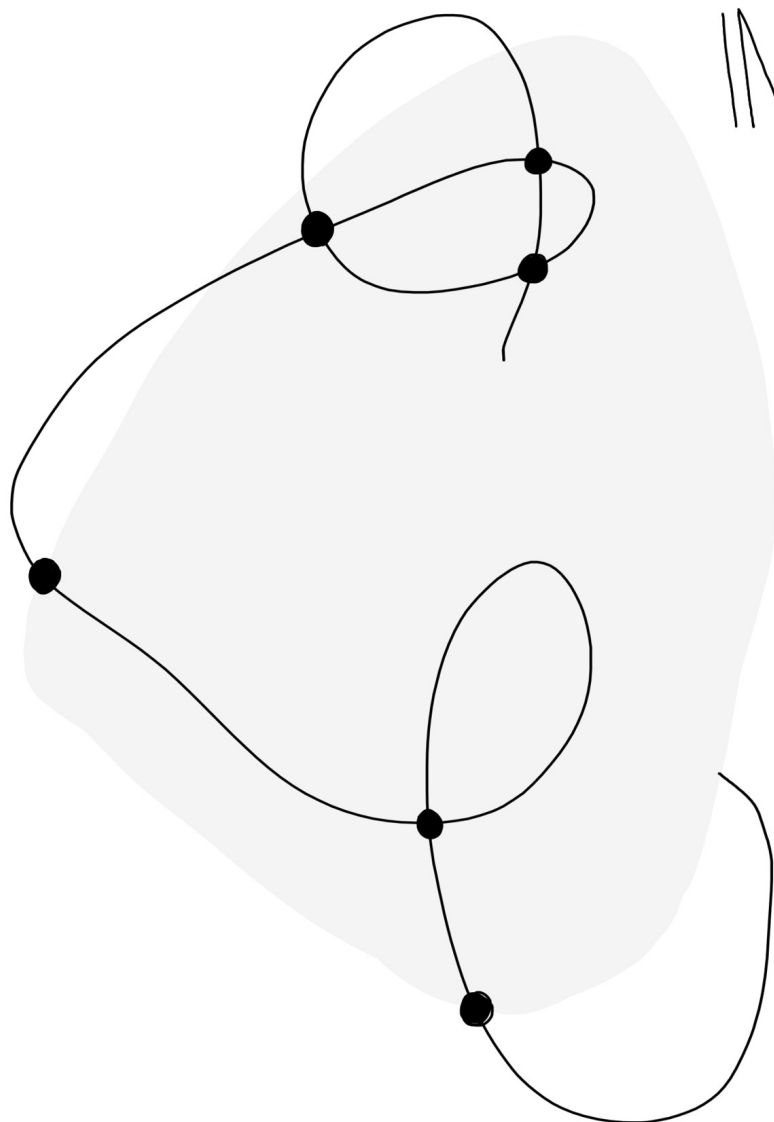


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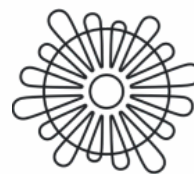
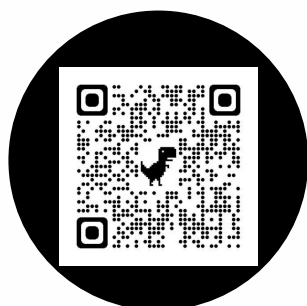
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**APRIL 27-29**

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# Program



**Main Hall**, University of Zadar

Thursday, April 27

## 9:00-9:30 REGISTRATION

## 9:30-10:00 WELCOME ADDRESS

- **Gazela Pudar Draško**, Director of the Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, University of Belgrade

- **Tomislav Oroz**, Head of the Department of Ethnology and Anthropology, University of Zadar

## 10:00-11:00 KEYNOTE

- **Sabina Stan**, Assistant Professor in Sociology and Anthropology in the School of Nursing, Psychotherapy, and Community Health at DCU

**Connecting the fragments of care: Transnational processes at the margins of Europe**

## 11:00-11:15 COFFEE BREAK

**11:15-12:15 MARKET TRANSFORMATIONS  
OF (HEALTH)CARE**

**Luleva, Ana:** Precarity, Social Reproduction and Moral Economy of Care after State Socialism in Bulgaria

**Novakov-Ritchey, Christina:** The Politics of Strah: Traditional Medicine and Balkan Capitalist Realism

**Thiemann, André:** Fledgling Farms and Failing Health: Transformations of Multispecies Labor and Care in the Serbian Raspberry Fields

Discussant: Senka Božić Vrbančić

● **COFFEE BREAK**

● ● ● **12:30-13:30 HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS IN THE  
BALKANS**

**Bukovčan, Tanja:** Fragments of the Past for the Fragmented Future: Taking Care of (Balkan) Healthcare

**Ratković, Marija:** Biopolitical Regulation: The Obstruction of Intimacy, Trust, and Confidence. The Case of Women Healthcare in Post-Yugoslav Space

**Starova Tahir, Eda:** Public Healthcare Bureaucracies and Negotiating Notions of Care in North Macedonia

Discussant: Atila Lukić

**13:30-14:30 LUNCH BREAK**

14:30-15:30

**(HEALTH)CARE AND  
CHILDBIRTH**

**Mijatović, Marina:** Mistreatment of Women in Gynecology and Obstetrics Institutions

**Paska, Danijela:** Culture of Silence and the Medicalization of Women's Experience: Reproductive Health Discourse

**van der Sijpt, Erica:** Citizens, Customers, Critics: Birthplace Choices and Subjectivities in Post-communist Romania.

Discussant: Ljiljana Pantović

**COFFEE BREAK**

15:45-16:45

**GENDER, VIOLENCE,  
ACTIVISM**

**Avramopoulou, Eirini & Papagaroufali,**

**Eleni:** I am an angry worker: The affective labor of care work on gender-based violence during the pandemic crisis in Greece.

**Peglidou, Athena:** Care, Ageism, Femicide, who cares.

**Molnar, Irena:** Women Living with HIV in Serbia: Impact of Donor Practices on Policies and Quality of Care

Discussant: Biljana Stanković

**COFFEE BREAK**

17:00-18:20

## (NOT) CARING IN THE PANDEMIC

**Katarinčić, Ivana:** The policy of state concern for the health of population in the extraordinary circumstances of the COVID-19 epidemic

**Prica, Ines:** Irony, Crisis, and Social Change: The Impact of the Political Criticism in Pandemic Croatia

**Resanović, Milica & Toković, Milena:** Culture as Care and Care for culture in the pandemic

**Puljak, Ana; Miloš Pačelat, Maja; Kolarić, Branko; Štajduhar, Dinko; Ćorić, Tanja; Gusić, Kristina Minea; Arnaut, Karmen & Sajko, Dalma:** Control of the Consequences of the Pandemic and the Earthquake in Nursing Homes in the City of Zagreb

Discussant: Gordan Maslov

20:00

## INFORMAL GATHERING COLLABORATIONS AGAINST STRUCTURAL VIOLENCE



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Friday, April 28

**9:30-10:50 (DE)INSTITUTIONALIZED CARE**

**Miloš Pačelat, Maja; Kolarić, Branko; Ćorić, Tanja; Gusić, Kristina Minea; Arnaut, Karmen and Sajko, Dalma:** Challenges and needs of informal caregivers of older people.

**Parunov, Pavao:** Who's "making a wish" and for what - reconfiguring the role of state in Croatian systems of elderly care

**Prša, Anita:** Spirituality, Religion and Unpaid Engagement at the End of Life: A Comparative Study of Volunteer Palliative Care Work in Austria and Croatia

**Šimunković, Gordana:** Readiness of the Health System of the Republic of Croatia to further develop of pediatric palliative care.

Discussant: Ljiljana Pantović

**COFFEE BREAK**

**11:00-12:25**

**BODIES, RIGHTS AND EDUCATION**

**Karavasilev, Kostadin:** Caring about rights: Rights advocates challenging (socio-political) notions of care for people with disabilities in Bulgaria.

**Lukić, Atila & Maslov, Gordan:** Is thinking about a Healthy Body possible?: a contribution to a possible dialogue.

**Doričić, Robert & Tutić Grokša, Ivana:** How to prepare students for diversity?

**Štajduhar, Dinko:** What Doctors Do: Epistemology of Medicine and Medical Education

Discussant: Tanja Bukovčan

FRIDAY, APRIL 28, UNIVERSITY OF ZADAR

In the Frictions: Fragments of Care, Health, and Wellbeing in the Balkans

## COFFEE BREAK

### 12:40-13:40 COMMUNITY, SOLIDARITY, AND CARE

**Douzina-Bakalaki, Phaedra:** To feed, to clothe, and to heal amidst crisis: Alternative forms of care in Xanthi, Northern Greece

**Fotić, Jelisaveta:** It's like a second family – biosociality and biosolidarity in Belgrade: An association of people living with diabetes.

**Stanković, Biljana; Lukić, Petar;**

**Stojadinović, Irena; Bogdanović, Jasmina &**

**Vukčević Marković, Maša:** Living as a long-term psychiatric service user in Serbia: the importance of community-based mental health support.

Discussant: Peter Locke

### 13:40-15:00 LUNCH BREAK

### 15:00-16:00 FEMINISM AND THE ART OF CARE

**Cartier, Cyrille:** Beyond the Binary: The intersection of care, identity, and integration

**Kašić, Biljana:** Responsive connectedness in times of carelessness, or how to be a feminist.

**Šantorić, Juraj:** Motifs of care and nurture in the performances of Vlasta Delimar, or what artists tell us about motherhood and aging

Discussant: Jelena Kupsjak

## COFFEE BREAK

16:15-17:45

### DOING GENDERED CARE

**Barada, Valerija; Čop, Blanka; Parunov, Pavao; Račić, Jasna & Šarić, Marija:** Doing nature, doing nurture: Practiced and symbolic gendered parenting care style in family life.

**Čengiđ, Nejra Nuna:** Domestic paid female care work: a node of social reproduction'

**Račić, Jasna; Barada, Valerija; Puzek, Ivan & Čop, Blanka:** Thinking about the family: conceptualization and operationalization of cognitive and emotional labor

**Šarić, Marija:** From labour to love migrant women's experiences of paid care work

Discussant: Danijela Paska

## COFFEE BREAK

18:00 OPTIONAL TOUR OF ZADAR

20:00

### INFORMAL GATHERING RESEARCH IN THE BALKANS



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Saturday, April 29

**10:00-11:00 KEYNOTE**

**Čarna Brković**, Professor of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology at University of Mainz

**Realigning humanitarianism:  
postsocialist pedagogy as  
liberal politics of love.**

**COFFEE BREAK**

**11:15-12:35**

**CARE AND  
HUMANITARINISM**

**Pozniak, Romana:** Humanitarianism and social reproduction: ambivalences of care work in the Croatian migration regime

**Raluca, Gorgos & Trifon, Maria:** The distance between us. Diaspora repatriation during the pandemic

**Renaudeau, Eva:** Therapeutic mobilities of French migrants in Romania

**Đorđević, Ivan:** The Forgotten People. Roma in Serbia During the Covid-19 Crisis

Discussant: Duško Petrović

**COFFEE BREAK**

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, UNIVERSITY OF ZADAR

In the Frictions: Fragments of Care, Health, and Wellbeing in the Balkans

12:50-13:50

## SELF-HELP AND SELF-CARE

**Llopart i Olivella, Pol:** Seeking well-being by being-with. Care, sociality, and divine closeness among Sufis in the Serbian Sandžak

**Sakač, Marina:** Menstrual Poverty in the Western Balkans. An Anthropological Discourse Analysis

**Urošević, Milan:** Therapy culture and self-help culture in postsocialist countries of the Western Balkans – the neoliberal transition and new imaginaries of subjectivity

Discussant: Irena Molnar

13:50-15:00 LUNCH BREAK

15:00-16:20

## CARING FOR...POLICIES OF CARE

**Horvat, Lea & Lakić, Sonja:** Caring for Mass Housing in the Post-Yugoslav Space: Maintenance, Common Good, Self-Care

**Melada, Marija; Mojaš, Orsat; Štefok**

**Karolina & Rajković, Klara:** Affective care among the care providers for the elderly in selected institutions

**Kravva, Vasiliki:** Caring for the homeless? Social policy and wellbeing in a Northern Greek city

**Locke, Peter:** The Weight of Survival: Fragments of Care in Sarajevo, 2007-2022

Discussant: Ines Prica

COFFEE BREAK

16:35 – 17:50

## HUMANITARIAN CARE

**Helms, Elissa:** Care, Control, and Covid: layers of crisis along the Balkan Route of migration

**Khamsy, Nina:** New technologies and forced migration on the “Balkan circuit”: an anthropology of violence and care.

**Nared, Dagmar; Öztürk, Aslıhan & Kropivnik, Luka:** Racialized care-chains in Bosnian border towns: (re)contextualising knowledge and methodology in and of the Balkans

**Petrović, Duško:** Humanitarian Power vs Sovereignty

Discussant: Peter Locke

20:00 FAREWELL PARTY AND LAUNCH OF  
BALKAN ANTHROPOLOGY OF MEDICINE  
(BAM).



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