BETWEEN IDEALS AND PRACTICES: JOURNALISTIC ROLE PERFORMANCE IN TRANSFORMATIVE TIMES

WEDNESDAY MAY 24TH, 2023, 8:30AM - 6:00PM

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8:30 - 9:00	**Registration**			
9:00 - 9:15	**Welcome**			
9:15 - 10:00	**Keynote Dr. Claudia Mellado: Role performance research in journalism studies: theoretical and methodological grounds, practical applications, and processes for articulating international cooperation**			
10:15 - 11:45	**Morning Panels**			
Room TBA	**Role conception and role performance in reporting Colombian peace building: A paradox between ideal and practice in conflict coverage** Presenter(s): Jesús Arroyave, Universidad del Norte	**The precarity trap: Modelling non-democratic journalistic practices beyond media capture** Presenter(s): Ricardo Ribeiro Ferreira, University of Edinburgh	**Performing the loyal-facilitator role in Cuban journalism: Political regime, nationalism and national defense in a context of ongoing change** Presenter(s): Dasniel Olivera, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México	**Political polarization and journalistic role performance in East Asia: Public function of journalism in South Korea, Japan, and Taiwan** Presenter(s): Misook Lee, The University of Tokyo; Christi I-Hsuan Lin, Rikkyo University
Room TBA	**Refining the study of journalistic role performance** Presenter(s): Tim P. Vos, Michigan State University	**Is it us or them? The challenge of getting journalists to participate in academic research** Presenter(s): Nicole Blanchett, Toronto Metropolitan University	**Journalism under duress: How risk and uncertainty affect journalists' role conceptions** Presenter(s): Anna von Garmissen, Wiebke Loosen, Leibniz Institute for Media Research Hans-Bredow-Institut (HBI) Corinna Lauerer, Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich	**Understanding journalistic objectivity: between detached and interpreting approaches to news** Presenter(s): Marco Mazzoni, University of Perugia; Anna Stanziano, University of Urbino
Room TBA	**Emotions play a role now, too: How affective relationship practices expand traditional role enactment in journalists' audience-relationships** Presenter(s): Julius Reimer, Leibniz Institute for Media Research | Hans-Bredow-Institut (HBI)	**Exploring the factors associated with infotainment journalistic role performance: Evidence from five Arab countries' news media** Presenter(s): Hossam Elhamy, College of Communication & Media Sciences Rasha El-Ibiary, Future University in Egypt	**Insiderization or celebrification? A comparative study on political journalists' role conception in South Korea and the United States** Presenter(s): Young Eun Moon, Arizona State University	**Icelandic journalists: Emphasizing classic journalistic roles but under increasing economic pressure** Presenter(s): Valgerður Jóhannsdóttir, University of Iceland Jón Gunnar Ólafsson, University of Iceland
Room TBA	**Journalisme et médias numériques en milieu rural au Gabon : entre volonté entrepreneuriale et réalités socioéconomiques.** Presenter(s): Riva Vianney M'Boumba-M'Boumba, Université Grenoble Alpes	**Toward promoting the English language in teaching journalism, media, and communication sciences: A new approach to improving journalistic performance in Algeria** Presenter(s): Hafidha Touati, Redouane Touati, Université de Médéa	**TBA** Presenter(s): David Cheruiyot, University of Groningen	**Journalisme francophone en RDC : Les langues locales comme exutoire des contraintes liées à l'usage du français** Presenter(s): Pierre N'sana Bitentu, Université libre de Bruxelles
12:00 - 1:15	**Lunch**			
1:30 - 3:00	**Afternoon Panel 1**			
Room TBA	**Patterns of journalistic role performance during public health crises: Covering the COVID-19 Pandemic in the UK** Presenter(s): Xin Zhao, Bournemouth University	**Transparency or infodemic? A comparative analysis of journalists' sourcing practices in reporting COVID-19 in Egypt and the UAE** Presenter(s): Rasha El-Ibiary, Future University in Egypt; Maha Abdulmajeed, Ajman University	**Role performance in Australian journalism during the COVID-19 pandemic** Presenter(s): David Nolan, University of Canberra	**A critical analysis of journalists' freedom of expression and access to information while reporting on COVID-19 issues: A case of selected Arab countries** Presenter(s): Miral Sabry AlAshry, Future University in Egypt
Room TBA	**'You can see that I walk a tightrope': Professional retreatism and ideological dilemmas in the reporting of stories about Muslims** Presenter(s): Nadia Haq, Cardiff University	**Silver bullet or rusty nail? Tech-reporting, misinformation and Indian alternative journalism** Presenter(s): Darsana Vijay, University of Toronto	**Solidarity as public service: Evolving norms for journalists covering anti-Black racism** Presenter(s): Eternity Martis, Toronto Metropolitan University	**'Giving voice to the voiceless' and best intentions: A qualitative study on journalists' perceptions of advocacy and objectivity in their reporting on homelessness** Presenter(s): Laura Moorhead, San Francisco State University

| Room TBA | Role conception in an uncertain time: The case of Arab journalists

Presenter(s): Elsayed Darwish, Zayed University | Canadian reporting practice & democratic ideals

Presenter(s): Davis Vallesi, York University | Feeding off each other: Journalistic role negotiations between local and foreign reporters in Nairobi

Presenter(s): Cecilia Arregui Olivera, Aarhus University | How political journalists perceived and performed divergent roles online and offline

Presenter(s): I-Chun Lin, University of Leeds |
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| Room TBA | Who are lifestyle journalists? Theorising the role orientations and role performances of lifestyle journalists

Presenter(s): Lydia Cheng, The University of Sydney | Journalism \| Audience: Journalistic roles from a relational perspective

Presenter(s): Verena Albert & Wiebke Loosen, Leibniz Institute for Media Research Hans-Bredow-Institut | #news: Journalistic role performance on TikTok

Presenter(s): Trish Audette-Longo, Carleton University | |
| 3:00 - 3:15 | **Break** | | | |
| 3:15 - 4:45 | **Afternoon Panel 2** | | | |
| Room TBA | Scandal reporting and objectivity: Journalistic role performance of political journalists on Twitter

Presenter(s): Maximilian Eder, Ludwig-Maximilians University Munich | Towards a model of sports journalistic role performance? Comparing the materialization of journalistic roles in 37 countries

Presenter(s): Daniel Jackson, Bournemouth University | The constrained roles of financial journalists: From the perspective of financialization in the New Media Era

Presenter(s): Dr. Brian So Ming Hang, Hong Kong Baptist University | Journalistic roles in investigative reporting: negotiating perceived enactment and actual performance in the BES scandal news coverage

Presenter(s): Rui Alexandre Novais, Universidade Catoïlica Portuguesa-CEFH |
| Room TBA | The implications of newsroom convergence for news presentation at Nation Media Group – Uganda

Presenter(s): Allan Chekwech, Uganda Christian University
Emilly Comfort Maractho, Uganda Christian University | "We hear it through the grapevine": Internal communication, leadership, and the disruption of journalistic role conceptions at a South African digital-first news publication

Presenter(s): Dr Marenet Jordaan, Stellenbosch University | Journalistic role performance in the time of AI: Competencies, conditions, and critical perspectives beyond the mainstream West

Presenter(s): Aynur Sarısakaloğlu, Technische Universität Ilmenau
Pauline Gidget Estella, Technische Universität Ilmenau | The impact of Artificial Intelligence on journalistic roles and ethical boundaries in the newsroom

Presenter(s): Angela Misri, Toronto Metropolitan University |
| Room TBA | Accommodating journalism in authoritarian political regimes. The Interventionist and loyal facilitator roles in state-orientated and private media in Cuba and Venezuela

Presenter(s): David Blanco-Herrero, University of Salamanca | "If you are a detached observer, you are pro-war, so there is no choice": Renegotiation of professional roles by Russian journalists in exile

Presenter(s): Anna Litvinenko, Freie Universität Berlin | One role, one voice, different platforms: Examining the loyal facilitator role in Arab countries.

Presenter(s): Nagwa Fahmy Zayed University
Additional Author(s): Maha Abdulmajeed, Ajman University | Journalistic roles and political parallelism in a volatile society: The case of Ethiopia

Presenter(s): Terje Skjerdal, NLA University College |
| Room TBA | La langue : un élément de différenciation des vécus journalistiques en Belgique ?

Presenter(s): Florence Le Cam, Université libre de Bruxelles | Pandémie et rôles journalistiques au Québec : des effets immédiats et durables

Presenter(s): Marie Eve Carignan, Université de Sherbrooke | L'environnement médiatique au Québec : différent de celui des autres provinces canadiennes ?

Presenter(s): Simon Thibault, Université de Montréal | TBA

Presenter(s): Olivier Standaert, UCLouvain |
4:45 - 5:00	**Break**			
5:00 - 5:45	**Keynote Dr. Daniel C. Hallin: Complexity, context, and concepts: The next wave of media-systems analysis**			
5:45 - 6:00	**Closing Remarks**			

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