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So.Re.Com. Joint-IDP Institutional News







So.Re.Com. Joint-IDP: activity report for month 26 (November 2015)

As foreseen by the So.Re.Com. Joint-IDP timeline (http://www.europhd.eu/html/_onda01/10/05.01.00.00.shtml) the following activities have been realized and implemented during the month of November 2015:

- 1. Early-Stage Researchers' 17th month of activities during the 13 ESRs' secondments
- Consultation by e-mail and individual on-line meetings with all ESRs and Associated Partners, following the Mid Term Review Feedbacks from the REA, in order to reply to the 13 recommendations. The replies were sent to the EC on November 15, discussed and approved by the REA in a meeting with 5 representatives from REA and two members of Sapienza Supervisory Board held in Brussels on Friday November 27.
- 1. Submission of the First Periodic Report of the *SoReCom Joint-IDP project* to the REA on November 30.
- 1. Development of the SoReCom "A.S. de Rosa" @-library
- Dissemination of the SoReCom Joint-IDP project information and of the integrated scientific community belonging to the SoReCom THEmatic NETwork through the SoReCom.THE.NET.@-NEWS and the dedicated web site <u>http://www.europhd.eu/SoReComJointIDP</u>
- Dissemination of the project research outcomes during the IX Jornadas Internacionais sobre Representações Sociais (JIRS) "Representações Sociais e Sociedades em Movimento" held from 24th to 27th of November 2015 in Teresina, Brazil
- 1. Day-to-day management of the *SoReCom Joint-IDP* (correspondence with partners, facilitating the early stage researcher's needs during their secondments, EC project officer, conference calls with the enterprise working on the platform, website updates, administrative management)



The So.Re.Com Joint-IDP Activities



The So.Re.Com. Joint-IDP

Early-Stage Researchers Activities – November 2015

During the month of November 2015, the Early Stage Researchers have continued their **secondments**, spread all over the world, from China to Mexico, from Canada to Brazil, from Argentina to many EU countries: Austria, Czech Republic, France, Romania, Spain, Switzerland.

Following the successful massive data import into the SoReCom "A.S. de Rosa" @-library, the enterprise has been implementing the user-profiles and related functionalities in order to proceed to test the new web-platform.

In order to improve the search of missing or new PdF, some ESRs (Teresa Forte in Brazil, Carlos Miguel Aguilar in Argentina, Mihaela Alexandra Gherman in Argentina) have collaborated with dr. Laura Dryjanska to the co-supervision of six master students who are contributing to the development of the *SoReCom "A.S. de Rosa" @-Library.* They are collaborating to the unified research program on the meta-theoretical analysis for their master thesis supported by the extra-EU Sapienza mobility scholarships at the same abroad institutions, that host some ESRs for their secondments.

Weekly monitoring Skype Meetings during the secondment was continued with the Early Stage Researchers in order to discuss the meta-theoretical analysis carried out on previously selected publications, to be informed about their progresses and complementary activities followed at the host abroad institution and to assist some of them in conference presentations.

Following previous formal communication (October 9), on October 14 and 15, 2015 and November 5 and 6, Skype meetings with each ESR and Sapienza Supervisory Board and in some cases with the co-tutors at the host abroad institution have been organised in order to:

- present the 13 recommendations from the REA-Research Executive Agency after the Mid Term Review;
- share with the ESRs the proposal elaborated by Sapienza Supervisory Board;
- discuss with the ESRs in order to get their opinion and suggestions concerning the two above mentioned points.

Both the fellows and the associated partners have been invited to send their feedbacks in written format. The revised and integrated new version of the document elaborated by Sapienza Supervisory Board has been again sent for approval and/or further feedbacks.



The So.Re.Com Joint-IDP Activities







Early Stage Researchers
Snapshots during the mobility abroad

- Ioana Guraliuc working on the Genesis and development of the "structural paradigmatic approach" in Iasi, Romania
- Marija Adela Gjiorgjioska working on the Genesis and development of the "sociodynamic paradigmatic approach" in Lausanne, Switzerland
- Maryia Kukharava working on the Genesis and development of the "dialogical, conversational and narrative paradigmatic approaches" in Brno, Czech Republic
- Laura Arhiri working on the Genesis and development of the "anthropological and ethnographic paradigmatic approach" in Mexico City, Mexico
- Agnese Pastorino working on Genesis and development of the "modelling paradigmatic approach" in San Sebastian, Spain
- Ana Tomicic working on Mapping the impact and dissemination of the social representation theory across different geo-cultural contexts: "Europe", the theory's homeland in Geneva, Switzerland
- Mihaela Gherman working on Mapping the impact and dissemination of the social representation theory across different geo-cultural contexts: "North-America and other continents (Oceania-Asia-Africa)", new emerging scenarios in Ottawa, Canada
- Teresa Forte working on Mapping the impact and dissemination of the social representation theory across different geo-cultural contexts: "Latin America", the most fertilised scenario in Santa Catarina, Brazil
- Aminat Ramazanova working on Taking stock of the literature in the thematic field of "Science, Social Representations and Communication" in Tianjin, China
- Borja De Madaria Escudero working on Taking stock of the literature in the thematic field of "Social Representations and Environment in Paris, France
- Monica Panzaru working on Taking stock of the literature in the thematic field of "Social Representations, Economy, Advertising, Marketing and Organizational Contexts" in Vienna, Austria
- Carlos Miguel Filiberto Aguilar working on Taking stock of the literature in the thematic field of "Social Representations, Community & Health" in Buenos Aires, Argentina
- Filomena Berardi working on Taking stock of the literature in the thematic field of "Social Representations & Politics: Multidimensional identities, intergroup relations, social movements and active minorities" in Valencia, Spain









Ioana Guraliuc

'Al.I. Cuza University of Iasi" Romania

- Individual research progress related to the core project on the Metatheoretical Analysis:
 - Retrieval of new PDFs
 - Meta-theoretical analysis of publications related to the structural approach
 - A video-interview realized with scientists working on social representations
 in Romania: Conf. Dr. Dorin Nastas on 29 of October.

Scanning Books and Magazines needed for realizing the meta-theoretical analysis from the "Mihai Eminescu" Library and the Library of the "Faculty of Psychology and Social Sciences"



Conf dr.. Dorin Nastas



Scanning files



"Mihai Eminescu" Library



First snow in IASI



Early Stage Researchers Snapshots during the mobility abroad







Maryia Kukharava the Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic

Individual research progress related to the core project on the Metatheoretical Analysis:

• Meta-theoretical analysis of publications related to the dialogical approach











Laura Arhiri

Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Ciudad de México, México,

Individual research progress related to the core project on the Metatheoretical Analysis:

- Dedication of more time to retrieving Pdf files, by both searching scientific databases which could be accessed, and scanning publications found only in physical format;
- Continued work on meta-theoretical analysis and updating the weekly reports with the progress of related activities;
- Conducing 2 video-interviews realized with scientists working on social representations: Dr. Afredo Guerrero Tapia, professor at UNAM, Ciudad de Mexico and Dr. Maria Estela Ortega Rubi, professor at the Universidad Autónoma de Nuevo León, Ciudad de Mexico, both leading figures in the field of Social Representations;
- Dedication of a full week to searching the university library for more publications on Social Representations, since this was the last month of secondment.

At the RENIRS Conference on October 28, 2015 Xalapa,Veracruz Prof. Alfredo Guerrero Tapia Facultad de Psicología UNAM Prof. Maria Estela Rubi Social Psychologist Universidad de Nuevo León















Mihaela-Alexandra Gherman

University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada

- Individual research progress related to the core project on the Meta-theoretical Analysis:
 - Joint supervision of master students Alessandro Reda and Martina Latini who created new entries and retrieved pdfs for the library
 - Development of the meta-theoretical analyses and retrieving new pdfs for the SoReCom "A.S. de Rosa" @-library.
- Conducing video interview with Prof. Lilian Negura.
- Retrieval of 80 new PDFs for the SoReCom Library



Faculty of Social Sciences, UOttawa













Teresa Forte

Laboratório de Psicologia Social da Comunicação e Cognição (LACCOS) in University Federal of Santa Catarina , Santa Catarina, Brazil

- Individual research progress related to the core project on the Metatheoretical Analysis:
- Retrieval of new Pdf with Master students Andrea Amedeo and Giulia Sorrentino
- · Meta- theoretical analysis of articles and conference presentations
- Video-interviews with Professor Clélia Nascimento- Schulze, Professor Andréia Giacomozzi and Professor Andréa Barbará

➤ Seminars

- LACCOS and Italy (UFSC, 18.11.2015)
- Presentation "The fruitful relationship between LACCOS and the European Joint PhD in SR&C"
- Presentation by Professor Alberta Contarello (Padova University)

> Training Activities and Networking

- Social meeting at LACCOS with LACCOS team and post graduation students (18.11.2015)
- Participation in interactive poster session in IX JIRS & VII Conferência Brasileira em Representações sociais (UNINOVAFAPI, Teresina, Brazil, 24-27 November 2015) :
- de Rosa, A.S., Dryjanska, L. & Forte, T. (2015). Geo-mapping the evolution of the social representations theory: the Latin America scenario
- de Rosa, A.S., Dryjanska, L. & Bocci, E. (2015). Geo-mapping the global Dissemination of the Social Representations theory: Geo-cultural focus.











Aminat Ramazanova Nankai University, Tianjin, China

- Individual research progress related to the core project on the Meta-theoretical Analysis:
 Meta-theoretical Analysis of the book chapters and journal articles
- Revising the publication on epistemology and the ones related to the thematic field of Science, Social Representations and Communication
- Retrieving new publications in the library of Nankai University
- Revising a number of publications and improving the background cultural knowledge to prepare the list of questions to interview the scientists and young scholars working in the field of Social Representations in China
- Conducting an on-line interview with Prof. Feng Lin on November 23. Organizer: Prof. Annamaria de Rosa. Participants: Elena Bocci, Laura Dryjanska, Siyu Sun, Martina Di Loreto.
- Conducting a video-interview with dr. Siyu Sun on November 25.
- Scheduling a video interview with Prof. Jian Guan on December 3.
- Writing a lecture and preparing a PPT on "Axiological and Psychological Aspects of Communication. Anchoring by Metaphors".
- Networking opportunities: Prof. Guan, Prof. Feng Lin, dr. Siyu Sun
- Preparing Full list of publications in APA format
- Updating the list of my publications
- Preparing a questionnaire for teachers and students of Nankai University and Tianjin University of Technology and Education to fill in.
- Preparing a report on 3 month secondment period to present at "Welcome back to the lab: sharing the secondment experience" on December 2, in Rome, Italy

















Monica Panzaru

University of Vienna, Vienna, Austria

Individual research progress related to the core project on the Metatheoretical Analysis:

- Retrieving new Pdfs
- Meta-theoretical analysis of various book chapters, articles and conference presentation

Seminars: Participation at the weekly seminars for advanced Master students `Theory and Empiry` (topics: statistical power and effect size, ethical issues in publishing) and PhD students seminar (topics: Missing data analysis)

Workshop: "Time, space and intertemporal choice – Why approaching the future makes short-term thinking" by Donal Crilly – London Business School in Vienna on 5 November 2015

◆ Cultural events: Half-marathon participation (1h55min)

Christmas Markets Season - an age-old tradition in Vienna. The forerunners of the present-day events date back to the Middle Ages. Since then, the character and prevalence of these markets has changed considerably. Nowadays, over 20 official Advent Markets sell a vast array of seasonal gifts and mouth-watering treats.









Early Stage Researchers Snapshots during the mobility abroad







Carlos Filiberto Miguel Aguilar University of Belgrano, Buenos Aires, Argentina

- Individual research progress related to the core project on the Meta-theoretical Analysis:
- Retrieval of new PDFs (Coordination of the work performed by tutored Master students – Ilenia Impei and Ivana Moscano)
- Video-interviews with professors José Antonio Castorina (UBA), Alicia Barreiros (FLACSO), Elena Zubieta (UBA), Gustavo Regueiral (UBA), Jorgelina Di Iorio (UBA).
- Meta-theoretical analysis of articles and conference abstracts

Training Activities and Networking

- Assistance to Congress: VII Congreso Internacional de investigación y practica profesional en psicogía, XXII Jornada de investigación y XI Encuentro de investigadores en psicología del MERCOSUR, 25 to 28 November, 2015.
- Conference: Bengt Lindström, SALUTOGÉNESIS: Una aproximación a la salud basada en activos sociales. 03/11/2015
- Cultural events
- Farewell dinner
- Farewell with Professor Susana Seidmann











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The So.Re.Com Joint-IDP and European/International Joint PhD in Social Representations and Communication Dissemination Activities







IX Jornada Internacional sobre Representações Sociais – JIRS, Teresina/Piauí/Brazil 24-27 November 2015

The Theory of Social Representations occupies an important place in social psychology and in different areas of knowledge. The international recognition of its scientific relevance led its founder, Serge Moscovici, to receive top honor prizes, like - among many others - the Balzan Prize (2003) and the Award Wilhelm Wundt-William James (2007).

The strong pace of development of this study field in Brazil has led the Brazilian production to benefit from the exchange with foreign researchers in the International Conference on Social Representations (JIRS), providing a significant contribution to the international field, as recognized by major European and Latin-American authors.







The ESR Teresa Forte presented two posters:

- de Rosa, A.S., Dryjanska, L. & Forte, T. (2015). Geo-mapping the evolution of the social representations theory: the Latin America scenario.
- de Rosa, A.S., Dryjanska, L. & Bocci, E. (2015). Geo-mapping the global Dissemination of the Social Representations theory: Geo-cultural focus.



The So.Re.Com Joint-IDP and So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork International Collaboration Activities







Study visit of Natalia Cojocaru November 3-19, 2015

Within the actions supported by the European Association of Social Psychology to promote international staff mobility, Prof. **Natalia Cojocaru** (Associate Professor, PhD in Psychology Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences State University of Moldova) has spent three weeks at the European/International Joint PhD in Social Representations and Communication Research Centre and Multimedia Lab in Rome (Italy).

Natalia Cojocaru has started to approach on a theoretical level such questions as:

- a) How various social objects of knowledge contribute to the genesis of hegemonic, emancipated and polemic representations in three domains: politics and economy, health, work and organizational contexts;
- b) how these representations are managed at the societal and intergroup levels in various socio-ideological contexts;
- c) what is their dynamics in the society which influences the transformation of a kind of representation into another. In particular:
 - c.1. How does the polemic representation turns, if it does, into a hegemonic representation?
 - c2. If the transformation occurs, what are the socio-ideological conditions and what is the role played by the social movements in the new communicative scenario of the web 2.0?
 - c.3. What happens with the polemic representation, which does not evolve into a hegemonic one and for how long and under what conditions the polemic representation remain polemic?
 - c.4. How are the controversial topics and polemic representation negotiated at the societal and intergroup level?

Dr. Natalia Cojocaru has spent these three weeks in November 2015 in the European/International Joint PhD in Social Representations and Communication Research Centre and Multimedia Lab, supported by a EASP grant for post-doc visiting scholars.





The So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork Activities Upcoming International Scientific Events 2016

We are pleased to announce that the

International Conference

organized by

Universidad Autonoma Metropolitana

will take place in Mexico

On the 25th of February 2016

"Representaciones sociales: El peso de las normas"

Key presenter:

Dr Patrick Rateau from the University of Nimes, France





The So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork Activities Upcoming International Scientific Events 2016

We are pleased to announce that the International Winter School organized by Centre for Cultural psychology at Aalborg University will take place in Klitgaarden at Skagen, North Denmark On the 18th – 21st of February 2016

"The method of imagination"



The winter school goal is to mobilize PhD students and early-stage researchers in the new multidisciplinary field of study of imagination. Imaginative processes are always at stake in art, education, scientific work, business, politics, they are also involved in decision-making, creativity, psychotherapy. The scientific purpose of the winter school is to provide an introduction to **the study of imagination as autonomous interdisciplinary field of study in social and human sciences**, by providing a very early opportunity of international publication to young and promising scholars, who can provide with a significant and visionary contribution to the advancement of knowledge in this new field. The Conference is organized by the **Centre for Cultural Psychology, Aalborg University**, that is becoming a leading location in the field of cultural psychology.

Registration and payment will be open from 1st of November 2015 until 10th of January 2016, through the e-form on Centre for Cultural Psychology website: https://www.erap.aau.dk/event/index.php/winter2016

For any inquiry about the winter school please visit the website (www.ccp.aau.dk) or contact: Centre for Cultural Psychology, Aalborg University, Kroghstræde 3, Room 4.219, DK-9220 Aalborg Øst, Denmark, Tel: (+45) 9940 3177

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The So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork Activities Upcoming International Scientific Events 2016

We are pleased to announce that the International Conference

organized by

L'Université Moulay Ismail, L'Université d'Avignon et des Pays de Vaucluse,

and L'Ecole Supérieure de Technologie





will take place in Morocco from the 22nd to 23rd of March 2016,

"Les représentations sociales et l'agencement collectif d'énonciation: identités, catégorisations, conflits"

See the call for papers on the event's website:

https://sites.google.com/site/colloquersace/comites/comite-d-organisation





The So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork Activities Upcoming International Scientific Events 2016

We are pleased to announce the IV international seminar on Political and Economic Psychology: "Psychology of Political and Economic Self-Constitution" organized in

Kyiv at the Institute of Social and Political Psychology of

Ukraine on the 20th of May 2016



Participation fee (20 euros) covers seminar proceedings publication. Seminar proceedings will be published in English.

Travel, meals and accommodation should be paid by participants. For registered participants Organizing Committee will provide information about travel, meals and accommodation in Kyiv.

Abstracts guidelines: approximately 1200 words, please avoid footnotes, figures and bibliography. References should be inserted in the text (surname, year). On the top of abstracts: authors' name and surname, scientific degree, title, position, affiliation.

Theoretical study should include: 1) introduction, 2) objectives, 3) results, 4) conclusions. Empirical study should include: 1) introduction, 2) objectives, 3) method and procedure, 4) results, 5) conclusions. These units should be clearly separated in the text.

Abstracts should be sent to email: dnipropsy@yahoo.com in *.doc, *docx by April 1st, 2016.

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IV international seminar on Political and Economic Psychology: "Psychology of Political and Economic Self-Constitution" organized in

Kyiv at the Institute of Social and Political Psychology of Ukraine on the 20th of May 2016

Psychologists, political scientists and economists are invited to discuss the following topics of Political and Economic Psychology:

- Psychological peculiarities of national economic policy;
- Public opinion on political and economic issues;
- Money, income and savings attitudes;
- Psycho-economic aspects of organizational activities;
- Entrepreneurship psychology;
- Citizenship activity and citizenship education;
- Political and economic consciousness and socialization;
- Psychology of consumer behavior;
- Psychology of richness and poverty;
- Social representations paradigm for research in Political and Economic Psychology;
- Pedagogical basis of political and economic consciousness development;
- Psychological well-being as a precondition of economic development.











The So.Re.Com. THEmatic NETwork Activities Upcoming International Events 2016

We are pleased to announce that the

13th International Conference on Social Representations

"Epistemologies of everyday life"

will take place in Marseille

(Palais du Pharo / http://palaisdupharo.marseille.fr/), France, from the 14th to 17th of September 2016,

The first call for papers will be issued in the near future.





The SoReCom Joint-IDP 2014-2017 MAIN TRAINING EVENTS

European/International Joint PhD in Social Representations and Communication



EVENT	TITLE	DATE
2014 Int. summer School	Genesis, development and actuality of the Social Representation theory in more than fifty years (1961-2011 and beyond): the main paradigms and the <i>modelling approach</i>	13 th - 19 th July 2014
2015 Winter Lab Meeting	Training in the meta-theoretical analysis of the specialised literature on S.R. & Communication	25 th - 28 th January 2015
2015 Spring Lab Meeting	The "Anthropological", "Narrative", "Dialogical" and "Subjective" paradigmatic approaches to Social Representations	26 th - 29 th April 2015
2015 Int. summer School	Mapping the impact and dissemination of the social representation theory across different geo-cultural contexts around the world: from Europe towards other continents	18 th - 25 th July 2015
2016 Winter Lab Meeting	Training in the meta-theoretical analysis of the specialised literature on S.R. & Communication	24 th - 27 th January 2016
2016 Spring Lab Meeting	The "Structural" paradigmatic approach to Social Representations	17 th - 20 th April 2016
2016 Int. summer School	The "methodological polytheism in the Social Representations literature and its implication in the contemporary communication era: distinctiveness and dialogue between multiple research methods	17 th - 23 rd July 2016
2017 Winter Lab Meeting	Training in the meta-theoretical analysis of the specialised literature on S.R. & C.	29 th January - 1 st February 2017
2017 Spring Lab Meeting	The "Socio-Dynamic" paradigmatic approach to Social Representations	16 th - 19 th April 2017
2017 Int. summer School	Social Representations in the social arena faced with social demand: the impact of this supra-disciplinary research field on the wide range of societal issues investigated in the various thematic areas in multiple applied contexts	18 th – 24 th June 2017

SAVE DATES in your Agenda

PROFESSORS AND EXPERTS belonging to the So.Re.Com. Joint-IDP Partner Organisations from the Academic and Private Sectors are strongly invited to **SAVE THE ABOVE DATES IN THEIR AGENDA** to participate actively in the Training Scientific Events and in the coordination Meetings of the Supervisory Board.

POTENTIAL APPLICANTS interested in participating in one or more of the planned events are INVITED TO APPLY by sending an expression of interest and their CV to: annamaria.derosa@uniroma1.it