

## Tacet ad Libitum! Towards a Poetics and Politics of Silence

### Programme Schedule - 27<sup>th</sup> July 2022

#### Theory of Silence (ES 333)

Alexander García Düttmann  
Adam Kotsko

#### Poetics of Silence (ES 2)

Eva Geulen  
William Watkin

#### Politics of Silence (ES 3)

Urvashi Butalia  
Felipe Espinoza Garrido

#### **10:00 Mona Merhi**

Aphasia and Un-utterance

#### **10:00 Pooja Singh**

Rethinking Silence for a  
Posthuman Context

#### **10:00 Irfan Habeeb**

Silence and Resistance: The  
Emergence of the Subaltern  
Political Subjects in Colonial  
India

#### **10:30 Neal Spadafora**

How (Not) to Speak of  
Revolution: Karl Marx and the  
Apophtatic

#### **10:30 Peter Metzel**

Silence in Friedrich Hebbel's  
*Herodes und Mariamne*

#### **10:30 Can Cakir**

Catastrophe as a Utopian  
Premise

#### **11:00–11:15 Break**

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#### **11:15 Leyla Sophie Gleissner**

Speaking (in) Silences. Outline  
of an Ethics of Listening

#### **11:15 Karthik Shankar**

Silence and the Everyday  
Anthropocene

#### **11:15 Ayesha Latif**

Silencing the Woman Poet's  
Premodern Poetic Text in the  
South-Asian Vernacular  
Through Social Forgetting

#### **11:45 Aleksí Rennes**

Silence, Belief, and Utopia in  
Ingmar Bergman's Trilogy on  
Faith

#### **11:45 Sonakshi Srivastava**

Inter“rupt”ing Routine: A Study  
of Female Subjectivity, Silence,  
and Vegetal Futures

#### **11:45 yashka**

Narrating the Brown Queer Self  
and Corporeality

#### **12:15–13:45 Lunch**

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#### **13:45 Melanie Swan**

Grammatology and  
Performativity: A Critical  
Theory of Silence

#### **13:45 Hector Feliciano**

The Mere Gesture of Silence, or  
the Actuality of the "World  
Theater"

#### **13:45 Jasna Kuriyangara (Zoom)**

Silence as a norm and practice:  
A tale from the library

#### **14:15 Michael Mason**

Profound Silence and the  
(Negative) Rhetoric of the New  
Right

#### **14:15 Hal Coase**

Brushing Silence: Barbara Guest  
and the Visual Field

#### **14:15 Eduardo Acosta (Zoom)**

The Power of the Ancestral  
Philosophy of Alli Kawsay  
(Buen Vivir) in the Indigenous  
Movements of Colombia