

“Workshop MICRO”

Policy Mobilities and Place-Specific Applications

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Summary and contact

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Table 1. Information summary

First network-wide training event summary	
Year:	2023
Project month:	26
Meeting times:	2 (+1) days
Instruction language:	English
Disciplines:	urban planning, landscape planning
Organizers:	KTH, SLU

Content

In this workshop, we will explore the two dimensions of policy mobilities: the need to make policies move (and how to make this happen), and the implications of transferring knowledge and experiences from one context to another (i.e., the tensions between policy and place). The workshop combines a general discussion on these matters with hands-on workshopping, with the students’ writing in focus. Day one focuses primarily on how to make the policy ‘move’, combining an introduction to policy mobilities with concrete tips and tricks on outreach. Day two focuses on the conflict between policy and place, seen through the case study of Knivsta, and offers time for reflections on the situatedness and reach of the students’ recommendations. A third day is set aside as a writing retreat. The workshop is informed by relational approaches to policy mobilities and the translation/transformation of policies, research on place (and landscape) within human geography, landscape architecture and planning, but also professional experiences of outreach, policy mobility and the tensions between policy and place.

Outcomes (skills and knowledge acquired)

By the end of the workshop the Early-Stage Researchers will be able to:

- Make an account of different strategies for policy mobility and reflect on their own strategy.

- Reflect on the tensions between policy mobility and place, and the “translation” of knowledge resulting from the policy transfer.
- Reflect on their situated research and the reach of their policy recommendations.

Organization of the workshop

Locations

The workshop will be held at SLU premises in Uppsala, Sweden with a field trip in Knivsta and all consortium participants are expected to participate in the whole workshop (unless stated otherwise in the time schedule).

Workshop Attendance and Participation

Attendance during the whole workshop is obligatory. If ESRs are not able to attend the session, they are to inform their supervisor(s), the organizers of the workshop and the Project Management Team in advance. The ESRs should make sure to turn in their assignments if they are required. For the list of participants, see appendix I.

Materials

The reading materials will be made available in advance. For the bibliography, see appendix II.

Participating ESRs, supervisors and PMT

ESR	ESR name	Supervisor/co-supervisor	Host organization
ESR1	Mariana Santos	Prof. Nathalie Roseau (supervisor) Prof. Massimo Moraglio (co-supervisor)	Ecole des Ponts ParisTech, France
ESR2	Flore Guichot	Prof. Paola Viganò (supervisor) Prof. Greet De Block (co-supervisor)	École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland
ESR3	Krzysztof Janko	Prof. Dorothee Brantz (supervisor) Associate Prof. Frauke Behrendt (co-supervisor)	Technische Universität Berlin, Germany
ESR4	Harriet Dunn	Prof. Jonathan Metzger (supervisor) Prof. Stijn Oosterlynck (co-supervisor)	KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden
ESR5	Carla Cruz	Prof. Mattias Qvistrum (supervisor) Prof. Dorothee Brantz (co-supervisor)	Sveriges Lantbruksuniversitet (SLU), Sweden
ESR6	Lisa Buldeo Rai	Prof. Luca Bertolini (supervisor)	University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands

		Prof. Jonathan Metzger (co-supervisor)	
ESR7	Maya El Khawand	Prof. Caroline Gallez (supervisor) Prof. Vincent Kaufmann (co-supervisors)	Université Gustave Eiffel (UGE), France
ESR8	Leon Vauterin	Prof. Ruth Oldenziel (supervisor) Prof. Thomas Vanoutrive (co-supervisor)	Eindhoven University of Technology, the Netherlands
ESR9	Andre Klaassen	Prof. Greet De Block (supervisor) Prof. Mattias Qvistrum (co-supervisor) Prof. Ann Verhetsel (co-supervisor)	University of Antwerp, Belgium
ESR10	Sandra La Rota	Prof. Thomas Vanoutrive (supervisor) Prof. Luca Bertolini (co-supervisor) Prof. Caroline Gallez (co-supervisor)	University of Antwerp, Belgium
Coordinator	Greet De Block Matthias Blondia		University of Antwerp, Belgium
PM	Irina Grcheva		

Trainers

Trainers	Name	Contact details	Brief description of the role/session contribution
Internal trainers	Prof. Mattias Qviström	mattias.qvstrom@slu.se	Organizer
	Prof. Jonathan Metzger	jonathan.metzger@abe.kth.se	Organizer
External trainers			
Scientific Advisory Board	Nik Luka	nik.luka@mcgill.ca	Workshop Discussant
Partner Organizations	WSP IQS Knivsta Kommun		Lecturer/discussant

Calendar of the Workshop MICRO (meeting times)

Date	Time	Activity	Location
Monday	N/A	Recommended arrival	Uppsala



13th Feb			
Tuesday 14th Feb	08.40	For those who want to go to SLU together, meet at Uppsala Central Station to take Bus 4 or 100 <i>(Bus 100 leaves at 8.53 and arrives at SLU at ~9.10)</i>	Bus stop location B4
	9.15	Arrival at SLU (Breakfast)	Sal Y, Plan 2, Ulls hus, SLU Campus Ultuna, Uppsala
	09:30-10:00	Introduction to workshop and policy mobilities (Mattias Qviström & Jonathan Metzger)	Sal Y, Plan 2, Ulls hus, SLU Campus Ultuna, Uppsala
	10.00-11:30	Panel Discussion: Writing: From research to policy guidelines WSP, IQS, Stijn Oosterlynck <i>1.5hours (panel discussion and Q&A)</i>	Sal Y, Plan 2, Ulls hus, SLU Campus Ultuna, Uppsala
	11:30-11:45	Break (Fika)	
	11.45-12:45	Nik Luka and Paola Vigano - Policy Mobilities vs place: lecture and discussion	Sal Y, Plan 2, Ulls hus, SLU Campus Ultuna, Uppsala
	13:00	Lunch	Logen, Ultuna
	14:00	Workshop focusing on the Handbook Matthias Blondia and Greet De Block present the template and vision for the Handbook (15 mins) - <u>from questionnaire to deliverable</u> The students are divided into groups, based on the division between work packages 1 and 2. Start with reflections on the morning session: what are the implications for your project in general and for the writing of the handbook in specific? The discussion is followed by discussions on the first drafts for the handbook. Students and	Sal Y, Plan 2, Ulls hus, SLU Campus Ultuna, Uppsala (30 pax) Grupprum D237, Plan 2, Ulls hus D (6 pax) Grupprum D238, Plan 2, Ulls hus D (6 pax)



		supervisors give feedback on Handbook drafts. Each participant has 2 assignments to read in advance and prepare comments.	
	16.30	Reconvene and wrap up: Question moment (for Greet/Matthias) - anything that has come up during the day that is confusing/ unclear, which points/themes need thinking through	Sal Y, Plan 2, Ulls hus, SLU Campus Ultuna, Uppsala
	17:00	End of day <i>Bus 100 from Campus Ultuna to Centralstation for dinner reservations 17.09 (Arrival 17:30) or 17.26 (Arrival 17.45)</i>	
	17.45	Dinner at Stationen	Olof Palmes plats 6, 753 21 Uppsala
Wednesday 15th Feb	08.45	Meet at Uppsala Central Station	In main station building outside 'Subway'
	08.56	Train from Uppsala Central station	
	09.05	Walking tour in Knivsta	Knivsta Train Station
	10.00	Fika/ coffee	Outside Kvällsta, Floor 3, Knivsta Kommun
	10.30-12.00	Research-practise workshop with Knivsta Kommun	Kvällsta, Floor 3, Knivsta Kommun
	12.15	Lunch	Restaurant Kvarnen, Knivsta Centrum för Idrott och Kultur
	13.15	Afternoon session in work packages 1, 2 and 3 Reflect on the tensions between policy and place and the situatedness and reach of your research. Continue the discussions and hands-on work on the	Kvällsta, Floor 3, Knivsta Kommun

		handbook.	
	14.45	Fika/ coffee	Outside Kvällsta
	15.00	Knivsta: Speaker 2/Discussion <i>Thomas Malmer, Local Politician</i>	Kvällsta, Floor 3, Knivsta Kommun
	16.00	Wrap up in work packages: Establish next steps: how to move from handbook to policy guidelines?	Kvällsta, Floor 3, Knivsta Kommun
	16.45	Workshop wrap up - Takeaways	Kvällsta, Floor 3, Knivsta Kommun
	17.24	Train to Uppsala	Knivsta Train station
	17.35 onwards	Free Evening	
	18.30	<i>Informal dinner at Messob, for those who wish to join</i>	<i>Sturegatan 4A, 753 14 Uppsala</i> <i>Self-paid</i>
<i>Please note Thursday 16th is for ESRs only</i>			
Thursday 16th Feb	8.35	Meet at Uppsala Central Station <i>(for those who want to go to Stockholm together)</i>	In main station building outside 'Subway'
	8.44	Train from Uppsala Central Station	
	9.30	Arrival in Stockholm	Stockholm Central Station
	10.15	Writing retreat begins	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH
	10.15	10 minutes for private reflection on intentions and objectives for the day, 15 minutes to share with the room	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH
	10.45	Writing block 1	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH



	12.15	Lunch	
	13.15	Writing block 2	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH
	14.45	Check in over coffee/fika	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH
	15.05	Writing block 3	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH
	16.35	Wrap up and final reflections	Ångkloket, Teknikringen 10a, KTH
	17:00	End of day	

Appendix I: Participants' attendance

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Supervisor	Caroline Gallez	WP2	Université Gustave Eiffel (UGE), France
Supervisor	Nathalie Roseau	WP1	Ecole des Ponts ParisTech, France
Supervisor	Stijn Oosterlynck	WP1	University of Antwerp, Belgium
Supervisor	Mattias Qviström	WP2	Sveriges Lantbruksuniversitet (SLU), Sweden



Supervisor	Jonathan Metzger	WP1	KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden
Supervisor	Martin Emanuel		KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden
Supervisor	Paola Viganò	WP1	École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland
Scientific advisory board	Nik Luka		McGill University, Canada



Appendix II: Bibliographic references Workshop Sweden

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