Western capitalism in transition
Global forces and local challenges

23 November 2017
h 10.00 - 18.30
Auditorium G. Martinotti, U12
Via Vizzola, 5, 20126, Milano

10.00-10.30
Institutional welcome: Cristina Messa, Rector of the University of Milano-Bicocca and
Giampaolo Nuvolati, Chair of the Sociology and Social Research Department
Introduction: Alberto Andreotti, David Benassi, Yuri Kazepov (editors)

10.30-11.00
Michael Harloe: A child of its times: the "new urban sociology" in context and its legacy

11.00-13.00
1st Session: CAPITALISM IN TRANSITION
Chair: Ida Regalia - Discussants: Francesco Ramella and Serafino Negrelli
S. Sassen: Deconstructing labour demand: implications for low wage employment
S. Ghezzi: On the social (dis)embedding of the economy: where anthropology and sociology share analytical tools
E. Mingione: The double movement and the perspectives of contemporary capitalism

12.45-14.00 Lunch break

14.00-16.00
2nd Session: CITIZENSHIP AND WELFARE
Chair: M. Diani - Discussants: F. Quassoli and M. Magatti
S. Body-Gendrot: Urban disorder and the transformation of global governance
J.C. Barbier: The underclass and international comparison, variety and universalism
L. Morris: Welfare migration and civic stratification: Britain's emergent rights regime
M. Garcia: Cities under economic austerity: the return of citizenship claims
E. Pugliese: International migrations and the Mediterranean

16.00-16.30 coffee break

16.30-18.30
3rd Session: OLD AND NEW CHALLENGES WITHIN CITIES
Chair: S. Vicari - Discussants: A. Balducci and G. Nuvolati
R. Sennett: The sense of touch
P. Le Gaiës: Urban political economy beyond convergence: robust but differentiated unequal European cities
M. Oberti and E. Pretecelle: Urban segregation, inequalities and local welfare: the challenges of neoliberalisation
E. Morlicchio: Urban poverty and social cohesion: lessons from Naples

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