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Erasmus Intensive Programme

CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS IN A SUMMER SCHOOL ON THE ANALYSIS OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONFLICTS AND JUSTICE

Climate and ecological changes, economic crisis, and growing injustices are exacerbating conflicts over access and use of environmental resources around the world. Understanding the causes of conflicts and resolving them equitably requires a multi-disciplinary approach. This intensive two week Summer School brings together some of Europe's leading academics in the study of political ecology, from UAB, the Universities of Manchester and Lund, the Central European University in Budapest and IFF-Vienna, to teach the next generation of researchers of environmental conflicts and justice. 10 students will be accepted from each of UAB, Manchester, Lund and Budapest.

Who: Master and Doctoral Students

This call is open to students who are formally enrolled at UAB and who study Environmental Conflicts or a related theme as part of their dissertations and research. They should be either at the final stages of their masters and planning a PhD or at the beginning (preferably first or second year) of their PhD. Ten positions are available. Selected students must assist to the entire course.

Dates: Sunday 27 June to Saturday 10 July (14 days of work).

Applications:

Please send an application (in English) to mcondep@gmail.com with the title "Application for Erasmus Summer School", including:

- a 500 word motivation letter, presenting a summary of your reasons and motivation to follow this course. Explain the importance of this course in the context of the development of your research, career and social work.
- a title and 500 word summary of your current research project (on-going Masters thesis or PhD).

For the students selected, the above material will be displayed in the Summer School website. If selected, you will also be asked to bring and present a poster with your research project.

Deadline for applications: 30th March 2010

Venue: Autonomous University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain

Instructors confirmed: Tamara Steger (Central European University, Budapest), Simron Singh and Veronika Gaube (IFF, Viena), Erik Swyngedouw, Maria Kaika and Gavin Bridge (University of Manchester), Joan Martinez-Alier, Kate Farrell, Giorgos Kallis, Marco Armiero, Christos Zografos (ICTA, UAB), Guy Baeten, Alf Hornborg and Eric Clark (University of Lund).

Cost: Free! (Financial support for students that require travel and accommodation expenses are not envisaged for this call)

Credits: 7.5 ECTS

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