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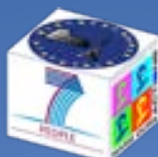
# So.Re.Com. Joint-IDP: activity report for month 32 (May 2016)

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 May 2016:

1. Early-Stage Researchers' **23rd month** of activities

2. **Individual meetings of the ESRs** on May 2 with the members of the Supervisory Board about the research and training activities to carry out in the third year of the contract and with the main tutor concerning **individual methodological training plan** aimed at the data analyses on May 11

3. Meetings of the restricted and integrated Sapienza Supervisory Board on May 3 and 4

4. Development of the *SoReCom "A.S. de Rosa" @-library*

5. **Meeting with the Head of the Department, ESRs' representatives and Project Leader** on May 12 to discuss the replies to the REA elaborated by the project leader jointly with the members of the Supervisory Board

6. 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 http://www.europhd.eu/SoReComJointIDP

7. Day-to-day management of the *SoReCom Joint-IDP* (correspondence with partners, facilitating the early stage researcher's needs, EC project officer, conference calls with the enterprise working on the platform, website updates, administrative management)
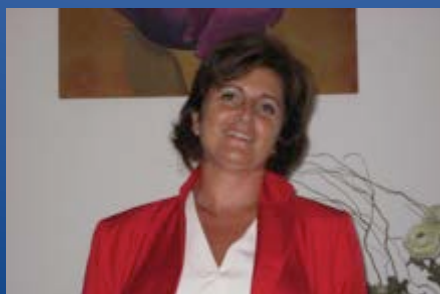
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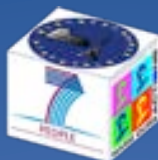
Meeting of the
Sapienza Supervisory Board
May 3-4, 2016

SoReCom Joint-IDP **Sapienza Supervisory Board Members**: Annamaria de Rosa, Giovanna Leone, Mauro Sarrica, Elena Bocci, Laura Dryjanska, integrated with the two elected ESR's representatives: **Aminat Ramazanova and Borja de Madaria**, have discussed the state of the project and the individual ESRs' main activities overview tables.
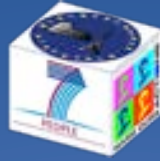
Meeting at the Department
May 12, 2016

SoReCom Joint-IDP **Sapienza Supervisory Board Members**: Annamaria de Rosa, Giovanna Leone and Elena Bocci integrated with the elected ESR's representative: **Aminat Ramazanova** (Borja de Madaria justified absent) and the Department Director Prof. Talamo

The So.Re.Com Joint-IDP Activities

Individual meetings of the ESRs with their main tutor, some co-tutors and lab assistant
### May 11, 2016

SoReCom Joint-IDP **ESRs** have had supervisory meetings with the **Project Leader Prof. Annamaria de Rosa**, some of their co-tutors and lab assistant, aimed :

a) to share awareness about the need of the current phase aimed at assigning the references according to cross-thematic and cross-categorical criteria (es. geo-cultural, paradigmatic, thematic) in order to proceed to the multiple use of the same references by more than one fellows and to exchange sources initially assigned by using one exclusive criteria, therefore proceeding to a **fair redistribution of the sources**;

b) to start to introduce one-by-one the methodological training on the application of **Iramuteq** on the set of data built on the bibliographic items of the sources that are currently under meta-theoretical analysis, using abstracts and key words as active variables and many variables of the bibliographic items as "illustrative variables".

The strategy of "**learning by doing**" **and individual one-to-one training** to be provided in the next months at the European/Int. Joint PhD in S.R. & C. Research Centre and Multimedia Lab is in line with the already announced plan, when updating the new individual **ESRs' Table on Main Activities** which have all in common the plan to participate in further applied statistical training on Iramuteq and on Multidimensional Analysis of Correspondence .

The So.Re.Com Joint-IDP additional Training Opportunities
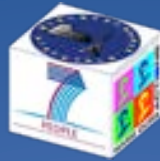
From Curriculum to Personal Branding
May 10, 2016

Dr. Mauro Sarrica has invited all ESRs to a training course on May 10, 2016, at 17.30 at the Department of Communication and Social Research, dedicated to **Social Media Journalism**. The meeting was led by **Germano Milite**, a professional journalist and brand manager of Insem SPA (see photo below).

The meeting, entitled "**From curriculum to personal branding**", aimed to introduce new business models for the digital publishing and new job opportunities for journalists and media professionals, overcoming the crisis rhetoric and lack of job opportunities mark contemporary society.

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Rome, 17-23 July 2016
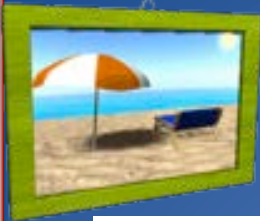
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The "*methodological polytheism* in the Social Representations literature and its implication in the contemporary communication era: distinctiveness and dialogue between multiple research methods (textual and image-based research sources and tools, traditional and new media-based research design, experimental and field oriented studies)
Rome, 17th -23rd July 2016

http://www.europhd.net/html/_onda01/10/05.00.00.00.shtml

date	hour	Key Lectures	Professor
Monday 18th July	9:00-10:00	Welcome address Relating multiple paradigmatic approaches and levels of analysis to the methodological polytheism in the social representation literature	Annamaria Silvana de Rosa (Italy) Ioana Guraliuc (Romania) Laura Arhiri Romania) Maryia Kukharava (Bielorussia) Marija Adela Gjorgjioska (Macedonia) Agnese Pastorino (Italia) SoReCom Joint-IDP, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
	10:00-12:00	Dialogical methods for investigating social representations in various professional practices	Ivana Markova University of Stirling, UK
	12:00-12:30	Questions from the Participants and discussion	
	12:30-14:00	Lunch break	
	14:00-15:00	From the use of big data to meta-analysis in urban and transportation studies in the society of algorythms.	Sylvain Lassarre from non academic associate partner IFSTTAR, Paris France
	15:00-15:30	Coffee break	
	15:30-16:30	Methodological input from the EU project Safety Cube: a meta-analysis from mixes different types of studies (road user, infrastructure, vehicle) and applied disciplines (from medicine to epidemiology, to transportation and environmental studies).	Sylvain Lassarre from non academic associate partner IFSTTAR, Paris France
	16:30-17:00	Questions from the Participants and discussion	

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Tuesday 19th July	10:00-11:30	The concept of themata 'at the heart of social representations': implications for single case studies.	**Ivana Markova** University of Stirling, UK
	11:30-12:00	**Coffee break**	
	12:00-12:30	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	
	12:30-14:00	**Lunch break**	
	14:00-15:00	Anchoring different methodological options and research designs into various geo-cultural contexts-continents	**Annamaria Silvana de Rosa** (Italy) **Laura Dryjanska** (Poland) **Ana Tomicic** (Croatia) **Mikaela Alexandra Gherman** (Romania) **Teresa Forte** (Portugal) SoReCom Joint-IDP lab, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
	15:00-17:00	Detecting multiple methods researching social representations in various thematic areas and cross-disciplinary domains	**Annamaria Silvana de Rosa** (Italy) **Laura Dryjanska** (Poland) **Aminat Ramazanova** (Russia) **Boria De Madaria** (Spain) **Monica Gabriella Panzaru** (Romania) **Carlos Miguel Aguilar** (Mexico) **Filomena Berardi** (Italy) **Tânia Santos** (Portugal) SoReCom Joint-IDP lab, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
		Polemic social representations on Social Change: is there no royal road for the study of social representations?	

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Wednesday 20th July	9:00-10:00	Figurative language, automaticity and discourse: social representations as a bridge between cognition and social construction	**Bruno Mazzara** Sapienza University, Rome, **Italy**
	10:00-10:30	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	
	10:30-11:00	**Coffee break**	
	11:00-12:00	Intergenerational narrative of violence: trying to grasp social representations of the past	**Giovanna Leone** Sapienza University, Rome
	12:00-12:30	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	
	12:30-14:00	**Lunch break**	
	14:00-15:00	Looking at Social Representations through critical psychology methods. Thinking Evil: Machiavellian Principles in Today's Geo-Political Context and islamophobia	**Gina Philogene,** Sarah Lawrence College, New York, US CUNY, Graduate School, New York, US
	15:00-15:30	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	
	15:30-16:30	Research tools for the Socio-Cultural Anthropology and Ethnographic Approach to the Social Representations within Urban Studies.	**Martha de Alba** Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana, **Mexico** **via Adobe Connect**
	16:30-17:00	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	

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Thursday 21st July	9:00-10:30	The Role of Media in Shaping the Social Imaginary: films as social document. The case of gender and genre in the sense making through films	Monica-Elena Mitarcă University 'Dimitrie Cantemir', Faculty of Political Studies Romania
	10:30-11:00	**Coffee break**	
	11:00-12:00	*Mass Media vs. Social Media from the perspective of communication studies*	Monica-Elena Mitarcă University 'Dimitrie Cantemir', Faculty of Political Studies Romania
	12:00-12:30	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	
	12:30-14:00	**Lunch break**	
	14:00-15:00	PhotoVoice: Participatory Visual Narrative Inquiry through Dialectic Group Processes: Application to Social Representations	Mieko Yoshihama University of Michigan School of Social Work, USA - Japan
	15:00-15:30	**Questions from the Participants and discussion**	
	15:30-17:00	Meeting of the SoReCom Joint-IDP Board **European/International Joint PhD Executive Committee Board**	

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Friday 22nd July	9:00-10:00	Integrating field studies and @-press research lines in a cross-cultural perspective	Annamaria Silvana de Rosa Sapienza University, Rome, Italy Emanuele Fino The University of Sheffield, UK EuroPhD ALUMNUS via Adobe Connect
	10:00-10:30	Coffee break	
	10:30-11:30	Social Networks as conversational space for negotiating social representations	Annamaria Silvana de Rosa Sapienza University, Rome, Italy Emanuele Fino The University of Sheffield, UK EuroPhD ALUMNUS via Adobe Connect
	11:30-12:00	Questions from the Participants and discussion	
	12:00-12:30	From Academia to Professional World back to Academic Context: Sharing experience as EuroPhD Alumnus	Emanuele Fino The University of Sheffield, UK EuroPhD ALUMNUS via Adobe Connect
	12:30-14:00	Lunch break	
	14:00-15:00	Ceremony of awarding the European / International Joint PhD on Social Representations and Communication and Farewell Party	

Sapienza-CDE (Council for Doctoral Education) Activities

"Good practices for the professional development of doctoral candidates in view of employment opportunities in and outside academic context"

May 16, 2016

As member of **Sapienza-CDE,** Annamaria Silvana de Rosa has attended the event organized by the working group **Sapienza-Council for Doctoral Education** dedicated to share experience and expertise about the career prospects of the PhD early-stage-researchers.

The meeting has been opened by **Guido Valesini**, the President of the Doctoral Programs Committee of the Sapienza University of Rome and introduced by the interventions of the Pro-Rectors **Tiziana Pascucci** and **Luciano Saso** and of **Andrea Lenzi** the President of the National University Council (CUN).

Results from the *European Project TOPIII on Career Development* Services by **Natalia Paganelli** (CRUI) and from a recent investigation on the *Occupational Condition of Italian PhD holders* (in particular those from Sapienza Doctorates) by **Claudia Girotti** (Almalaurea) have been the basis for a live debate.

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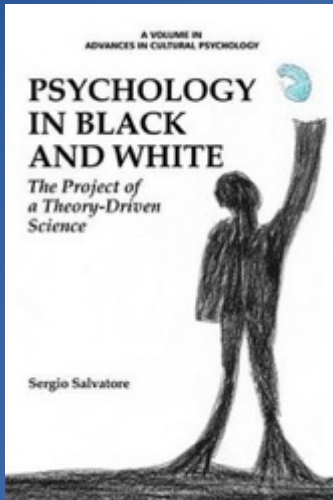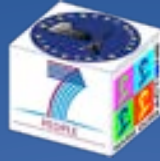
The new book by Sergio Salvatore (University of Salento) entitled *Psychology in Black and White: The Project of a Theory-Driven Science* has been published within the series *Advances in Cultural Psychology: Constructing Human Development* (Editor(s): Jaan Valsiner, *Niels Bohr Professor of Cultural Psychology, Aalborg University*).

This book is long awaited within the contemporarily creative field of cultural psychologies. It is a theoretical synthesis that is at the level of innovations that Sigmund Freud, James Mark Baldwin, William Stern, Kurt Lewin, Jean Piaget, Lev Vygotsky and Jan Smedslund have brought into psychology over the past century.

Here we can observe a creative solution to integrating cultural psychology with the rich traditions of psychodynamic perspectives, without repeating the conceptual impasses in which many psychoanalytic perspectives have become caught.

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The book can be ordered through the IAP-Information Age Publishing website:
http://www.infoagepub.com/products/Psychology-in-Black-and-White

Upcoming International Conference 2016

We are pleased to announce that t**he**

EADTU Conference

"Opportunities and Impact

of New Modes of Teaching"

will take place in **Rome, Italy**

from the 19th to 21st of October 2016

Over the past years, universities have intensified a deeper transformation of teaching and learning in higher education, based on e-learning and online education. New modes of teaching and learning create new opportunities for enhancing the quality of the learning experience for on campus students, for reaching out to new target groups off campus and for offering freely accessible open education through the internet (OERs, MOOCs). They support the quality, visibility and reputation of the institution.

On May 31st, the **Project Leader Annamaria Silvana de Rosa** and ESR **Aminat Ramazanova** submitted an abstract to the **EADTU Conference**.

For more information see: http://conference.eadtu.eu

Upcoming International Conference 2016

We are pleased to announce that t**he**

II Congreso Internacional

de la Sociedad Científica Española de Psicología Social

will take place in **Elche, Spain**

from the 20th to 22nd of October 2016

The II International Congress of the Spanish Scientific Society of Social Psychology and XIII National Congress of Social Psychology is the scientific meeting of most important social psychologists held every two years in Spain. The next edition will be held at the Congress Centre of Elche (Alicante).

The **Project Leader Annamaria Silvana de Rosa** and ESR **Carlos Filiberto Miguel Aguilar** have submitted an abstract to the above Conference and were notified about the acceptance.

For more information see: http://congreso2016.sceps.es/

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

We are pleased to announce that t**he**

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,

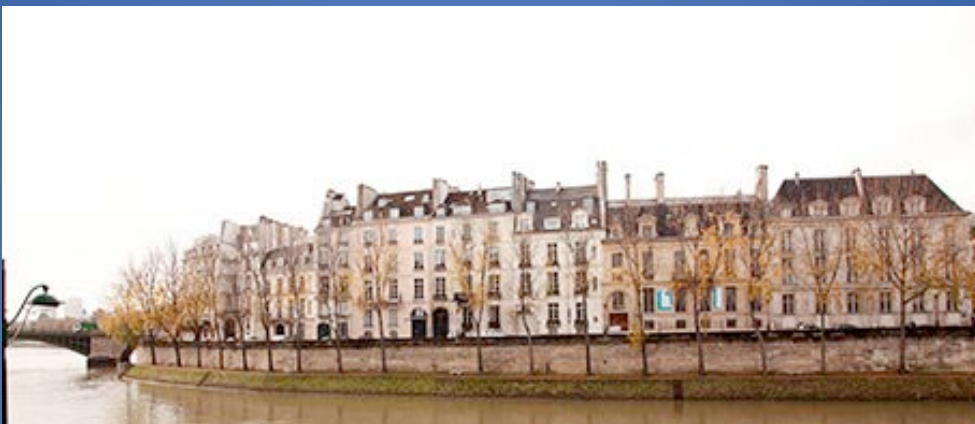http://cirs2016.sciencesconf.org/resource/page/id/7

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

We are pleased to announce that the

EASP Small Group Meeting in Honor of Serge Moscovici

will take place in **Paris**, France

from the 17th to 18th of November 2016

Organizers: Juan A. Pérez (University of Valencia); Nikos Kalampalikis (University of Lyon); Saadi Lahlou (London School of Economics); Denise Jodelet (EHESS); Thémis Apostolidis (University of Aix-Marseille)
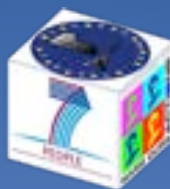
Contact: **Juan A. Pérez**: juan.a.perez@uv.es

The meeting aims to bring together junior and senior researchers to discuss theoretical aspects of Moscovici's work, his conceptual contributions, and the impact of his findings on of social psychology. The meeting is therefore open to participation beyond the circle of past Moscovici's collaborators. Applications from PhD students are particularly welcome. We will examine how Moscovici's contributions can help to face the contemporary challenges of our discipline, if it wants to have societal impact: Rising tensions between communities, the necessity to help individuals change to more sustainable behaviour; new digital systems for social networking, increased intercultural contacts through globalization, emerging forms of collective intelligence (e.g. Wikipedia), etc..

The SoReCom Joint-IDP

2014-2017 MAIN TRAINING EVENTS

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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 *modelling approach*	13th - 19th July 2014
2015 Winter Lab Meeting	Training in the meta-theoretical analysis of the specialised literature on S.R. & Communication	25th - 28th January 2015
2015 Spring Lab Meeting	The "Anthropological", "Narrative", "Dialogical" and "Subjective" paradigmatic approaches to Social Representations	26th - 29th 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	18th - 25th July 2015
2016 Winter Lab Meeting	Training in the meta-theoretical analysis of the specialised literature on S.R. & Communication	24th - 27th January 2016
2016 Spring Lab Meeting	The "Structural" paradigmatic approach to Social Representations	17th - 20th 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	17th - 23rd July 2016
2017 Winter Lab Meeting	Training in the meta-theoretical analysis of the specialised literature on S.R. & C.	29th January - 1st February 2017
2017 Spring Lab Meeting	The "Socio-Dynamic" paradigmatic approach to Social Representations	16th - 19th 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	18th – 24th 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 the application form to be downloaded from the web site and send it via e-mail to:
annamaria.derosa@uniroma1.it

The **FINAL PROGRAM** of the **forthcoming 2016 International Summer School** is available on the website:
http://www.europhd.net/html/_onda02/07/33.00.00.00.shtml