

The (Re-)turn to Practice: Thinking Practices in International Relations and Security Studies

A workshop at the EUI, 18th and 19th of May 2007, in Room 4 (Badia)

Programme

Day 1: Friday

9:00 – 9:30 *Arrival*
9:30-9:45 *Welcome*

Part I: Practice Theory, Social Theory and International Relations

9:45-11:45 **Hendrik Wagenaar** (U Leiden)
Key note lecture: “Policy Practice as the Extension of Governance”,
followed by a general discussion

11:45-12:15 *Coffee Break*

Part II: Conceptualizing Practice in International Relations

12:15-13:15 **Iver Neumann and Ole Jacob Sending** (NUPI)
From Discourses to Anchoring Practices
Opening remarks by Giovan Francesco Lazara

13:15-15:00 *Lunch Break (Badia)*

15:00-16:00 **Trine Villumsen** (U Copenhagen)
The problem of practice in IR and a Bourdieuan way out
Opening remarks by Friedrich Kratochwil

16:00-17:00 **Christian Büger** (EUI) and **Frank Gadinger** (U Mainz)
Culture, Terror and Practice in International Relations- An Invitation to
Practice Theory
Opening remarks by Vincent Pouillot

17:00-17:30 *Coffee Break*

17:30-18:30 **Volker Balli** (EUI)
Polity formation through critique and justification. A practice perspective
on the self-understanding of the EU
Opening remarks by Ole Jacob Sending

21:00 *Dinner in Downtown Florence*

Day 2: Saturday

Part III: Security Practices

- 9:30 – 10:00 *Arrival*
- 10:00-11:00 **Vincent Pouliot** (U Toronto, Canada)
The Logic of Practicality at the NATO-Russia Council
Opening remarks by Michael Williams (EUI, visiting)
- 11:00-12:00 **Carl Marklund** (EUI)
Social Engineering as Security Policy? Politicization, Scientification and
Securitization Between Ideology and Practice
Opening remarks by Friedrich Kratochwil (EUI)
- 12:00-14.00 *Lunch Break*

Part IV: Doing Practice Research – Methodological Implications

- 14.00-15:00 **Xymena Kurowska** (EUI)
How to trace practices interpretatively - designing an ethnography in a
non-yet-existing setting
Opening remarks by Frank Gadinger (U Mainz)
- 15:00-16:00 **Friedrich Kratochwil** (EUI) **and Jörg Friedrichs** (EUI)
On Acting and Knowing
Opening remarks by Elisabetta Brighi (U Oxford)
- 16:00-16.15 *Coffee Break*
- 16:15-17:15 **Final Discussion**
Opening remarks by Friedrich Kratochwil (EUI)
- 17:15 *End of Workshop*