Workshop on Idil Boran’s manuscript

*Political Theory and Global Climate Action: Recasting the Public Sphere*

Presented by Prof. Darrel Moellendorf, Chair of International Political Theory at the Goethe-Universität Frankfurt's Excellence Cluster “The Formation of Normative Orders”

Goethe-Universität Frankfurt
Normative Orders Building, Room 5.01
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*About the book:*

In the last two decades, there has been growing interest in looking at global climate change from the lens of global political theory. Most of the debate in this field revolves around allocating rights and responsibilities with regard to climate change across a map of global politics based on the state-system. This book presents a different picture of the landscape. While the role of the states is acknowledged, the book turns its attention to the evolving interrelations between non-state actors and the intergovernmental process in the implementation phase of the Paris Agreement. In so doing, the book seeks to open a window into an intricate fabric of a global life of climate action. By bringing a multiplicity of actors below and above the state into the field of vision, the book challenges underlying assumptions about global politics regarding climate change endemic to contemporary political theory. Harnessing the resources of recent work on global studies and transnational governance, its aim is to take a step forward toward recasting the public sphere at the conjuncture of a changing global polity. This shift in framework provides an angle to better see new risks and dilemmas, as well as new questions of equity, legitimacy, and political debate, arising in this domain.

Advance registration is required for attendance. For more information or to register, please contact Ellen Nieß (ellen.niess@normativeorders.net) or Brian Milstein (brian.m.milstein@gmail.com)

**Workshop Program**

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Coffee Break (10 min)

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Session Two

Daniel Callies, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt
Chapter 2 (part 1): Climate Change Justice and Its Discontents

Jamie Draper, University of Reading
Chapter 2 (part 2): Climate Change Justice and Its Discontents
Chair: Afsoun Afsahi

12.40 – 14.00
Break for Lunch

14.00 – 15.30
Session Three

Sander Chan, Deutsches Institut für Entwicklungspolitik
Chapter 3: A Global Public Life of Climate Engagement

Alexa Zellentin, University College Dublin
Chapter 4: Visions of Public Philosophy
Chair: Daniel Hammer

15.30 – 15.50
Coffee Break (20 min)

15.50 – 17.20
Session Four

Corey Katz, The Ohio State University
Chapter 5: Justice in the Global Public Domain and the Limits of Inclusion

Darrel Moellendorf, Goethe-Universität Frankfurt
Chapter 6: The Voice of Political Philosophy
Chair: Lukas Sparenborg

17.20 – 17.40
Coffee Break (20 min)

17.40 – 18.10
Session Five

Idil Boran, York University
Response and Concluding Discussion
Chair: Darrel Moellendorf

18.30 – 20.00
Reception

20.00
Dinner for speakers at Demera