

**FACED WITH DECLINE?
A TRANSNATIONAL ANARCHO-SYNDICALIST NETWORK
IN THE INTERWAR PERIOD (1918-1940)**

Centre des colloques (room 3.05), Place du Front populaire, Aubervilliers

Programme

THURSDAY 10 SEPTEMBER

10:00-12:00 Welcome to the Participants

12:00-12:30 Opening

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:30 General Introduction

Constance Bantman, "Rewriting the History of Anarcho-Syndicalism: From the Individual to the Transnational"

14:30-15:30 The Architects of the International Workers' Association

Chair : Stefan Berger

David Bernardini, "Rudolf Rocker's Analysis of Fascism: the Berlin Years"

Xavier Bougarel, "Alexandre Schapiro, from the Russian to the Spanish Revolution"

15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

16:00-17:30 Berlin, Hub of Interwar Anarcho-Syndicalism?

Chair : Fabian Lemmes

Xavier Bougarel and Hartmut Rübner (online), “Augustin Souchy and the Transnational History of Anarcho-Syndicalism”

Dieter Nelles, “Helmut Rüdiger (1903-1966), a Transnational Anarcho-Syndicalist”

Siegbert Wolf, “‘Opening the Gates of Freedom’ – Milly Witkop-Rocker (1877-1955), Anarchist and Feminist”

17:30-18:00 Coffee Break

18:00-19:00 Anarcho-Syndicalism as a Declining Minority

Chair : Dominique Pinsole

Giorgio Sacchetti (online), “Armando Borghi and Direct Action: Italian and Global Networks of Anarcho-Syndicalism”

Guillaume Davranche, “Pierre Besnard, or how Anarcho-Syndicalism Became a Doctrine”

20:00 Dinner

FRIDAY 11 SEPTEMBER

08:30-09:30 Breakfast

09:30-11:00 Anarcho-Syndicalism, Pacifism, Anticolonialism

Chair : Xavier Bougarel

Thom Holterman (online), “Arthur Lehning (1899–2000) – The Early 1920s – His Social Network – His Ideas”

Evert van der Tuin (online), “Albert De Jong and the International Workers’ Association”

Ole Birk Laursen, “Indian Anticolonialism, Anarchism, and Anti-Militarism in Weimar Era Berlin”

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

11:30-12:30 Spain, the Last Stronghold ?

Chair : Fabian Lemmes

Jose Luis Gutierrez Molina (online), “Anarcho-Syndicalism, the Revolution and Nazism in the Thirties: The Analysis of Valeriano Orobón Fernández”

Maria Miguelanez-Martinez, “Diego Abad de Santillán, An Anarchist Translator”

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-14:30 General Discussion