

Session Program

10-12 Jul 2025



10th ERQ Conference

18. Aesthetics and imaginaries of eco-activist movements

University of Trento

Department of Sociology and Social Research - via Verdi, 26 Department of Economics and Management - via Inama, 5 Department of Humanities - via Tommaso Gar, 14

Friday 11 July

09:30

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Session | **Conveners:** Federico Smania, Massimiliano Guareschi

09:30–09:55

On climate activism aesthetics: The teens' view between traffic blocks and dialogue

Speakers

Dr Elisa Virgili, Dr Lorenzo Pedrini

09:55–10:20

The changing of eco-activists' representations and imaginaries overtime: The case of the criminalised NoTAP movement in southeast Italy

10:20–10:45

Inhabiting the ruins of the present. On social movements defending wastelands in Montreal

10:45–11:10

Feeding Nationalism: Building Anti-Ecological Imaginaries through Culinary Traditionalism

11:10–11:35

Reclaiming Alpine Lands from Big-Money Tourism Development

11:35–12:00

"This Zapatista Coffee Tastes Even Better if You Drink it in the Struggle": Imaginaries and Aesthetics of Rebel Coffee Distribution

12:30