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Conference Overview

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After years of privatizing, contracting out, tracking performance, and charging fees for public services, what are the outcomes? Is government more efficient? Is it more effective? What happened to the promises of neo-liberalism, of improved well-being through competition?

Keynote Address

Thomas Catlaw, Arizona State University, Thomas.Catlaw@asu.edu

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# Conference Agenda At-A-Glance

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# Panel Details by Session

## Concurrent Session I

### North 234

**Intimidation in Public Discourse**  
**Full Panel Proposal**

- **“The Use of Consistency as a Tool of Intimidation”**  
  Gregg Cawley, University of Wyoming, Cawley@uwyo.edu

- **“Intimidation and NSA Surveillance”**  
  Larry Luton, Eastern Washington University, lluton@ewu.edu

- **“John Stuart Mill’s "Of the Liberty of Thought and Discussion”**  
  Mike Spicer, Cleveland State University, m.spicer@csuohio.edu

- **“Intimidation as Narrative Gatekeeping”**  
  Hugh Miller, Florida Atlantic University, hmiller@fau.edu

### South 201

**Removing and Redefining Research Boundaries**  
**Chair/Discussant: Marina O’Brien**

- **“Reason’s Failure to Capture: The Case for an Activist Public Administration”**  
  Jennifer L. Eagan, California State University East Bay, jennifer.eagan@csueastbay.edu

- **“Postcolonial Revisiting of Public Administration Theory”**  
  Bridgette Cram, Florida International University, bcram@fiu.edu  
  Mohamad Alkadry, Associate Professor, Florida International University, malkadry@fiu.edu

- **“Reformulating the Developmental State Agenda in the 21st Century”**  
  Prinz Parungao Magtulis. Catholic University of Korea, prinzmagtulis@gmail.com

### South 226

**Ethics Panel**  
**Chair/Discussant: Roy Heidelberg**

- **“Responsibility-taking and Regret, Reconsidered”**  
  Patricia M. Patterson, Florida Atlantic University, patterso@fau.edu

- **“Ethics and Administration: The Case of the Benkadi Movement in the Cote D’Ivore”**  
  Louis E. Howe, University of West Georgia, lhowe@westga.edu

- **“Communitarian Pragmatism: An Alternative Ethical Paradigm”**  
  Allen Stout, University of La Verne, astout@laverne.edu
Concurrent Session II

Friday, May 16th from 1:30pm to 2:15pm

North 234

The Language of Public Policy
Full Panel Proposal

“Public Policy and Economic Dialects”
David Farmer, Virginia Commonwealth University, dfarmer@vcu.edu

“Public Policy and Military Dialects”
Richard Huff, Virginia Commonwealth University, rrhuff@vcu.edu

Epistemology and Methodology
Full Panel Proposal
Discussant: Camilla Stivers, Cleveland State University
Convener: Hugh Miller, Florida Atlantic University

“Three Frame Analytic Modes of Inquiry: Interpretive Frame Analysis, Resolutive Frame Analysis, and Regressive Frame Analysis”
Jeff Stevens, Florida Atlantic University, jeffstevens@hotmail.com

The Prerequisites of Scientific Text Sampling”
Heidi DiCicco, Florida Atlantic University, hdicicco@fau.edu

South 201

Social Justice/Social Outrage
Chair/Discussant Greg Porumbescu

“Social Justice in Public Administration in the Neoliberal Era of Post Racial Politics”
Nicole Rishel Elias, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, nelias@jjay.cuny.edu

“Pedagogy and the Interdisciplinary Nature of Public Administration”
Lester Leavitt, Florida Atlantic University, lleavitt@my.fau.edu

“War on the Poor” or “War on Poverty”
Mohamed Alkadry, Florida International University and Sebawit G. Bishu, Florida International University
Concurrent Session III

Friday, May 16th from 2:30pm to 4:00pm

North 234

Practitioners Panel
Co-Chairs: Dragan Stanisevski and Ramon Trias

South 201

Coming Together: An Alternative Way of Knowing Rooted in Experience
Full Panel Proposal: Chair Camilla Stivers

“The Aesthetic Experience and Artful Public Administration”
Justin Piccorelli, Cleveland State University,
j.piccorelli@vikes.csuohio.edu

“Community Process and Knowledge of the Self: A Phenomenological Perspective”
M. Veronica Elias, Eastern Washington University,
velias@ewu.edu

“Authenticity and Public Management Initiatives: A Contrasted View using Heidegger and Gadamer”
Nick Zingale, Cleveland State University,
nick.zingale@affinityconsultants.com

South 226

Minorities, Bureaucracies and Workplaces
Chair/Discussant Sarah Surak

“Taylorism to New Public Management within a Changing Bureaucracy”
Charlene Roach, The University of the West Indies,
cmlroach@hotmail.com

“Shift from the Minority”
Vivian G. Cueto, Florida International University,
vgcueto@gmail.com

“Building a Successful Multicultural Workplace in Public Agencies: Lessons from the Cruise Industry”
Najwa Mordhah, Old Dominion University,
nmord001@odu.edu
Concurrent Session IV

Saturday, May 17th from 8:00am to 9:30am

North 234

New Economics and New Institutions
Chair/Discussant Milena Neshkova

“The City as Institution”
Michelle L. DiStefano, Cleveland State, m.distefano@vikes.csuohio.edu

Mary M. Timney, Pace University, mtimney@pace.edu

“Employee Empowerment through Participative Management: Reinventing American Governmental Organizational Forms”
Babatunde Epoyun, FIU, bepoy001@fiu.edu

South 201

Governance Epistemology
Chair/Discussant: Marina O’Brien

“An Analysis of Collaborative Governance from Power Perspective—Real Collaboration or Embellished Hierarchy and Market Power?”
Chen-Yu Kao, Arizona State University, Chen-Yu.Kao@asu.edu

“Alternative Approaches to Institutional Reforms: Application of Grindle’s Concept of Good Enough Governance in Uzbekistan”
Aziz Klebleyev, FIU, aziz.klebleyev@fiu.edu

“Value-neutral Versus Value-based Treatment: Is Weber’s Bureaucracy Compatible with the Concept of Representative Bureaucracy?”
Gretha Burchard, FIU, gburc003@fiu.edu

“Values and Administrative Decision Making: A Comparison of Public, Private, and Nonprofit Organizations”
Anthony D. Molina, Kent State University, amolina4@kent.edu

South 226

Public Administration and the Anarchist Challenge
Full Panel Proposal

“Sanitizing Protests: Health and Safety Administration as a Site of Domination”
Sarah Surak, Salisbury University, smsurak@salisbury.edu

“Occupy Wall Street? Or Occupations of the Vanguard?: A Leninist Critique of Horizontal Administration”
Robert Kirsch, Salisbury University, rekirsch@gmail.com

“Why must We Occupy Cyberspace”
Kym Thorne, University of South Australia, kym.thorne@unisa.edu.au

“Understanding Occupy for Public Administration” Roy L. Heidelberg, Louisiana State University, royh@lsu.edu
Concurrent Session V

Saturday, May 17th from 10:00am to 11:30am

North 234

**Faraway, So Close! Perspective and Crossings in Public Administration**

*Full Panel Proposal*

“Hiding in Plain Sight: The Unacknowledged Relationship between Public Administration and the Nonprofit Sector in Running a Democracy”
Jennifer Alexander, University of Texas at San Antonio,
Jennifer.alexander@utsa.edu

“Public Intellectuals in the Knowledge Society: What Role for Public Administration”
Gary Marshall, University of Nebraska Omaha, gmarshal@uno.edu

“Identity and Affect in Public Policy Discourse”
Hugh Miller, Florida Atlantic University, hmiller@fau.edu

South 201

**Reconceiving Public Administration Theory: Changing Conceptions of State, Political Order, and Governing Mythologies**

Chair/Discussant: Dragan Stanisevski

“Decentering Governance: A Democratic Turn?” Mark Bevir, UCLA,
mbevir@berkeley.edu

“Crisis and Political Order in the Market State” Robert Zinke, Eastern Washington University, bzinke@ewu.edu

“Hyper reality: Re-re-re-re-re-visited” Jonathan Anderson, California State University San Bernardino, jfanders@csusb.edu

South 226

**Commodification, Privatization, and Marketization**

Chair/Discussant Meena Clowes

“E-Government is Dead: The Transformation of Contemporary Public Management”
Marc K. Fudge, California State University San Bernardino, mfudge@csusb.edu

“Democracy and the Bureaucracy in the U.S.-Mexican Border”
Kimberly Collins, California State University San Bernardino, Kimberley@csusb.edu

“Technology Connectivity, Market Convergence, Organizational and Political Culture”
Martha L. Reiner, Florida International University

“Installing Dictators in a Democracy: Anchoring Government with a Strong Post”
Aaron Wachhaus, Penn State Harrisburg, wachhaus@psu.edu
**Concurrent Session VI**

*Saturday, May 17th from 1:30pm to 3:00pm*

**North 234**

**Navigating the Valley in the Shadow of Globalization I**
*Full Panel Proposal, Chair/Discussant Matthew Witt, University of La Verne*

- **“Suspicion Floats: Tracking Conspiracy Theory Penetration and Displacement in Mass Belief Systems”**
  Lance deHaven-Smith, Florida State University, dehavensmith@earthlink.net

- **“American Exception: Full Spectrum Hegemony and the Dualistic State”**
  Aaron Good, Temple University, tuc70598@temple.edu

- **“Identity and Affect in Public Policy Discourse”**
  Hugh Miller, Florida Atlantic University, hmiller@fau.edu

  Eric Wilson, Monash University, eric.wilson@monash.edu

**Roundtable: David Farmer: Methodologist?**
*Full Roundtable Proposal*

*Co-Chairs: Aaron Wachhaus, Penn State Harrisburg, wachhaus@psu.edu*
*Bob Cunningham, UT-Knoxville, rcunning@utk.edu*

- Tom Barth, UNC-Wilmington, bartht@uncw.edu
- Richard Huff, VCU, rrhuff@vcu.edu
- Rebecca Keeler, East Tennessee State University, keelerr@etsu.edu
- Michael Howell-Moroney, University of Memphis, mhwllmrm@memphis.edu

**South 201**

**Market Approaches to Policy Making in the New State**
*Chair/Discussant Meena Clowes*

- **“Public Goods as Cost or Benefit? How Korea’s Government Went to Market”**
  David Kasdan, Incheon National University, dokasdan@hotmail.com

- **“How Policy Slack May Benefit the Public Administrator”**
  Umar Guman, California State University Stanislaus, ughuman@csustan.edu and Dave Colnic, California State University Stanislaus, dcolnic@csustan.edu

- **“Neoliberalism, Public Housing, and Cost Accounting”**
  Ann Johnson, California State University San Bernardino, ajohnson@csusb.edu
**Concurrent Session VII**

**South 201**

*Saturday, May 17th from 3:30pm to 5:00pm*

**Navigating the Valley in the Shadow of Globalization II**  
*Full Panel Proposal*  
Chair/Discussant Lance deHaven-Smith, Florida State University, dehavensmith@earthlink.net

- **“The Citizen Watch: Deep Politics in The Watchmen”** Aaron Good, Temple University, tuc70598@temple.edu and Kim McGlynn, George School, kmcglynn@georgeschool.org
- **“Democratic Citizenship as a Weapon of State Crime: How Assaults on Citizen Mental Health and Belief Systems Undermine Popular Sovereignty and Perpetuate the Wars on Poverty, Drugs and Terror”** Laurie Manwell, University of Toronto, laurie.manwell@camh.ca
- **“The Double Failure of Contexts”**  
Kym Thorne, University of South Australia, kym.thorne@unisa.edu.au
- **“Geography Made Labyrinth: From K Street to Kiev and Back Again”**  
Matthew Witt, University of La Verne, mwitt@laverne.edu

**South 226**

**Dystopic Utopias: Barriers to Governance in a Global Context**  
*Full Roundtable Proposal*

- Margaret Stout, West Virginia University, Margaret.stout@wvu.edu
- Jeannine M. Love, Roosevelt University, jmlove@roosevelt.edu
Concurrent Session VIII

South 201

**Governance in the Market State: NGOs and NPOs**
Chair/Discussant Kym Thorne

“A Futures Study on the Accountability of Health and Hygiene Nongovernmental Organizations in Iran 2005”
Negin Khanloo, Allamah Tabatabaei University, khanloonegin33@gmail.com

“Challenge Accepted: Mega-Gifts v. Institutional Theory”
Amanda M. Olejorski, Shippensburg University, AMOejarski@ship.edu
Kathryn Webb Farley, U.S Federal Government, Webb@vt.edu

“Organizational Social Capital and Bureau Configuration: The Missing Link for an Effective and Efficient Public Administration”
Michele Tantardini, Florida International University, mtantard@fiu.edu
Giovani Guardarrama, Florida International University

“Rethinking Sub Sahara Africa Economic and Developmental Model in the 21st Century”
Akongbawa Bramwell Amadasun, aamadasun@biu.edu.ng
Henry Igiebor Oghoator, Western Delta University, oghoator@yahoo.com

South 226

**Social and Distributive Justice in the Market State**
Chair/Discussant David Kasdan

“Incarcerating Noncitizens in the Private Prison Business”
Dongjae Jung, Arizona State University, djung2@asu.edu

“Between the Blueprint for Order and the Deep Blue Sea”
Sietske Dykstra, University of Applied Sciences, s.dijkstra@avans.nl

“The Distributive Organizational Justice of Public Service Motivation”
Jason Robison, Florida Atlantic University, jrobison2013@fau.edu

“Faith of my Fathers”
Catherine Horiuchi, University of San Francisco, cmhoriuchi@uscfu.edu
### Concurrent Session IX

**North 234**

**Concurrent Session IX**

**Sunday, May 18th from 10:45am to 12:15pm**

**Reexamining Civic Engagement, Deliberation, and Participation**

*Chair/Discussant: Milena Neshkova*

- **“The Pawnee Paradox: How One of the Most Progressive Depictions of Public Service Reinforces Regressive Understandings of Civic Engagement”**
  Anthony Campbell, University of Nebraska-Omaha, [macampbell@unomaha.edu](mailto:macampbell@unomaha.edu)

- **“Of the People, By the People, and For the People: Public Participation in Hazard Mitigation Planning”**
  L. Noel Gniady, Virginia Tech, [lngniady@vt.edu](mailto:lngniady@vt.edu)

- **“Fraud Prevention or Voter Suppression? How Voting Narratives Affect Existing Power Structures”**
  Evan Harrow, Florida Atlantic University, [eharrow2@fau.edu](mailto:eharrow2@fau.edu)

- **“Utilizing Flux and Chaos: A Case Study of Wicked Problems in Environmental Management”**
  Umar Ghuman, California State University Stanislaus, [ughuman@csustan.edu](mailto:ughuman@csustan.edu) and Wendy Olmstead, California State University Stanislaus, [wolmstead@csustan.edu](mailto:wolmstead@csustan.edu)

**Room 226**

**The New Bureaucracy or, New Functions for Old Structures?**

*Chair/Discussant Valerie Patterson*

- **“Revising the Current Administrative Telos of American Bureaucracies”**
  Alexandru Roman California State University San Bernardino, [aroman@csusb.edu](mailto:aroman@csusb.edu)

- **“Listen! Leadership in a ‘Postmodern’ World”**
  Chris Erickson, University of British Columbia, [cerickso@mail.ubc.ca](mailto:cerickso@mail.ubc.ca)

- **“Proof and Refutation in Public Administration”**
  Joshua M. Steinfeld, Florida Atlantic University, [jsteinf4@fau.edu](mailto:jsteinf4@fau.edu)

- **“The Uneven Combat— the Practicability of Keeping Contestation Alive”**
  Ricardo Schmukler, University of Buenos Aires

**Room 301**

**The Digital Turn as a Challenge to Capitalism**

*Full Panel Proposal*

- **“The Digital Turn as a Challenge to Capitalism and Hierarchy”**, C.F. Abel, Stephen F. Austin State University, [cfabel@sfasu.edu](mailto:cfabel@sfasu.edu)

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