
Feminist Debates*

MAYA GONZALEZ
*Between Liberation
and Communization:
Periodizing feminism from
Primitive Accumulation
to the Present Moment*

Chair:
CINZIA ARRUZZA



WAVERLY 369

LEFT MUSIC THEORY

BEN LAUDE
*Business in the Front,
Art in the Back:
the Rise of the Artist
Entrepreneur*

STEPHAN HAMMEL
*Accounting for the Will
for Form: Aesthetics after
the Mexican Revolution*

JAREK ERVIN
*Marxism and Popular
Music Studies*

Chair:
SIMON FRISCH



WAVERLY 370

**LAW and PUNISHMENT
in MARXIST THEORY**

ROBERT KNOX
*Law, Spectacle
and the Production
of Imperial Violence*

DANIEL LOICK
*'But Who Protects Us
from You?' Police:
Towards an Abolitionist
Critique*

JAMES MANOS
*The Production
of Social Disinvestment:
The Political Economy
of Puni*

CAMILA GRIPP
*Incarceration to Manage
the Poor: Notes on the
Work of Loïc Wacquant*

Chair:
PAUL HEIDEMAN



WAVERLY 431

**CONSTITUENT POWER
and the LATIN AMERICAN
FUTURE: THE CASES of
VENEZUELA and BOLIVIA**

Book Talk

**GEORGE
CICCARIELLO-MAHER**
*We Created Chavez:
A People's History of
the Venezuelan Revolution*

JEFFREY WEBBER
*Red October:
Left-Indigenous Struggles
in Modern Bolivia*

Chair:
CHRISTY THORNTON



WAVERLY 433

**COMMUNITY
and COMMUNISM;
COMMUNISM
without COMMUNITY**

SAMI KHATIB
*Community, Body Politics,
and Profane Illumination.
Reading Walter Benjamin
with Jean-Luc Nancy*

STACY DOUGLAS
*The Exigency of the
Interruption: Towards an
Anti-Colonial Communism*

MASSIMILIANO TOMBA
*Beyond the Modern
Political Form: Rethinking
the Idea of Justice*

ALAN MILCHMAN
*Communization and
the Abolition of Labor*

Chair:
JASON SMITH



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SILVER 408

SLAVERY and CAPITALISM

ZACHARY SELL

*Slavery Beyond
a Boundary: American
Plantation Overseers
and the Production
of Cotton in British India*

JOHN CLEGG

*Land, Slaves, and Credit:
Rethinking the Origins
of Capitalism in the US*

Discussant:

CHARLES POST

Chair:

SHANA RUSSELL



SILVER 411

**SYRIZA
and the STRATEGIC
CHALLENGES
of the GREEK LEFT**

DESPINA LALAKI

*The Crisis in Greece
and the Left Response:
Successes, Failures
and High Expectations*

PETER BRATSIK

*The Impossibility
of Reform: Revolution
or Servitude?*

COSTAS PANAYOTAKIS

*Syriza's Dilemmas: The
Challenges of Political
Realignment at a Time
of Economic Crisis*

IANNIS DELATOLAS

*Greece and the Eurozone
After Cyprus*

Chair:

AARON AMARAL



SILVER 401

**STRUGGLES
in the NEAR EAST**

TARYN FIVEK

*Atomization as develop-
ment in the West Bank:
Introducing Rawabi*

NOLAN RAMPY

*Palestinian Liberation
and the Arab Working Class*

ALI BEHRAN OZCELIK

*Configuration of the Leftist
Parties in Parliament
as Turkey Drafts
a New Constitution*

Chair:

ADANER USMANI



SILVER 414

**FINANCE, EMPLOYMENT,
and POWER
in the NEOLIBERAL ERA**

RAMAA VASUDEVAN

*Managerial Capitalism,
Finance and
the Contradictions
of the Neoliberal
Phase of Capitalism*

SANDY HAGER

*Public Debt and Corporate
Power: Mapping the New
'Aristocracy of Finance'*

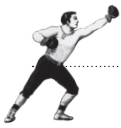
ANWAR SHAIKH

*Mainstreaming the Reserve
Army of Labor: From Karl
Marx to Milton Friedman*

Chair:

JON COGLIANO





WAVERLY 366

VISUAL CRITIQUE of CAPITAL

PEDRO FRAGELLI
Confronting Capital in a Peripheral Nation: a Brazilian Revolutionary Opera on the 1929 Crisis

JENNIFER KRUGLINSKI
Martha Rosler's Photomontage Disruptions: Bringing the War Home: House Beautiful.

SOYOUNG YOON
"Destruction so vast as to become randomized, constant as weather": On Carolee Schneemann's Snows (1967)

Chair:
SARAH RESNICK



WAVERLY 367

FEMINIZATION of AUSTERITY

MIMI ABRAMOVITZ
Triple Jeopardy: Women Lose Public Sector Services, Jobs, and Union Rights

GIOVANNA VERTOVA
Women in the Global Crisis: A Theoretical Analysis and Case Study

SARA FARRIS
The Migrant Woman Exception? The Effects of the Economic Crisis on Feminized and Racialized Labor Markets

Chair:
NICOLE WHALEN



WAVERLY 369

SOCIAL DEMOCRACY and the HORIZONS of LEFT POLITICS*

JONAH BIRCH
The Left Without Reformism

BHASKAR SUNKARA
Liberalism and the Left

Chair:
ERIN SCHELL
**Thanks to Jacobin*



WAVERLY 370

TEACHER UNIONISM in NEW YORK CITY

CLARENCE TAYLOR
Anti-communism and the New York City Teachers Union

STEVE BRIER
Teacher Unionism vs. Community Control: Craft Unionism and the Destruction of Progressive Politics in NYC in the 1968 UFT Strike

EMILY GILES
Teacher Unions Today: Going Beyond the Bread and Butter

Chair:
TAHIR BUTT



WAVERLY 431

MARX'S TEMPORALITIES

Book Talk
MASSIMILIANO TOMBA
Respondent and Author of Marx's Temporalities

CINZIA ARRUZZA
Time and Bodies in Massimiliano Tomba's Book
RICCARDO BELLOFIORE
Is There Life on Marx? A Friendly Critical Look at Massimiliano Tomba's Book

PETER THOMAS
The Plural Temporalities of Class Struggle

Chair:
AARON JAFFE



SILVER 509

ROSA LUXEBURG: HER LIFE and LEGACY

Book Talk
JASON SCHULMAN
CHRIS MAISANO
STEPHEN ERIC BRONNER
MIKE HIRSCH



WAVERLY 433

THE BARRICADE and the OYSTER REEF: CIRCULATION, LOGISTICS, INFRASTRUCTURE

JASPER BERNES
Nothing to Lose but Our Supply Chains: Logistics, Counter-Logistics and the Communist Prospect

JASON SMITH
The Time of Riots and the Metropolitan Strike

STEPHANIE WAKEFIELD
Protect the Flows: Circulation, Infrastructure, and the Government of Life

Chair:
MORGAN ADAMSON

7:00

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Cantor Film Center

36 E 8th St

Saturday Plenary

The POLITICS of FEMINISM



Silvia

FEDERICI

Rosemary

HENNESSY

Nancy

HOLMSTROM

Kathy

MIRIAM

Linda

ALCOFF





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SILVER 408

**WHAT TO DO
with the LABOR THEORY
of VALUE?**

DUNCAN FOLEY
*Labor and Value:
Productive Labor
and Surplus Value*

ROBERTO VENEZIANI
*Exploitation
as the Unequal
Exchange of Labour:
An Axiomatic Approach*

DAVID LAIBMAN
*Value, Labor,
and the Scientific Moment
in Marxist Inquiry*

Chair:
JON COGLIANO



SILVER 411

**BLACK LIBERATION
STRUGGLES**

PAUL LE BLANC
*Jobs and Freedom:
The March on Washington
and the Freedom Budget*

BRIAN JONES
*Radicals and
Radicalization in the
Civil Rights Movement*

MATTHEW NICHTER
*Radicals, Repression,
and the Long Civil Rights
Movement*

Chair:
DAVID CALNITSKY



SILVER 401

**COLONIALISM,
COMMERCE and the
TRANSITION to CAPITALISM**

MARIO DIAZ-PEREZ:
*Max Weber and
the Origins of Capitalism*

LAURA MARTIN
*Colonial Labor,
Capitalism,
and the Williams Debate*

PATRICK MADDEN
*Marxist Historiography
and the Origins
of Capitalism*

MATT LAU
*Some motifs
in Wordsworth: Enclosure
Acts, Urban Modernity,
and Social Solidarity
under Capitalism*

Chair:
DAVID LAU



SILVER 414

**LANDSCAPES
of MODERN FINANCE
and REGULATION**

JEREMY GREEN
*Anglo-American
Development
and the Euromarkets:
From Bretton Woods to
Financial Globalization*

ERIK VAN DEVENTER
*Acquired Immunity:
What Does Regulation
Mean to Banks that
Cannot Be Prosecuted?*

AJKUNA HOPPE
*The Opaque Thicket
of Regulation at the
Margins: EU Standards
and Financialization
in Kosovo*

Chair:
IHSAN ERCAN SADI





WAVERLY 366

**MARXIST LEGACIES
in US LITERATURE
and CRITICISM**

SCOTT MCLEEMEE
*The Ecocommunist
Hypothesis: Kenneth
Burke on the Metabology
of Capitalism*

ANTHONY DAWAHARE
*Dialectical Theory and
US Proletarian Literature*

JAMES SMETHURST
*Remembering Nat
Turner: Black Left Artists
and Historical Memory,
1935-1955*

Chair:
PAUL HEIDEMAN



WAVERLY 367

**WOMEN
and the LEFT**

JEN ROESCH
*Women and the Left:
Results and Prospects*

HESTER EISENSTEIN
*Globalization,
Patriarchal Resurgence
and the 'War on Women':
a Marxist-Feminist
Perspective*

NINOTCHKA ROSCA
*Historical Signification
and Transnational Women*

Chair:
NANCY HOLMSTROM



WAVERLY 369

**CAPITAL
and the ECOLOGICAL
IMPERATIVE**

DAN BOSCOV-ELLEN
*Après Moi
le Déluge: Marx
and Ecological Crisis*

SOPHIE LEWIS
*The Commons
and Nature
as Accumulation Strategy*

ANTHONY LIOI
*What's Left of Ecology?
Haraway's Politics
of Symbiosis*

RICHARD SMITH
*Capitalism
and the Destruction
of Life on Earth: 6 Theses
on Saving the Humans*

Chair:
BRADLEY YOUNG



WAVERLY 370

**CULTURE and the CRISES
of CAPITALISM:
EXPERIMENTATION and
POLITICAL ORGANIZATION**

MARCOS SOARES
*Marxism, Crisis
and Militancy in the
Cultural Field*

MARCOS FABRIS
*Political Praxis and
Artistic Experimentation
in Photo Journalism*

ANA PAULA PACHECO
*Political Praxis
and the Dialectics
of Artistic Forms:
The Brazilian Novel in
a Global Crisis Scenario*

Chair:
CONOR TOMÁS REED



WAVERLY 431

**ASIA'S UNKNOWN
UPRISINGS***

GEORGE KASTIAFICAS
*Asia's Unknown
Uprisings*

SABU KOHSO
*Eros Effect
and Solidarity—Recent
Exchanges Between
Japanese and Korean
Anti-capitalist Movements*

NAYMA QAYUM
*Demystifying Shahbag:
Past and Present*

MAIA RAMNATH
Chair:

EDDIE YUEN
*Thanks to *PM Press*
and *Common Notions*



WAVERLY 433

TEMPORALITIES

NEIL LARSEN
*A Future with no Future:
on the Temporalities
of Crisis and Fictional
Capital*

MARCIA KLOTZ
*Messianic Temporality
and the
Financialized Globe*

DAVE MESING
*Possessing the Future
in Advance: Strategy
Contra Threat*

Chair:
AARON JAFFE



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SILVER 408

**OCCUPY: DYNAMICS,
LEGACIES, FUTURES**

PENNY LEWIS
FRANCIS FOX PIVEN
JAN REHMANN

Discussant:
DOUG HENWOOD

Chair:
JORDAN SOMERS



SILVER 411

**QUEER THEORY
and MARXISM**

CINZIA ARRUZZA
*Gender as Social
Temporality: Butler
(and Marx)*

CHRIS CHITTY
*Reassessing Foucault:
Modern Sexuality and the
Transition to Capitalism*

**DRUCILLA CORNELL
& STEPHEN SEELY**
*There's Nothing
Revolutionary
About a Blowjob*

JAMES PENNEY
*Queer Marxism:
Radical Future
or Oxymoron*

Chair:
EMMA HEANEY



SILVER 401

**PATHS OUT OF CRISIS:
SELF-ORGANIZATION
and the STATE**

PAUL BLACKLEDGE
*Left Reformism
and the State*

RICHARD WOLFF
*Capitalism's Crisis
+ Workers Co-ops
= New Strategy*

DAVID CALNITSKY
*Basic Income in a Small
Town: Findings on the
Effects on Crime
and Violence, Wages,
and Gender Politics*

Discussant:
ALLIN COTTRELL

Chair:
ELLIS SCHARFENAKER



SILVER 414

**RENT and the
HOUSING QUESTION
in MARXIST THEORY**

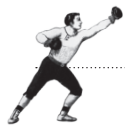
MARY ROBERTSON
*Marxist Rent Categories
in an Urban Setting –
Some thoughts on the
UK Housing Problem*

FABIAN BALARDINI
*The Theory of Rent
and Oil Prices
in Marxian Economics:
A Critique Based on Marx's
Theory of Market Value*

CHRIS WRIGHT
The City After Urbanism

Chair:
SEAN BROESLER





WAVERLY 366

**BLACK RADICALISM
in US LITERATURE**

BARBARA FOLEY
*Communism
and Anticommunism
in the Making of Ralph
Ellison's Invisible Man*

SHANA RUSSELL
*"I'm for the union too":
A Marxist Analysis of
Sexual and Reproductive
Labor in William Attaway's
Blood on the Forge*

ANNA DAWAHARE
*The Word Made Flesh:
The Christian Matrix
of Richard Wright's
Communism*

Chair:
PAUL HEIDEMAN



WAVERLY 367

**SEXUAL VIOLENCE
and NEOLIBERALISM**

TITHI BATTACHARAYA
*All You Need is Sex:
Revisiting Social
Reproduction Theory
and Neoliberalism*

SILVIA FEDERICI
*Neoliberalism,
The New Enclosures
and the Return
of Witch-Hunting*

JEN ROESCH
*Neoliberalism,
The Backlash Against
Women and Today's
New Rape Myths*

Chair:
ERIN SCHELL



WAVERLY 369

**ENVIRONMENT
and ENERGY**

GLEN PINE
*Energy Insecurity:
Renewables, Fossils,
and the Forces Behind
U.S. Energy Policy*

PAIGE SARLIN
*Vulnerable Accumulation:
Accounting
for Occupy Sandy*

CHRIS WILLIAMS
*Marxism
and the Commons*

Chair:
SOPHIE LEWIS



WAVERLY 370

**AMERICAN POWER
and the DECLINIST DEBATE**

SEAN STARRS
*American Power Hasn't
Declined—It Globalized!
Summoning the Data
and Taking Globalization
Seriously*

JAMES PARISOT
*'Emerging Powers'
and Global Capitalism:
In and Against
the American Empire*

STEPHEN MAHER
*American Hegemony:
Decline in the Middle
East?*

Chair:
IHSAN ERCAN SADI



WAVERLY 431

THE COMMUNE NOW

BRUNO BOSTEELS
The Mexican Commune

JODI DEAN
*Something About
the Party*

JOSHUA CLOVER
Commune and Program

Chair:
JOHN CLEGG



WAVERLY 433

STATES of REASON

JONATHAN PICKLE
*The Needs of History
and the Historicity of Needs,
or On the Kantian
Summum Bonum*

PJ GORRE
HARRISON FLUSS
*Spinoza avec Sade:
On Horkheimer's Critique
of Objective Reason*

Chair:
AARON JAFFE



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SILVER 408

A CONVERSATION
with **SPIVAK** and **CORNELL**
on the **USES** and **ABUSES**
of **MARXISM**

GAYATRI SPIVAK
DRUCILLA CORNELL

Chair:
AARON JAFFE



SILVER 411

MARX'S THEORY
of **VALUE: MONEY**
and the **BUSINESS CYCLE**

PAUL MATTICK JR
The Business Cycle
and *Marxian Theory*

FRED MOSELEY
Money and Totality:
Marx's Logical
Method and the
Transformation Problem

Discussant:
DUNCAN FOLEY

Chair:
JOHN CLEGG



SILVER 401

LATIN AMERICAN SOCIAL
MOVEMENTS 14 YEARS
LATER: EXPERIENCES
and **PERSPECTIVES**
SINCE 1998

DARIO AZZELLINI
Perspectives of the
Bolivarian Revolution
without Chávez

XIMENA GARCÍA
BUSTAMANTE
Mexico: Between
Mass Mobilization
and Semiotic War

MARINA SITRIN
Constructing Autonomy
With, Against
and Beyond the State
in Argentina

Chair:
MICHAEL
GOULD WARTOFSKY



SILVER 414

GLOBAL NEOLIBERALISM

BRIGITTE JOHNSON
Same Gods, Different
Masters: The Marikana
Massacre and the
Escalating Stakes of
Labour Struggles in Post-
Apartheid South Africa

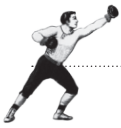
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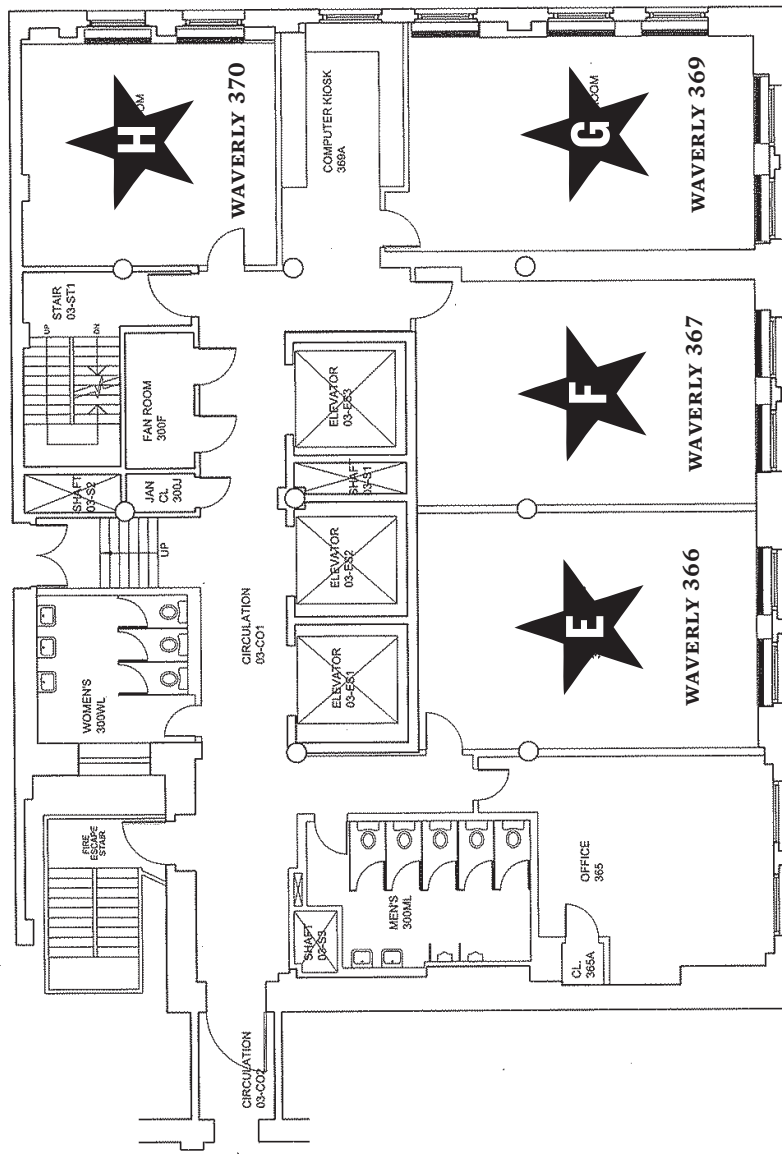
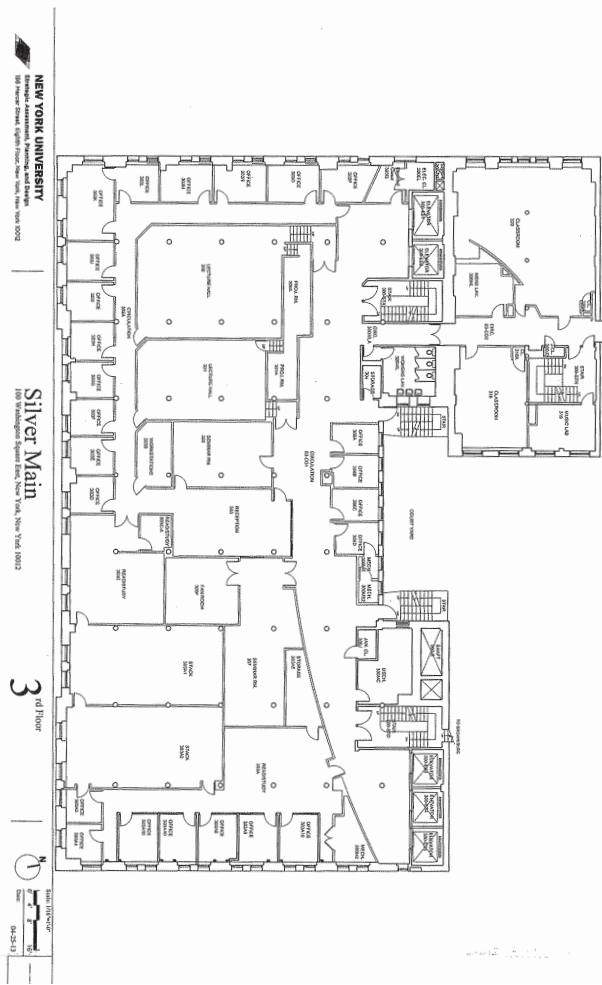


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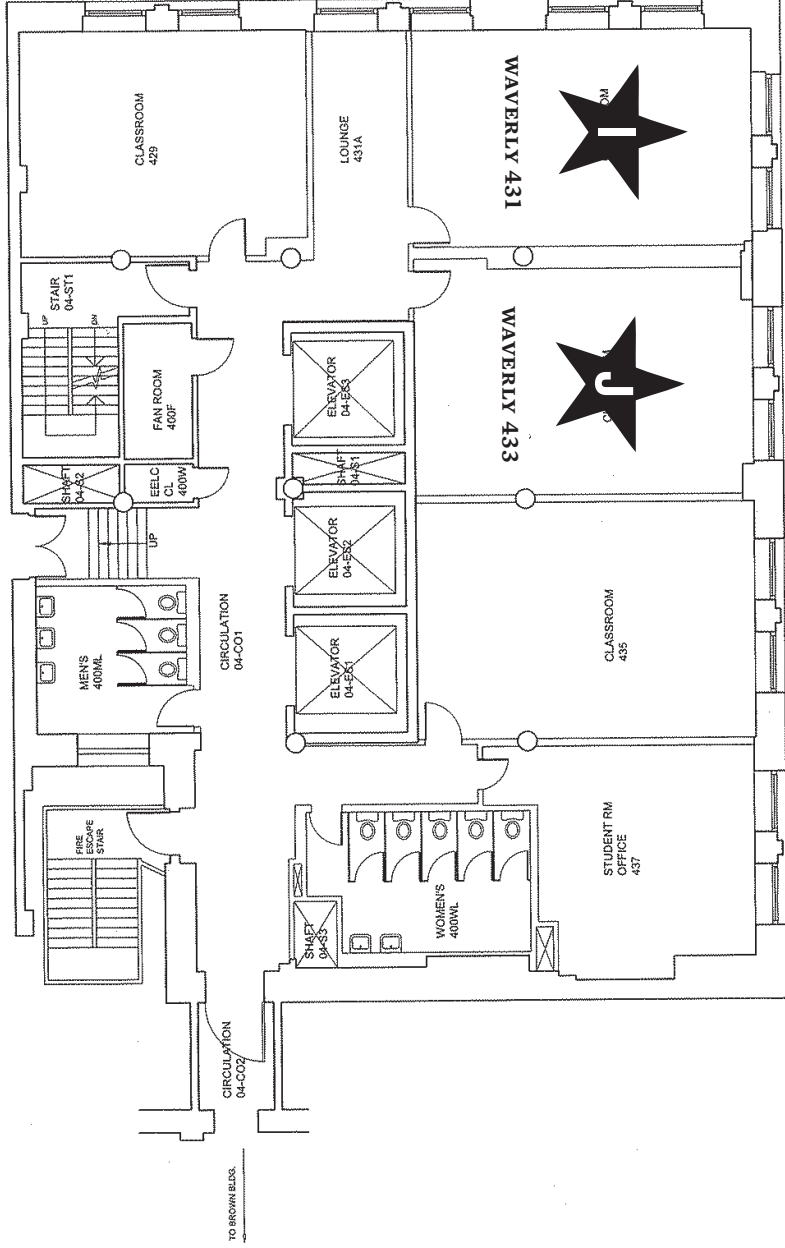
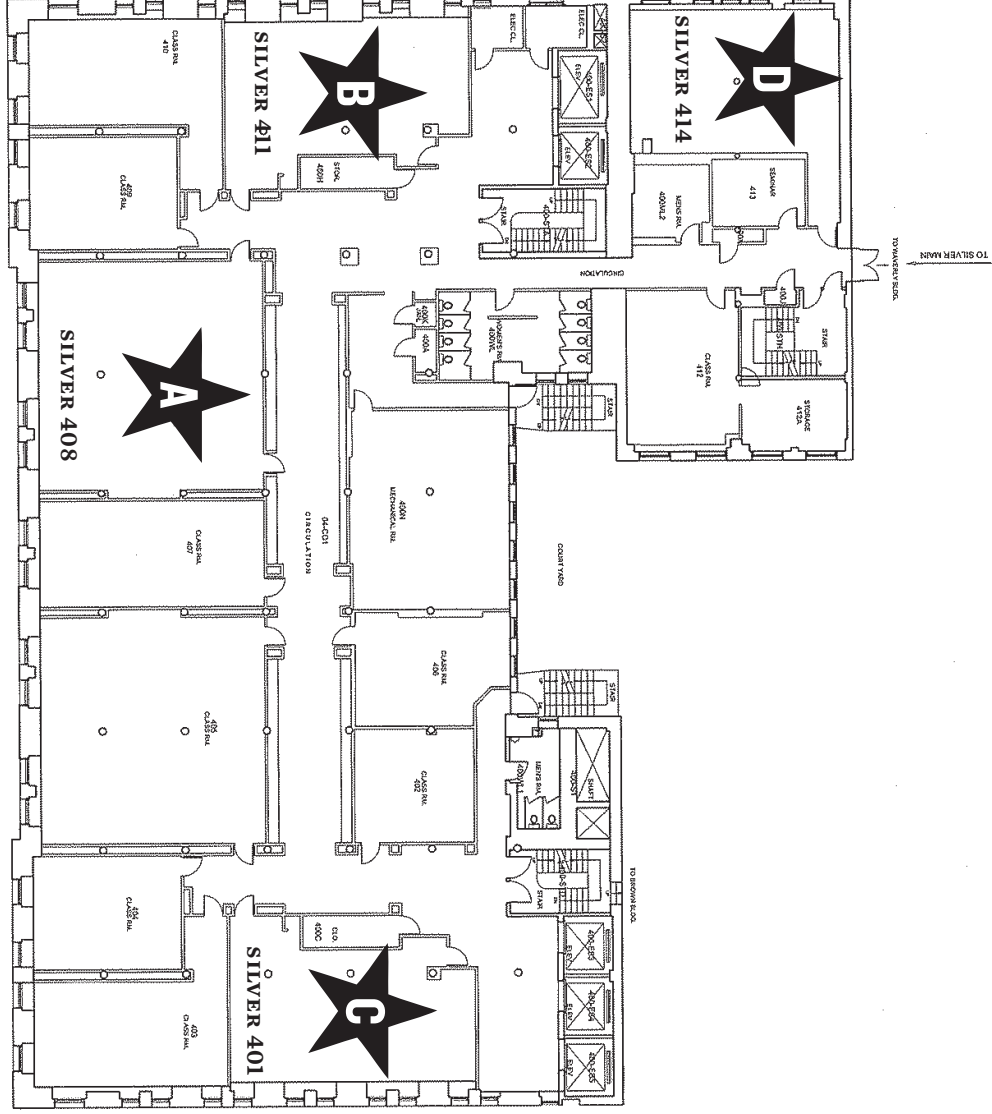
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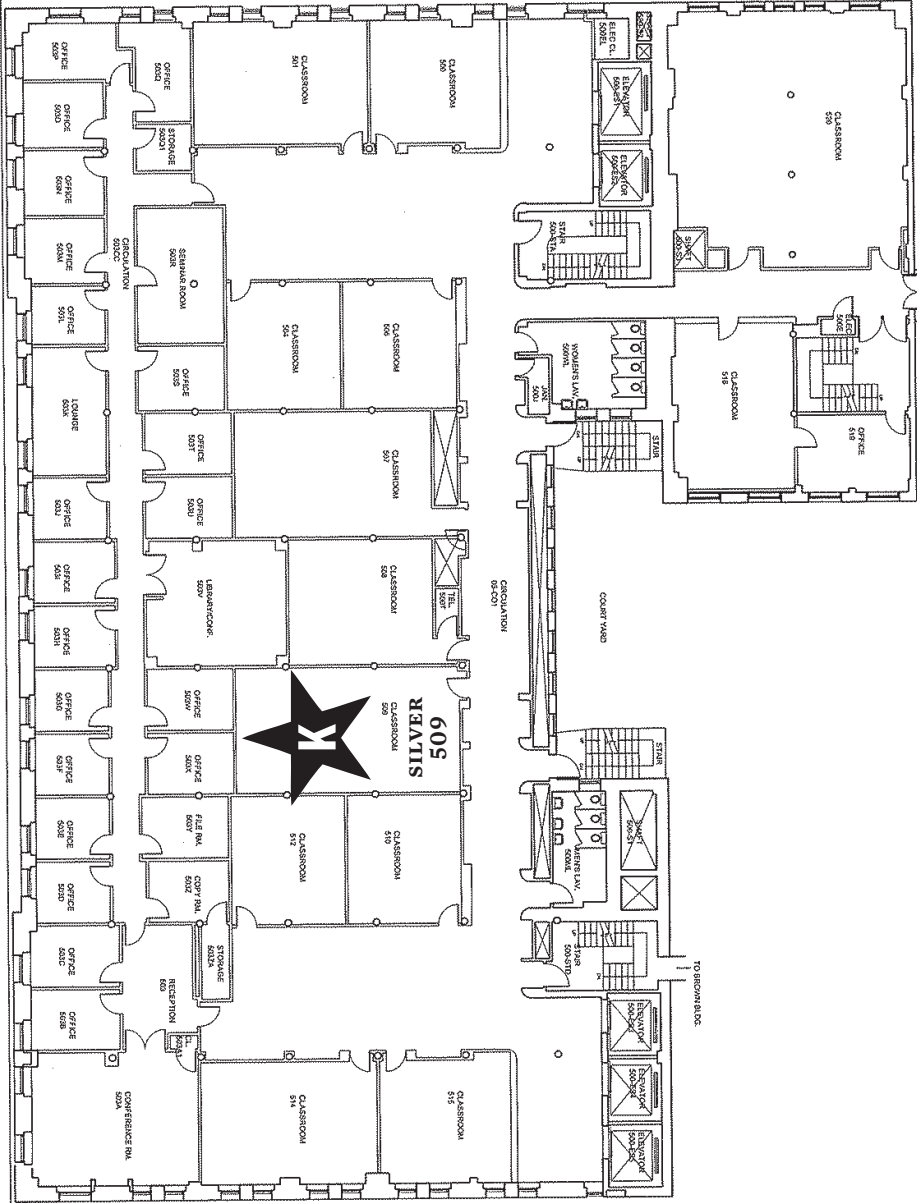


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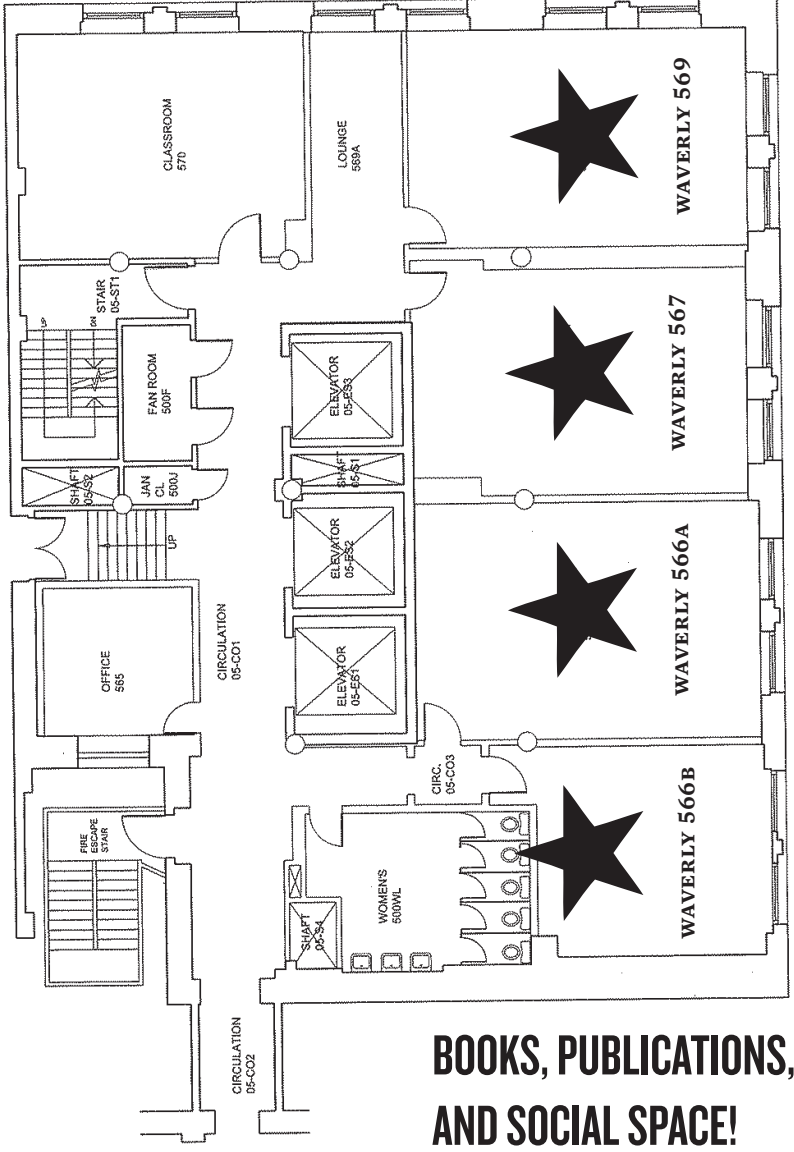
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