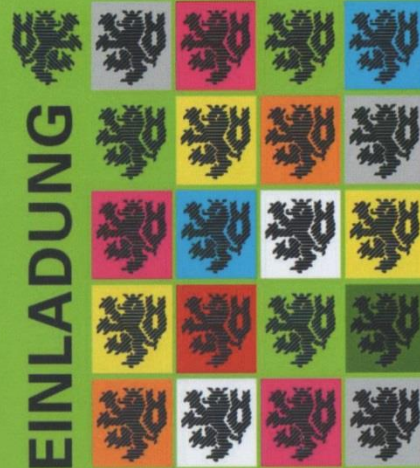


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Democratic Challenges and Perspectives



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Friday 15.02.2013

- 13.00h **Opening**
Lambert T. Koch, Rector of the Bergische Universität
Thomas Heinze, Dean, Department of Bildungs- and Social Sciences
Heinz Sünker (Wuppertal)
- 14.00h **I. Welfare State and Welfare Politics**
Chair: Andreas Schaarschuch (Wuppertal)
John Clarke (Open University, UK)
Contradictions of the Welfare State Today
Commentary: Hans-Uwe Otto (University of Bielefeld)
- 15.15h Tom Cockburn (University of Bradford)
Citizenship and Participatory Politics
Commentary: Michael Vester (University of Hannover)
- 16.30h Coffee Break
- 17.00h **II. Sociology of Education**
Chair: Rita Braches-Chyrek (Bamberg)
Andy Green (Institute of Education/London)
Education and Social Justice
Commentary: Ingrid Miethe (University of Gießen)
- 18.15h Philip Wexler (Brandeis University)
Education and Social Transformation
Commentary: Micha Brumlik (University of Frankfurt)
- 20.00h Dinner

Saturday 16.02.2013

- 09.30h Xavier Rambla (Autonomous University of Barcelona)
Globalization and Education
Commentary: Dirk Michel-Schertges (University of Aarhus)
- 11.00h **III. Childhood Studies and Children's Lives**
Chair: Doris Bühler-Niederberger (Wuppertal)
Jo Moran-Ellis (University of Surrey)
Childhood Studies and Politics of Childhood Revisited
Commentary: Michael-Sebastian Honig (University of Luxemburg)
- 12.15h Lunch Break
- 13.30h Hanne Warming (Roskilde University)
Children's Lives, Social Policy and Social Work
Commentary: Pat Petrie (Institute of Education/London)
- 14.45h Poster Session „Childhood Studies and Children's Lives in the Welfare State“
Doctoral Students of the Hans-Böckler-Foundation Research Training School „Kindheitsforschung“ (Universities Wuppertal and Kassel) on Childhood, Political Socialization and Education
Introduced by Lynne Chisholm (Innsbruck University) and Paul Johnson (University of York)
- 16.00h Closing Discussion