

CONNECTIONS AND MOBILITIES IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

On “Outdated Concepts” in the Social Sciences

EURETES Kick-Off Workshop

Galatasaray University
Department of Sociology &
Center for Social Research (TAM)

In collaboration with CETOBaC (EHESS) & IMS (Crete)

Dates: Monday–Tuesday, 22–23 September 2025

Venue: Galatasaray University, Salle C-315

Address: Çırağan Caddesi No:36, 34349 Beşiktaş, Istanbul, Turkey

Organizing Committee

- Marc Aymes (CETOBaC), Gözde Aytemur (GSU), Didem Daniş (GSU), Julie Alev Dilmaç (GSU), Cem Özatalay (GSU), Marinos Sariyannis (IMS), Nikos Sigalas (IMS), Galia Valtchinova (CETOBaC).

Access & Transport

- The campus is located on the Bosphorus in Ortaköy, and can be easily reached on foot from Beşiktaş or by bus from central districts such as Taksim and Kabataş.
- The nearest bus stop is “Galatasaray Üniversitesi”, directly in front of the campus.

On-site Information

- **Room:** Salle C-315 is located in the main (historical) building, 2nd floor.
- **Wi-Fi:** Internet access is available only through **eduroam**. Participants without eduroam accounts can connect via paid services.
- **Meals & Coffee Breaks:** Coffee, tea, and cookies will be served during breaks. Lunch will be provided at the university cafeteria.
- **Language:** The workshop will be conducted in English.

Contact

- For any questions or practical issues during the workshop, please contact Kerem Yılmaz (+90 543 542 80 19) or İpek Boldağ (+90 533 725 26 05).

WORKSHOP PROGRAM

Day 1 – Monday, 22 September 2025

09:15 – Opening

- Welcome remarks: *Julie Alev Dilmaç & Didem Danış*
- Presentation of EURETES : *Marc Aymes*
- Presentation of partner institutions and participants

10:00 – 10:30 Coffee break

10:30 – 13:00 Session I - On Outdated Concepts I

- Charles Grzybowski
- Ayçanur Top
- Dimitris Giagtzoglou
- İpek Boldağ

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch break

14:30 – 17:00 Session II - On Outdated Concepts II

- Sarah Melloul
- İlknur Köseoğlu
- Ceren Tunay
- Gizem Sevin

17:30 Welcome cocktail

Day 2 – Tuesday, 23 September 2025

10:00 – 12:30 Session III - On Outdated Concepts III

- Arthur Talon
- Elsa Kılavuz
- Maria Ioannou
- Furkan Ece
- Mücahit Karaca

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch break

14:00 – 15:30 Session IV - On Outdated Concepts IV

- Zeynep Çavuşoğlu Yıldırım
- Kerem Yılmaz
- Ozan Bal

16:00 – 17:30 Session V - Future Collaborations and projects