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Teoria das Representações Sociais: 50 anos



We are pleased to announce the publication of the book “**Teoria das Representações Sociais: 50 anos**” edited by Angela Maria de O. Almeida, Maria de Fátima Souza Santos and Zeidi Araújo Trindade, (Brasília: TechnoPolitik Editora).

The scope of the book is to reflect on the content of Serge Moscovici’s seminal book work “Psychoanalysis, its image and public”, and its impact in different contexts. The following authors have contributed to the book: Alain Clémence, Alda Judith Alves Mazzotti, Angela Arruda, Annamaria Silvana de Rosa, Augusto Palmonari, Brigido Vizeu de Camargo, Clarilza Prado, Celso Pereira de Sá, Denise Jodelet, Denize Cristina Oliveira, Dorra Ben Alaya, Gina Philogene, Jean-Claude Abric, Jorge Correia Jesuino, Jorge Vala, Maria Auxiliadora Banchs, Maria Stella Grossi, Martha de Alba, Ricardo Vieiralves, Risa

Permana, Saadi Lahlou, Sandra Jovchelovitch, Thémis Apostolidis, Willem Doise, Wolfgang Wagner, Zeidi Trindade, Fátima Santos and Angela Almeida.

European Commission Projects

Both our project proposals, “FP7-PEOPLE-2011-ITN - SoReComTheNet EuPhD” and “Erasmus Mundus ECJD – SoReCom World”, submitted in 2011 to the European Commission, have received excellent evaluations and have passed all evaluation thresholds. However, given the limits of the budgetary resources available only very few projects have been effectively funded.

The many strengths of the proposals acknowledged in the evaluation by the EC are – among others quoted - :

- good training capacities,
- incorporation of non-EU partners,
- appropriate management policy, efficient networking, exploitation of synergies and complementarities among partners,
- very good scientific quality of the research programme with an appropriate methodology,
- very good training on supra-disciplinary fields,
- international mobility,
- use of IT tools”

The top evaluation still received in 2011 encourages us to apply again for the next calls.

Editorial News

We are pleased to announce Sylvain Delouvé’s new book entitled “**Pourquoi faisons-nous des choses stupides ou irrationnelles ?!**” (Publisher: Editions Dunot – ISBN: 9782100558346).



The book offers a humorous approach to twenty experiences among the best known in social psychology in order to help us understand our reactions that are often irrational!

More information can be found at the following [link](#)

A specific [facebook](#) page has also been created.



Editorial News

We have the pleasure to announce the publication on September 2011 of the book "**Handbook of Theories of Social Psychology**" edited by **Paul A. M. Van Lange, Arie W. Kruglanski, and Tory Higgins**, London: Sage Publications Ltd.

The book is published in a two-volume. The **first volume** (ISBN: 978-0857029607) provides a comprehensive exploration of the major developments of social psychological theories that have taken place over the past half century, culminating in a state of the art overview of the primary theories and models that have been developed in this vast and fascinating field. Volume One covers Biological/Evolutionary Level of Analysis, Cognitive Level of Analysis, Content Model and Motivational and Affective Level of Analysis. Authored by leading international experts, each chapter represents a personal and historical narrative of the theory's development including the inspirations, critical junctures, and problem-solving efforts that effected theoretical choices and determined the theory's impact and its evolution. Unique to this handbook, these narratives provide a rich background for understanding how theories are created, nurtured, and shaped over time, and examining their unique contribution to the field as a whole. To examine its societal impact, each theory is evaluated in terms of its applicability to better understanding and solving critical social issues and problems.

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More information is available on **SAGE** website.

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So.Re.Com.THE.NET. online Event Agenda

Among several new applications we have installed on our European Ph.D. web server using Google Calendar, the on-line So.Re.Com.THE.NET. Events Agenda will announce and disseminate information concerning various types of scientific and training events (seminars, lectures, research group meetings, methodological training, etc.) organised in and outside the European Ph.D. on Social Representations and Communication Research Centre and Multimedia Lab and at So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork partner sites.

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**11th International Conference on Social Representations
25th – 28th June 2012, Evora (Portugal)**

Following the great success of the ten International Conferences on Social Representations (ICSR) held until now, we are pleased to announce that the next 11th ICSR will be organised in Portugal by the University of Evora, from the 25th until the 28th June 2012. The conference's Honorary President is Prof. Jorge Correia Jesuino.

Further information will soon be available on the website: <http://www.cirs2012.uevora.pt/>

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