INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM

CRISES & MULTILEVEL GOVERNANCE

DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE, UNIVERSITY OF CRETE, 29-31 MAY 2024



Schedule

Wednesday, 29 May 2024

(Venue: House of Culture in downtown Rethymno)

19:15 – 19:30	Arrival
19:30 – 19:45	Welcome addresses:
	Vice Governor, Region of Crete, Ms Maria Lioni
	Vice Rector, University of Crete, Prof. Konstantinos Spanoudakis
	Dean, School of Social Sciences, UoC, Prof. Giorgos Panagis
	Organizing Committee
19:45 – 20:30	Keynote address:
	Prof. Sabine Saurugger, Director of Sciences Po Grenoble (UGA)
	"Crises, Universities and Governance in the Evolving European
	Knowledge Economy"
20:45 - 22:45	Dinner

Thursday, 30 May 2024

Venue: Univ. of Crete, Gallos Campus, Room D2-B (Minibus departs from Menta Hotel at 08:30)

9:00 — 10:45	Session T1: Policymaking Under Stress: Public Health in the EU
	Chair: Alexandros Kyriakidis / Discussant: Chris Weible
	Stella Ladi, Angelos Angelou, Kirsty Gardiner, Dimitra Panagiotatou
	"Fear and Loathing in Public Policy Compliance: A COVID-19 Case
	Study"
	Nils Bandelow & Sofie Klingner
	"Multilevel Actor and Discourse Networks in EU Health Policymaking
	After COVID-19"
	Vasilis Karokis-Mavrikos
	"The EU-MSF: Explaining Policy Change in EU-Level Pharmaceutical
	Policymaking"

10:45 - 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:30	Session T2: Crises, Policy Entrepreneurs and Local Responses
	Chair: Aris Alexopoulos / Discussant: Nikos Zahariadis
	Evangelia Petridou, Jörgen Sparf, Nikolaos Zahariadis, Tom Birkland
	"Policy Entrepreneurs in Crisis Contexts"
	Nissim Cohen
	"A Bottom-Up Response to Crises: Street-Level Bureaucrats' Policy
	Entrepreneurship"
	Thomas Birkland, Marie Lowe, Martha Grabowski,
	Thomas Sharkey, William Wallace
	"Infrastructure Development in Arctic Communities and Emergency
	Response: Averting a Crisis in the Arctic"

12:30 - 14:30 Lunch Break

14:30 – 17:00	Session T3: Crises in Multilevel Governance: Facets and Dynamics
	Chair: Elias Georgantas / Discussants: Nils Bandelow, Claudio Radaelli
	& Reimut Zohlnhöfer
	Alexandros Kyriakidis
	"The EU's Democratic Deficit and the Post-Eurozone Crisis EMU:
	An Additive Theory Approach"
	Alison Harcourt
	"Digital Activism in Multilevel Governance"
	Anthi Koskina & Manolis Plionis
	"The Crisis of International Space Law: Private Interests, Resource
	Antagonisms and the Perils of Global Conflict"
	Aris Alexopoulos
	"Public Policy Crises and Knowledge Intensive Solutions: Institutional
	Challenges for Evidence Informed Policymaking at the EU and
	Member State Levels"

(Minibus to Menta Hotel at 17:05)

20:45 - 23:00 Dinner

Friday, 31 May 2024

Venue: Univ. of Crete, Gallos Campus, Room D2-B

(Minibus departs from Menta Hotel at 08:30)

	Session F1: Disaster Management as a Governance Problem:
	Lessons and Challenges
	Chair: Nikos Papadakis / Discussant: Evangelia Petridou
9:00 - 10:15	Amalia Triantafyllidou
	"Political Leadership During Times of Disaster"
	Athina Dimou, Elias Georgantas, Manolis Plionis, Theodore Giannaros
	"Science Surpluses or Government Deficits? Lessons from the
	Management of Recent Wildfires in Greece"

10:15 - 10:30 Coffee Break

10:30 – 11:45	Session F2: EU Crises and Policy Challenges:
	Feeding Back or Feeding Forward?
	Chair: Nikos Zahariadis / Discussant: Reimut Zohlnhöfer
	Claudio Radaelli & Jonathan Kamkhaji
	"From Policy Learning to the Politics of European Integration"
	Nikos Papadakis & Stelios Tzagkarakis
	"Social Vulnerability, Social Sustainability and Social Policy, in the Era of
	Permacrisis: On the State-Of-Play and the Rising Policy Challenges"

11:50 – 13:00 Symposium Wrap-Up: Summary, Evaluation and Further Planning (Minibus to town at 13:00 for lunch)

13:15 - 15:00 Lunch

Saturday, 1 June 2024

Cultural Excursion to the Minoan Palace Complex of Knossos and the Archaeological Museum of Herakleio (Minibus Departs from Menta Hotel at 08:00)



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