**TOWSON STATE UNIVERSITY**

**PRESENTS**

The Eighth Annual International

Association for the Study of

Environment, Space, and Place

Conference

**Spacial Inscriptions**

**Of**

**Everyday Life**

**Program Schedule**

April 27 - April 29, 2012

**Marriott Hotel**

**Towson State University**

**Southern CT State University**

**2012 Program Co-Chairs:**

Troy Paddock, Southern CT State University

Christine Petto, Southern CT State University

**Program Schedule**

**April 27 - April 29, 2012**

**Friday April 27**

**Marriott Hotel, Towson, MD**

**Rooms 106/107 (Green/Hampton Rooms)**

**8:10 am-6:00 pm Registration and Refreshments**

8:40-9:00 **Welcoming Remarks**

John Murungi, Co-Founder, IASESP

Towson University

Gary Backhaus, Co-Founder, IASESP

Towson University

**Session 1:**

Chair: John Scott, Memorial University,

Newfoundland

9:00-9:35 Peter Nekola, Pratt Institute

**Landscape and Epistemology:**

**A Consideration of Siegfried Passarge’s**

***Principles of Landscape Description***

9:35-10:10 Troy Paddock, Southern CT State

University

**Man, Nature and the Everyday**

10:10-10:45 Christos C. Evangeliou, Towson State

University

**Man and God as Life Forms**

**Inscribed in Salvatores Dei**

**10:45-10:55 Refreshment Break**

**Session 2:**

Chair: Troy Paddock, Southern CT State

University

10:55-11:30 Gary Backhaus, Co-founder, IASESP

**Notes From the Above Ground:**

**The Geography of Enactment and the**

**Everyday**

11:30-12:05 Malcolm Woollen, Pennsylvania State

University

**The Stockholm Exhibition:**

**Reinventing the Everyday**

12:05-12:40 Sayantan Biswas, Independent Scholar

**Daily Lives, Daily Meanings: Canopies**

**Of Cosmopolitanism in the City of**

**Philadelphia**

**12:45-2:00 LUNCH: Buffet at the Marriott**

**Session 3:**

Chair: Kip Redick, Christopher Newport

University

2:15-2:50 John Scott, Memorial University,

Newfoundland

**Who’s Where?**

2:50-3:25 Malgorzata A. Dereniowska, Adam

Mickiewicz University

Jason P. Matzke, University of Mary

Washington

**The Placings of our Moral Spaces**

**3:25-3:35 Refreshment Break**

**Session 4:**

Chair: Dennis Skocz, Independent Scholar

3:35-4:10 Richard L. Wilson, University of Maryland

At Baltimore County

**Semiotics and the Dangers of Blogging**

4:10-4:45 Dominic Sgambati, Stony Brook University

**Spatial Focal Points in Egocentric Space**

**5:00-6:15**  **Business Meeting**

**6:30 or 6:45 pm Group Dinner—TBD (optional)**

**Saturday April 28, 2012**

**Towson State University**

**Cook Library Room 507**

**8:30-9:00 Coffee**

**Session 5:**

Chair: John Murungi, Co-Founder, IASESP

9:00-9:35 Christine Petto, Southern CT State

University

**Managing Women In Early Modern**

**England and France**

9:35-10:10 Elizabeth A. Hoppe, Lewis University

**Rethinking bell hooks’ “Rethinking the**

**Nature of Work”**

10:10-10:45 Tim Johnston, Stonybrook University

**Embodied Gender and Everyday Spaces:**

**Creating Affirmative Environments**

**For LGBTQ Folks**

**10:45-10:50 Refreshment Break**

**Session 8:**

**Session 6:**

Chair: Elizabeth A. Hoppe, Lewis University

10:50-11:25 Charlie Hailey, University of Florida

**Writing the Porch**

11:25-12:00 Kip Redick, Christopher Newport

University

**Liminality of the Kitchen Garden:**

**The Garden as a Place of Meaning-**

**Constitution between the Agricultural**

**Industrial Complex and the Dining**

**Table**

12:00-12:35 David Macauley, Pennsylvania State

University

**The Seasons and the Rhythms of**

**Everyday Life**

**12:35-1:45**  **LUNCH, Newall Hall**

**Session 7:**

Chair: Gary Backhaus, Co-Founder, IASESP

1:50-2:25 Susan Allen, California Institute of the Arts

**Spatial Cosmology in Balinese**

**Everyday Life: Music, Worship,**

**Community**

2:25-3:00 Nicholas Chase, Independent Scholar

**Infinite Interiors: Silence as Zen Space**

**In Western Music**

**3:00-3:05** **Refreshment Break**

Chair: Susan Allen, California Institute of the Arts

3:05-3:40 Dennis Skocz, Independent Scholar

**Homeless at Home: A Curbside View**

**Of Immigration**

3:40-4:15 Daniel Irving, Binghamton University

**Identity, Unboundedness, and the Threat**

**Of the Other: Reflections on**

**Ontological Spatiality**

**4:15-4:20** **Refreshment Break**

**Session 9:**

Chair: Charlie Hailey, University of Florida

4:20-5:05 Scott Tate, Virginia Tech

**Everyday Tinkering and the Urban**

**Imaginary**

5:05-5:40 Richard E. Otten, George Mason University

**Joe Squared at Power Plant Live:**

**A Case Study of the Integration of**

**Bohemian Everyday Life Tactics within**

**Capitalist Urban Branding Strategies**

5:40-6:15 Aaron Finbloom, Independent Scholar

**The Thinking in Place Guide**

**6:15**  **Closing Remarks**

**Sunday April 29th Departures**

**THANK YOU FOR A GREAT CONFERENCE!**

**For information on next year’s conference please**

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