

WS02 Prof. Angelos MOUZAKITIS (EN)

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Title: Thinking Identity with -and beyond- Paul Ricoeur

Description: Paul Ricoeur is one of the most influential philosophers of the 20th Century whose oeuvre extends to the first decade of the present century. In his writings he elaborated a theory concerning the formation of individual and collective identities that moves away from essentialist interpretations and places due emphasis on the relational, social, discursive and dynamic characteristics of identities. I aim to outline the fundamental aspects of his approach and to use it for the assessment of the very notion of hybridity.

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