TRANSLATION AND TRANSFORMATION IN AUDIOVISUAL AND DIGITAL CULTURE

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Friday, 3 September

16:00 – 16:30 Registration, fees	Hotel Flagman conference hall
16:30 – 17:00	Opening of the XXV EFSS 2021 Translation and Transformation in Audiovisual and Digital Culture
17:00 – 18:00	Plenary lecture Paul Cobley: Making Sense of the E-Reading Debates
19:00 – 20:00	Dinner
20:00 -	Social program

Saturday, 4 September

	Hotel Flagman conference hall
Chair: K. Bankov	Plenary lectures:
10:00 - 10:45	Dario Martinelli: Chekhov's guitar - or: on the musical translations of audiovisual strategies
10:45 – 11:30	Momchil Alexiev: Digital transformations in virtual reality
11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
11:45 – 12:30	Kristian Bankov: The Commercial Core of the Digital Transformation of Culture
12:30 – 13:00	Discussion
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch









Chair: Loukia Kostopoulou	
16:00 – 16:30	Loukia Kostopoulou: Intermediality in contemporary avant-garde cinema: Blurring media boundaries in Jean-Luc Godard's films
16:30 – 17:00	Dimitrios Neofotistos: The colorization of Greek classic films as intersemiotic translation
17:00 – 17:30	Thomas Bardakis: A semiotic analysis on the representations of maids in Greek movies
17:30 – 17:40	Coffee break
17:40 – 18:10	Iokasti Foundouka: Transmediality and cultural semiotics in the myth of Carmen
18:10 – 18:30	Eleni D. Lazaridou: Red or blue pill: Intersemiotic translation of the Matrix scene in video games
18:30 – 18:50	Elena S. Lazaridou: Intertextuality in Greek TV spots
18:50 – 19:10	George Metaxiotis: From the Screen to the floor: performance and visual culture at the swing dancing community in Greece
20:00	Welcoming reception

Sunday, 5 September

	Hotel Flagman conference hall
Chair: R. Yankova	Plenary lectures:
10:00 - 10:45	Evangelos Kourdis: The semiotics of shifting sensorium and audiovisual translation
10:45 – 11:30	Nicolae-Sorin Drăgan: The New Vincent: Al Style Transfer & Meanings
11:30 – 11:45	Coffee break
11:45 – 12:30	Christo Kaftandjiev, Kristian Bankov: Semiotic translations – boundless transformations and overflows between different cultural phenomena and sign systems
12:30 – 13:00	Discussion
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch









Chair: George Damaskinidis	
16:00 – 16:30	George Damaskinidis: Multimodal semiotics translation of love songs in scary cover books
16:30 – 17:00	Sebastian Fitzek: The personality of authentic leadership
17:00 – 17:30	Svetoslav Biliarsky: TBD
17:45 – 18:00	Coffee break
18:00 – 19:00	Workshop by Momchil Alexiev: Digital transformations in virtual reality
19:00 – 20:00	Dinner
21:00 -	Social program

Monday, 6 September

	Hotel Flagman conference hall
Chair: R. Yankova 10:00 - 10:45	Federico Bellentani: How to build a chatbot. Towards a semiotic approach
10:45 – 11:15	Dimitar Trendafilov: How an idea is transferred: the Bauhaus case
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee break
11:30 – 12:00	Reni Yankova: Transformation of the Self in the digital culture
12:00 – 12:30	James Bennett Tyler (Zoom): Hybrid detotalization in the YouTube space
12:30 – 13:00	Marwah Firas Abdullah (Zoom): A Multimodal Social Semiotic Analysis of Emoji's Use with Reference to Covid-19
13:00 – 14:30	Lunch
Chair: K.Bankov 16:00 – 16:30	Defense of MA Theses for the students in Brand Management
19:00 – 20:00	Dinner
21:00 –	Social program







