

Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019, 2:45 pm – 4:15 pm

Lecture Hall 6, Room 2113, Campus Center, Moritzstraße 18
<b>Theoretical Perspectives</b>
<b>Actors and Agents</b>
<b>Chair: Teresa Carvalho</b>
Actor Constellation and Dynamics in the Higher Education Field: The Contribution of Organizational Change Theory Emanuela Reale
The Actorhood Imperative. On the Subjectivation of Universities as Organizational Actors Roland Bloch
Agency Revisited? – A Critical Reflection upon Action-Theoretical Foundations in Studies of Academic Career Trajectories and Dynamics Antje Wegner

## Chair

**Teresa Carvalho** (Centre for Research in Higher Education Policies (CIPES)/University of Aveiro, Portugal)  
Teresa Carvalho is an Associate Professor at the University of Aveiro, in Portugal. She is a senior researcher at CIPES (Centre for Research in Higher Education Policies) and the Director of the PhD program in Public Policies at the University of Aveiro. She is a member of the ESA (European Sociological Association) Executive Committee, as chair of the RN-Council, for 2017-2019. Develops research in public reforms and has a special interest in issues related with the role of professionals in formulating and implementing public policies. The main focus of her current research is the relation between managerialism and academic professionalism with an emphasis on gender issues. She has developed research and published her work in New Public Management; sociology of professions, gender and academic careers.

## Speakers

**Roland Bloch** (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany)

**Emanuela Reale** (Research Institute on Sustainable Economic Growth of the National Research Council (CNR-IRCrES), Italy)

**Antje Wegner** (German Centre for Higher Education Research and Science Studies (DZHW), Germany)