

**Work after Fordism:  
Theorizing organizational diversity and dominant  
trends in contemporary capitalism**

**12-13 September 2011**

**Venue: Francis Bancroft Building, Room 408  
Queen Mary, University of London**

**Monday, 12 September**

12:30pm: Opening (Giuliano Maielli and Matt Vidal)

1. 00pm: Paul Thompson  
*Disconnected Capitalism and Its Consequences*

1.45pm: Marco Hauptmeier  
*Organizing Competition in MNCs: Whipsawing in Employment  
Relations*

2.30pm: Coffee Break

3.15pm: Giuliano Maielli  
*Modes of Knowledge Accumulation between Continuity and Change*

4.00pm: Ulrich Jürgens  
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4:45pm: Benjamin Coriat  
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5:30: Drinks

## **Tuesday: 13 September**

9.30am: Karel Williams and John Buchanan

*Labour after the Great Complacency: unsustainable employment portfolios in the US, UK and Australia*

(co-authors: Julie Froud, and Sukhdev Johal)

10.15am: Rick Delbridge and Sarah Jenkins

*Control and Value Discretion in Interactive Service Work: A Case Study*

11.00am: Coffee Break

11.30am: Matt Vidal

*Job Quality and Institutional Dynamics of Competition in Postfordist Capitalism*

12:15pm: Ulrich Jürgens

*Comment on the presentations*

1.00pm: Lunch

2:00pm: Discussion