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THE URBAN FUTURES MONTHLY

Stay up to date with the latest news from the Urban Futures Platform

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

I am happy to update you on the following pieces of news on the Platform's activities for the coming weeks:

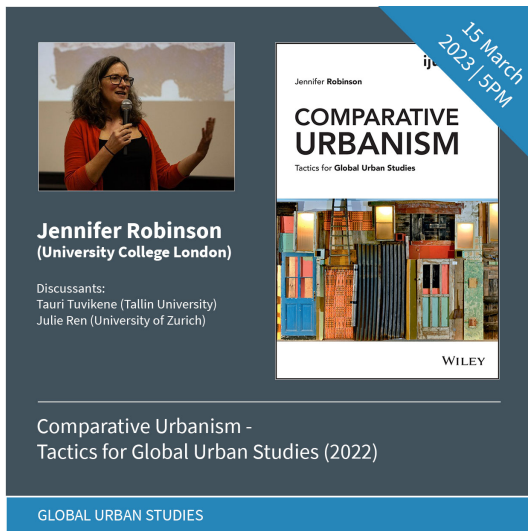
- Reminder: Jennifer Robinson is kicking off the "[Hot Off The Press](#)" book presentation series for Spring 2023 on March 15
- Save the date: April 19! Registration for the second event of the Hot Off The Press series with Matthias Bernt is open
- Registration for Sabrina Stallone's [Guest Talk](#) in Vienna on March 22 is open until March 20

I hope to see you at our events and that you're having a nice start to your spring term!

Kind regards,
Yuri Kazepov

Hot Off The Press book presentations for Spring 2023

Reminder to register for the first two events:



Jennifer Robinson
(University College London)

Discussants:
Tauri Tuvikene (Tallin University)
Julie Ren (University of Zurich)

Comparative Urbanism -
Tactics for Global Urban Studies (2022)

GLOBAL URBAN STUDIES

15 March
2023 | 5PM

March 15th - Jennifer Robinson

Jennifer Robinson is Professor of Human Geography at the University College London, UK.

She will discuss her most recent book on the reformatting of urban comparison, which "recalibrates overly used theoretical perspectives, resurrects forgotten ones long in need of a dusting off, and brings to the fore those often marginalised".

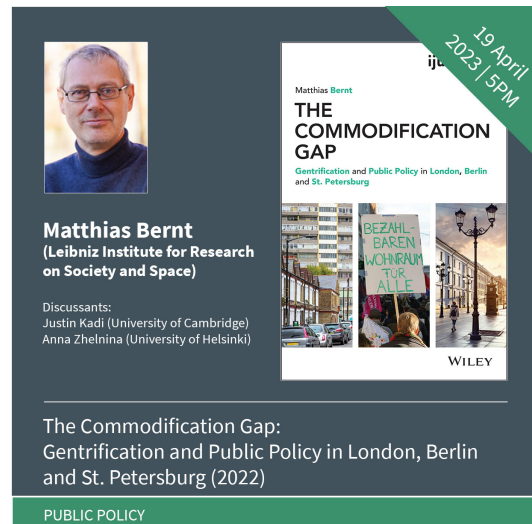
[Registration](#) is closing today, March 13th!

April 19th - Matthias Bernt

Matthias Bernt is the acting head of the research focus "Politics and Planning" at the Leibniz Institute for Research on Society and Space, Germany.

He introduces the concept of '*commodification gap*' to "demonstrate how gentrification is always entwined with institutions and distinctive contextual processes".

[Registration](#) is open.



Matthias Bernt
(Leibniz Institute for Research on Society and Space)

Discussants:
Justin Kadi (University of Cambridge)
Anna Zhelnina (University of Helsinki)

The Commodification Gap:
Gentrification and Public Policy in London, Berlin and St. Petersburg (2022)

PUBLIC POLICY

19 April
2023 | 5PM

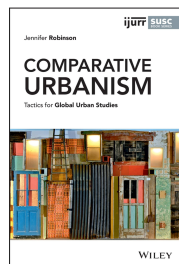
For the next two Hot Off The Press events in we will receive **Federico Savini (03.05.2023)** and **Loïc Wacquant (14.06.2023)**

Urban Futures Book Presentations Hot Off The Press 2023

15 March 2023
17:00-19:00 CET

Jennifer Robinson,
University College London

will be presenting:



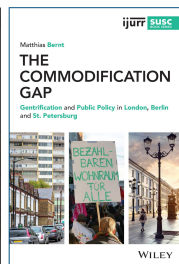
Discussants:

Julie Ren,
University of Zurich
Tauri Tuvikene,
Tallinn University

19 April 2023
17:00-19:00 CET

Matthias Bernt,
Leibniz IRS

will be presenting:



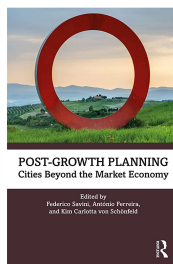
Discussants:

Justin Kadi,
University of Cambridge
Anna Zhelnina,
University of Helsinki

03 May 2023
17:00-19:00 CET

Federico Savini,
University of Amsterdam

will be presenting:



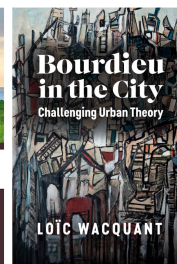
Discussants:

Elisabetta Mocca,
University of Vienna
Yvonne Rydin,
University College London

14 July 2023
17:00-19:00 CET

Loïc Wacquant,
University of California,
Berkeley

will be presenting:



Discussants:

Bruno Cousin,
Sciences Po
Christoph Reinprecht,
University of Vienna

The presentations will take place online via Zoom.

Register on our website:
www.urban-futures.at/events/hot-off-the-press



8am San Francisco | 11am Bogota-NYC | 4pm London | 5pm Vienna-Paris | 6pm Johannesburg | 9.30pm New Delhi | 3am Sydney

We look forward to welcoming you to open this semester's edition with fruitful and engaging exchanges!

Zoom links will be provided in due time. Please note that the sessions will be recorded.

Guest Talk in Vienna: Reminder to register for March 22nd

Dis/Articulating Urban Futures: Promises, Affect and Un/Wanted Bodies on Zurich's Land Reserves

Sabrina Stallone is a doctoral researcher at the Institute of Social Anthropology of the University of Bern, Switzerland.

She reflects on how urban futures and affective imaginaries of urban promises and threats are articulated in everyday lives in the city.



Discussant: [Alexa Färber](#)

Time: 5 P.M. local time

Room: PC-Seminarraum 1, Kolingasse 14-16, OG01 (1090 Vienna)

[Register](#) until March 20th!

Recent publications (selection):

Ahn, B., Friesenecker, M., Kazepov, Y., Brandl, J. 2023_ *How Context Matters: Challenges of Localizing Participatory Budgeting for Climate Change Adaptation in Vienna_*, Urban Planning, 8, 1. Open access [here](#).

Mocca, E., Pasian, P., Ahn, B. 2022_ *Labour and social inclusion paths for refugees. A comparison between Bologna and Vienna_*, Innovation: The European Journal of Social Science Research. Available [here](#).

Franz, Y., Heintel, M. 2022_ *Kooperative Stadt- und Regionalentwicklung_*, Vienna: facultas. Available [here](#).

Kazepov, Y., Barberis, E., Cucca, R. Mocca, E. (eds). 2022_ *The Handbook of urban social policies. International perspectives on multilevel governance and local welfare_*, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar. Available [here](#).

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