



Stigma and Respect in a Divided Society

International Conference

Prague 5th- 6th December 2023

Celetná Street 20, lecture hall 247

Tuesday, 5th December

9.30 – 11.30

I FROM STIGMA TO RESPECT - Chair: Alastair Roy

1. *Stigmatization as ontological exclusion. Subversive strategies of populist power*
Tomasz Maślanka (University of Warsaw)
2. *Conceptualizing, embracing, and navigating stigma. Methodological insights from the research on behind-the-scenes phenomena*
Alicja Łaska-Formejster, Magdalena Wojciechowska, (University of Łódź)
3. *Can positive psychology reduce mental health stigma in public and private life?*
Margarida Pocinho (Madeira University)
4. *Respect for humanities education in a postmodern and neoliberal context*
Martin Strouhal (Charles University)
5. *Towards a transformative anti-stigma approach*
Mariusz Kwiatkowski (University of Zielona Góra)
6. *A critical discussion of youth participatory action research: negotiating opportunities, ambivalence and epistemic violence*
Alastair Roy (University of Central Lancashire)

11.30-12.00 COFFEE BREAK

12.00-14.00

II ANTI-STIGMA POTENTIALS OF EDUCATION Chair: Dorota Bazuń

1. *Ethics of communication as a compulsory subject in the field of higher education*
Izabela Rutkowska (State Academy of Applied Sciences, Głogów)
2. *The "bad ones": how attachment based educational practices can contribute to reduce stigma at schools*
Dora Pereira, Marcelo Melim, Margarida Pocinho (University of Madeira)
3. *The anti-stigmatization potential of esports - National heterogeneity of professional esports teams*
Justyna Nyćkowiak, Tomasz Kołodziej (University of Zielona Góra)
4. *Video games as agents of change in confronting stigma and promoting inclusivity*
Federico Montanari (University of Modena and Reggio Emilia), **Giulia Conti** (University of Modena and Reggio Emilia, University of Parma)
5. *Cancel culture: old wine in a new bottle? The practice of public shaming and ostracism reflected on social networks*
Marija Marsenić (Institute of European Studies, Belgrade)
6. *Between respect and stigma. Polish education system towards Ukrainians*
Dorota Bazuń (University of Zielona Góra)

14.00-15.00 COFFEE BREAK AND REFRESHMENTS

15.00- 17.00

III ANTI-STIGMA DISCOURSES

Chair: Jaroslava Swoboda

1. *Training educators and teachers in interpersonal relationship at the University of Bari. The model of 'educational action'*

Loredana Perla (University of Bari), **Laura Sara Agrati** (University of Bergamo), **Viviana Vinci** (University of Foggia), **Ilenia Amati** (University of Bari).

2. *Well-being and respect for seniors. Exploring the meaning of care farms*

Joanna Frątczak-Müller (University of Zielona Góra).

3. *Stigma towards inclusion of students with disabilities in India: Teaching aptitude of pre-service teachers*

Hemendra S. Mistry (University of Salamanca), **Martin Skutil** (Charles University).

4. *How infertility should and should not be treated - public discourse as an instrument of stigmatization. The case of Poland*

Katarzyna Walentynowicz-Moryl (University of Zielona Góra)

5. *Shedding light on stigmatization: The empowering and formative role of applied theatre*

Jaroslava Swoboda (Charles University)

17.00-18.00

IV INTERNATIONAL CONNECTIVITY CENTRE MEETING (ICC)

Chair: Mariusz Kwiatkowski

Mariusz Kwiatkowski (University of Zielona Góra) - *Why do we need an International Connectivity Centre?*

Anna Mielczarek-Żejmo (University of Zielona Góra), *Cooperation in the field of research projects*

Magdalena Pokrzyńska (University of Zielona Góra), *Student and academic exchange*

Edyta Mianowska (University of Zielona Góra), *Cooperation in virtual space*

The International Connectivity Centre is an initiative of the University of Zielona Góra and several cooperating universities. The main goals and operating principles of the ICC will be presented during the session.

19.00 Gala dinner for the conference participants

Kavárna Adria - Caffé Restaurant

Národní 40/36, Prague 1

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V MIGRATION AND MINORITIES – STIGMA AND RESPECT

Chair: **Anna Mielczarek-Żejmo**

1. *Entrepreneurship as a positioning to alleviate the stigma of Latin American migrant women*
Ana Cruz Garcia and **Wei Xiong** (Munster Technological University)
2. *Cultural and family challenges in the life of forced migrants*
Teodora Lj. Jakšić, Milica M. Marjanović (University of Pristina with temporary headquarters in Kosovska Mitrovica)
3. *Developing a social integration scale Syrian immigrants in Turkey: Research results from Gaziantep*
Sinan Tankut Gühlan (University of Zielona Góra)
4. *The voice of minority. Film representations of stigma in a divided society of communist Poland (1968-1989)*
Radosław Domke (University of Zielona Góra)
5. *Between conformism and rebellion. The contribution of Polish universities to the discussion on refugees*
Anna Mielczarek-Żejmo (University of Zielona Góra)

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VI ANTI-STIGMA PRACTICES

Chair: **Alexandra Gheondea-Eladi**

1. *Inclusive approaches in doctoral supervision, at the crossroads of paths and discourses*
Magdalena Kohout-Diaz (Bordeaux University)
2. *Invisible stigma as a motivationally dynamic factor in the helping professions*
Markéta Lindová, Jaroslav Kot'a (Charles University)
3. *Towards dreams of "paradise lost". Bucovinian Festival Project as a space for building a community*
Magdalena Pokrzyńska (University of Zielona Góra)
4. *Meanings of cultural activity from the perspective of older men*
Sylwia Słowińska (University of Zielona Góra)
5. *Social decision-making education as a tool for anti-stigma education*
Alexandra Gheondea-Eladi (Romanian Academy, Bucharest, University Rovira and Virgili)