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9:30am Opening Remarks: Stathis Gourgouris, ICLS Director (Columbia University)

10:00am-12:00pm RISK

Chair: Akeel Bilgrami (Columbia University)

Willi Semmler (The New School for Social Research)

Booms, Busts and the Financial Culture of Risk

Wang Shaoguang (Chinese University of Hong Kong)

The Story of Soybean: How Has Foreign Capital Enfeebled China's Food Security?

Respondent: Partha Chatterjee (Columbia University)

12:00pm-2:00pm Lunch Break

2:00pm-4:00pm LAW

Chair: Ayten Gundogdu (Barnard College)

Meredith McGill (Rutgers University)

Extraordinary Property: Capital and the Print Trades

Ritu Birla (University of Toronto)

Legal Worlds of Capital and the Nomos of the Globe

Respondent: Joseph Slaughter (Columbia University)

4:30pm-6:30pm KEYNOTE ADDRESS

Chair: Stathis Gourgouris (Columbia University)

Etienne Balibar (University of California, Irvine)

Marx's Two Discoveries: a Disjunctive Synthesis and its Current Relevance

Respondent: Souleymane Bachir Diagne (Columbia University)

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Chair: Bruce Robbins (Columbia University)

Constantine Tsoukalas (University of Athens)

The Privatization of Morals: The Last Phase in Self-Regulating Capitalism

Andrew Parker (Amherst College)

Capitalizing The Dialectic of Sex

Respondent: Lydia Liu (Columbia University)

12:00pm-2:00pm Lunch Break

2:00pm-4:00pm LIFE

Chair: Reinhold Martin (Columbia University)

Melinda Cooper (University of Sydney)

Capital, Genealogy and Reproduction

Respondent: Neferti Tadiar (Barnard College)

4:30pm-6:30pm DEMOCRACY

Chair: Jean Cohen (Columbia University)

Carlos Forment (The New School for Social Research)

Working for Citizenship: Self-Managed Factories and Democratic Life in the Wake of Neo-Liberal Globalization in Contemporary Argentina

Wang Hui (Tsinghua University)

The Dialectics of Self-Reliance and Opening: China's Experience and Dilemma

Respondent: Nadia Urbinati (Columbia University)

Reception to follow

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