**17th Annual Meeting of the Foucault Circle**

**Loyola-Marymount University**

**Los Angeles, CA**

**March 23-25, 2017**

**Thursday 23 March**

**Location: Hilton 100**

4:00-4:45 Foucault Circle Welcome

5:00-7:15 Film Screening of "Sur les toits” and Discussion with director Nicolas Drolc

Moderator: Kevin Thompson (DePaul University, USA)

7:15-8:15 Reception with Filmmaker

**Friday 24 March**

**Location: St. Robert’s Hall 356**

8:30-9:00 COFFEE/TEA, LIGHT BREAKFAST

9:00-10:15

Moderator: Anthony Ristow (California State University, USA)

1. Kevin Jobe (Morgan State University, USA), Foucault & the Meaning of Politics: Towards a Genealogy of Tyrannical Power
2. Stephanie Martens (Laurentian University, Canada), Foucault’s Game(s): *Jeu*, Metaphors and Translations

10:30-11:45

Moderator: Ed McGushin (Stonehill College, USA)

1. Verena Erlenbusch (University of Memphis, USA), The Spatiality of History: Foucaultian Genealogy and Coloniality of Power
2. Valentina Moro (Università di Padova, Italy, Brown University, USA), Politics of Refusal: Criticizing the Notion of Exclusion through the Interruption of the Settlers’ Narration

12:00-1:15

Moderator: Brad Stone (Loyola Marymount University, USA),

1. Selin Islekel (Loyola Marymount University, USA), Haunting Dead: Necropolitics of Mourning and Grief
2. Sarah Earnshaw (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Germany), Foucault in Foreign Policy: Interrogating the Global Society to Be Defended

1:15-2:30 LUNCH

2:30-4:15

Moderator: Joanna Crosby (Morgan State University, USA)

1. Dianna Taylor (John Carroll University, USA), The Relation of Self to Self and (Counter)Normalization: Irish Republican Women During and After the Troubles
2. Don Deere (Loyola Marymount University, USA), Truth, Terror, and Dangerous Speech: Foucault and León Rozitchner
3. Sanem Guvenc-Salgirli (Emily Carr University, Canada/Fernand Baudel Center, USA), Governmentality, Sovereignty, and Critique: Revisiting Foucault’s Contemporary Relevance

4:30-5:30 Business Meeting

5:45-7:15 Special Session: Foucauldian Analysis and the Rise of New Populisms

Moderator: Nicole Ridgway (University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, USA/University of Western Cape, RSA)

7:30 DINNER (Location TBD)

**Saturday 25 March**

**Location:  Philosophy Department Agora, University Hall 3600**

8:30-9:00 COFFEE/TEA, LIGHT BREAKFAST

9:00-10:45

Moderator: Kevin Jobe (Morgan State University, USA)

1. Martín Bernales Odino (Boston College, USA), Towards a Genealogy of Latin American Poverty: La Buena Policía de los Pobres (The Good Police of the Poor)
2. Berndt Clavier (Malmö University, Sweden), On Veridiction: Metrologies of Art in the European Welfare State
3. Kevin Thompson (DePaul University, USA), Intolerable: Foucault's Historical Constructivism

11:00-12:15

Moderator: Dana Belu (California State University, USA)

1. Alex Feldman (Pennsylvania State University, USA), Foucault and Meinecke at the Intersection of Raison d’Etat, Historicism, and Ethics: The Problem of History
2. Andrew LaZella (University of Scranton, USA), *Vie Autre*: Foucault’s Neo-nominalism and the Invention of the Improbable

12:30-1:30 LUNCH