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SS_03 REPOPULATING LEFT-BEHIND TERRITORIES: POLICIES, PRACTICES, AND EMERGING PATHWAY

Yildiz Technical University, Istanbul Çifte Havuzlar, YTÜ-Davutpaşa Kampüsü, 34220 Esenler/İstanbul, Türkiye

Wednesday 9 July

11:00

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Session | **Location:** 28 | **Conveners:** Loris Servillo, Silvia Cafora, Mauro Fontana

11:00-11:10

Infrastructuring repopulation. Regeneration of left-behind territories and construction of new housing practice.

Speaker

Mauro Fontana

11:10-11:20

Social Infrastructures for Repopulation: Learning from 'School Zones' in England

Speaker

Dr Lucy Natarajan

11:20-11:30

Repopulating Left-Behind Territories: Economic Revitalization, Social Cohesion, Territorial and Demographic Balance in the Rural Spain through Innovation and Transformation of Productive Sectors.

Speakers

Ms Ludovica Rolando, Mr Salvador Gilabert Sanz

11:30-11:40

Navigating (Im)mobility and alternative development in Left Behind Areas: Insights from Valle di Viù, Italy

Speaker

Astrid Safina

11:40-11:50

Attempting coproduction, (strategically) misunderstanding coproduction, failing coproduction? Motivations, positionalities, challenges and (concrete) experiences in coproduction processes on left-behind places in Lombardy, Italy

Speakers

Prof. Alessandro Coppola, Dr Sara Caramaschi

11:50-12:00

Revitalizing the Po Valley's margins: challenges, strategies and future prospects

Speaker

Dr Sara Caramaschi

12:30