

So Michel Foucault and Gary Becker Walk into a Bar ...

A Lecture and Conversation with Bernard Harcourt on Punishment, Sexual Capital, and Neoliberalism

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Bernard E. Harcourt is the Julius Kreeger Professor of Law and Political Science at the University of Chicago and has just been elected *directeur d'études* at the École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales in Paris. During 2013-14, he is the Stephen and Barbara Friedman Visiting Professor of Law at Columbia University. He is the author of *The Illusion of Free Markets: Punishment and the Myth of Natural Order* (Harvard University Press 2011) and the editor of Michel Foucault's 1972-73 lectures at the Collège de France, *La Société punitive* (Gallimard

2013). Most recently, he published with Michael Taussig and W.J.T. Mitchell, *Occupy: Three Inquiries in Disobedience* (University of Chicago Press 2013). He is also the author of *Against Prediction: Profiling, Policing, and Punishing in an Actuarial Age* (University of Chicago Press 2007), which won the Gordon J. Laing Prize in 2009, *Language of the Gun: Youth, Crime, and Public Policy* (University of Chicago Press 2005), and *Illusion of Order: The False Promise of Broken-Windows Policing* (Harvard University Press 2001) and the co-editor of Foucault's *Mal faire, dire vrai: Fonction de l'aveu en justice* (Presses Universitaires de Louvain and University of Chicago Press).

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