



Political Stability in Deeply Divided Societies

June 8, 2018

11 Bedford Square, London, WC1B 3RF

Room BEDAQ-1-01

—Programme—

- 09:00 – 09:45 Registration (tea and coffee will be provided)
- 09:45 – 10:00 Welcome address
- 10:00 – 12:00 Conflict in flux: Towards a political economy of (in)security
Chair: Julia Gallagher (Royal Holloway)
Florian Kern (University of Essex)
The provision of security in sub-Saharan Africa's dual polities: Comparative evidence from Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda
Ndubuisi Nwokolo (University of Birmingham)
Demystifying grievance, greed and rent-seeking in oil communities' conflicts in Nigeria
Shyamal Kataria (University of Sharjah)
The re-territorialization of persecuted identity: How refugee arrival generates ethno-national conflict
Cheng Xu (University of Toronto)
"This land is my land": Peasant land tenure and (counter)insurgency in lowland Philippines
Sagheer Ahmad Khan (Bahauddin Zakariya University)
Ethnic movements in Pakistan: Factors behind varied responses against perceived dominance
- 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch (a light lunch will be provided)
- 13:00 – 15:00 Representation, participation, and regime survival: New data for perennial problems
Chair: Thomas Stubbs (Royal Holloway)
Dimitrios Xeftiris (University of Cyprus)
Identity and redistribution in representative democracies: An experimental analysis
Luca Andriani (Birkbeck)
Corruption aversion, social capital, and institutional trust in a dysfunctional institutional framework: Evidence from a Palestinian survey
Sanja Hajdinjak (University of Vienna)
Tourism natural resources, corruption and political stability: The role of civil society in dismantling partitocracy in Montenegro
Barry Maydom (London School of Economics and Political Science)
Remittances, public security and voter turnout
Marlene Jugl (Hertie School of Governance)
Country size matters: Why monarchy survived in Jordan and failed in Egypt
- 15:00 – 15:30 Coffee break



- 15:30 – 17:30 Legislating peace: The challenges of political settlements
Chair: Ivica Petrikova (Royal Holloway)
Daniel Banini (University of Central Florida)
 Explaining compliance with the ECOWAS regime on small and light weapons: The role of state legitimacy and fragility
Chi Zhang (University of Leeds)
 “Make terrorists like rats scurrying across the street”: Stability maintenance in the context of counter-terrorism strategy
Dennis Quilala (University of the Philippines Diliman)
 Peace at all costs: When peace processes marginalize other minority groups
Andras Gal (Central European University)
 Beyond ‘unwinding’: Understanding judicial strategies in post-conflict consociations
Henry Jarrett (University of Exeter)
 A consociational solution for Syria? Lessons from Northern Ireland
- 17:30 – 18:00 Concluding remarks