Social Theory and The Production of Everyday Life in Eco-Conscious Households with Kirstin Munro

4 October 2023 (4-5pm BST) Online

About the Event

We are pleased to host a conversation with Kirstin Munro, author of the newly published book, The Production of Everyday Life in Eco-Conscious Households: Compromise, Conflict, Complicity (with Bristol University Press). This book offers an empirically-grounded theoretical approach to social reproduction and the production of everyday life in the context of heightened and seemingly ubiquitous environmental destruction. More concretely, through a Marxist-Feminist lens, Kirstin discusses the waged and unwaged work of production and consumption that eco-conscious households undertake as a way of navigating and resisting the competing demands of living in a neoliberal capitalist society.

This event will explore questions related to social theory, political economy, and everyday life, as developed through Kirstin's scholarly work.

About the speaker:

Kirstin Munro is Assistant Professor of Economics at the New School for Social Research in New York, US. The major theme of Kirstin's research is the overlapping relationships between people, the economy, and the environment. While Kirstin's research is grounded in a disciplinary perspective thanks to her graduate training in economics, both the methods and substance of her work are shaped by insights from relevant social theory and economic inquiry outside the mainstream. Kirstin serves on the Editorial Board of *The Review of Radical Political Economics* and the Editorial Advisory Boards of *Global Political Economy*, and the *Critical Theory* and *Critique of Society* Book Series.

Discussant: Ioana Cerasella Chis (University of Birmingham), BSA Theory Study Group Coconvenor

Registration

- Members: FREE
- Non-members: £10
- Concessionary: £5

