

GLOBAL CITIES AND THEORIES OF INTERRUPTION

Institute for Public Knowledge, NYU
May 9-10, 2013

PhD Forum, Thursday, May 9

IPK conference room, 5th floor, 20 Cooper Square

- 9:00-9:15 PhD Forum opening
- 9:15-10:15 Nick Jones (Queen Mary, University of London): "The Appropriation of Architecture: The Interruption Performed by Bodily Spectacle upon the City"
- Miriam Meissner (University of Amsterdam): "Myths of Flow and Crash in the Global Financial City"
- 10:15-11:15 Pedram Dibazar (University of Amsterdam): "Interruption through Everydayness: The Case of the Car and Rooftops in Iran"
- Martha Coe (New York University): "When the Lights Go Out: Lighting Infrastructure, the Global City, and Hurricane Sandy"
- 11:15-11:30 Coffee/tea
- 11:30-12:00 Sabina Andron (University College London): "This is Not Graffiti: The Material Site Specificity of City Surface Inscriptions"

Workshop, Thursday, May 9

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- 12:30-1:30 Lunch (5th floor foyer)
- 1:30-2:00 Welcome and Introduction by Shirley Jordan and Christoph Lindner
- 2:00-2:45 Christoph Lindner (University of Amsterdam): "Interruption, Slowness, and Inertia"
- 2:45-3:15 Coffee/tea

- 3:15-4:00 Richard J. Williams (University of Edinburgh): "Drop City Blues: Occupy and Architectural Interruption"

- 4:00-4:45 Ginette Verstraete (VU University Amsterdam): "Mobiles in Urban Space"

- 5:00-6:00 Wine reception (5th floor foyer)

Workshop, Friday, May 10

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- 11:00-11:45 Tim Cresswell (Royal Holloway, University of London): "Theorizing Friction in a Mobile World"
- 11:45-12:30 Hugh Campbell (University College Dublin): "Camera in Camera: Photographing the Urban Room"
- 12:30-1:30 Lunch (5th floor foyer)
- 1:30-2:15 Shirley Jordan (Queen Mary, University of London): "Rethinking Interruption: City Photography and the Post-Photographic"
- 2:15-2:30 Coffee/tea
- 2:30-3:15 Bill Marshall (Institute of Germanic and Romance Studies, London): "Parkour and the Stilled Image"
- 3:15-4:00 Jeroen de Kloet (University of Amsterdam): "Destruction, Demolition and Disappearance, or Getting Lost in Beijing"
- 4:00-4:30 Coffee/tea
- Arthur L. Carter Journalism Institute, 7th floor, 20 Cooper Square*
- 5:00-7:00 Public roundtable discussion with Joseph Heathcott (New School), Shirley Jordan (London), Anthony Vidler (Cooper Union), and Sharon Zukin (CUNY).