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**Strategic Perspectives of the European Radical Left (2):**

**Meaning, Subjects and Spaces of Transformation**

**International workshop by transform! Europe**

**Florence, 29th-30th May 2010**

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## Meaning, Subjects and Spaces of Transformation

### STARTING POINT

The second element of the project "Strategic Projects of the European Radical Left" is described as follows:

"Rethinking the meaning, the subjects and the spaces of transformation

1. The meaning of transformation
2. Social and political protagonists in favour of transformation (traditional working-class, precarious workers, unemployed, women, youth, political parties, trade unions, social movements"

**Accommodation:** Hotel Desiree and Palazzo Vecchio| Via Fiume, 20, 50123 Florence  
**Venue:** Terra Futura, Fortezza da Basso  
**transfer** from airport by bus to Florence train station SMN ( Santa Maria Novella) 20 min.

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### Agenda

#### Saturday, 29 May

09.30 - 10.00

Welcome and opening

**MB of transform + transform! Italia**

10.00 – 11.00

1st Session

"Transformation" as a Concept and the Struggle for Elements of a New Hegemony. Can we sketch elements and structures of a new social block. How does such a block link the social, the political and cultural aspects? What means "Gender-Political Perspective"? How capitalism tries to preserve his hegemony?

**Walter Baier**

11.00 – 14.00

2nd Session

The Future of Work – What it is at stake? Trends in the Material Production, "General Intellect", Changes in the social structures: questions of employment, precariousness. Labour and the global crisis of the accumulation and regulation model. Old and new conflicts. Problems of the political subjectivity. Possible Coalitions.

**Klaus Dörre**

**Edeltraud Hanappi-Egger**

**Sergio Bellucci**

**Alice Mattoni**

14.00 – 16.30

Lunch

16.30 – 17.30

3rd Session

The Capitalist Economy at the Limits of the Eco-System – On the social content of the ecological question. Can it be formulated as a question referring to the concept of relations of production? How is it related to the concept of a new model of development? How can it be integrated in a hegemonic concept?

**Elmar Altvater**

17.30 – 19.00

4th Session

Country Case Studies + The Italian Case (On the basis of formulated questions)

19.30 – 21.00

5th Session

Migration and transformation

**Espaces Marx t.b.c.**

#### Sunday, 30 May

10.00 - 11.30

5th Session

Perception of the Crisis: What opinion research reveals

**Richard Detje**

**NPI t.b.c.**

11.30 - 13.00

6th Session

Panel discussion: Facing the existential crisis in Europe, how to conceive the struggle aiming the EU transformation in this context, on the European and the national level ?

**Elisabeth Gauthier, Haris Golemis, Kinga Kalocsai, Franco Russo**

13.30 – 15.00 Conclusion and Outlook