

Eurasian Peace Conference – Draft 36, December 20, 2018 [Final?]

Monday, January 14, 2019

Session # A. – 930-11:15

Panel #A.1: Gender, Conflict, and Security: The Israeli Case

Chair and Discussants: Timea Spitka, Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Ayelet Harel-Shalev, Ben-Gurion University

Ayelet Harel-Shalev, Ben-Gurion University, “”A Room of One’s Own in Battlespace? Women Soldiers in War Rooms”

Sarai Aharoni, Ben-Gurion University; Alisa Lewin and Amalia Sa’ar, University of Haifa, “What’s In a Gun? Attitudes and Justifications of Norms Regarding the Use and Misuse of Light Weapons by Security Forces and Civilians in Israel”

Nimrod Rosler, Tel-Aviv University, ”Support for the Oslo Accords among Jewish-Israeli Women and Men: What Affects the Gender Gap in Support for Peace?”

Yossi David, Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz, “Gendering the Other: Gendered and Sexualized Images in Social Media”

Panel #A.2: Power Sharing and Self-Determination as Peace Strategies in Divided Societies

Chairs and Discussants: Piki Ish-Shalom and Kerstin Tomiak, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Bodson Thibaud, Freie Universität Berlin, “Power sharing in Divided Cities: The Case of Brussels”

Neophytos Loizides, Edward Morgan-Jones, Laura Sudulich, and Feargal Cochrane, University of Kent, “Can Power Sharing Political Institutions Secure Citizen Support? Evidence from Conjoint Survey Experiments in Northern Ireland and Cyprus”

Limor Yehuda, Hebrew University of Jerusalem; “Collective Equality: Liberal Yardstick for the Transformation of Self-Determination Conflicts.”

Friederike Luise Kelle, WZB Berlin Social Science Center, “Symbols and Support: Territorial Value and the Success of Self-Determination Demands.”

Panel # A.3: Political Violence: Causes and Repercussions

Chair and Discussant: Eric Gartzke, University of California, San Diego

Yair Yassan, Ben-Gurion University, “Political Violence of Citizens towards the State and its Agents”

Dennis Kahn, Fredrik Björklund, and Gilad Hirschberger, Lund University; “Political Rightists and Leftists Differ in Their Perception of Different Collective Threats.”

Chagai Weiss, University of Wisconsin, Madison, “The Causal Effects of Localized Combatant Deaths on Voting Behavior: Evidence from Israel.”

Carly Wayne and Yuri Zhukov, University of Michigan, “The Holocaust and Political Legacies of Genocide”

Coffee Break: 1115-1145

Session B. 1145-1330

Panel #B. 4: Democratization, Peace, and Violence

Chair and Discussant: Dr. Ehud Eiran, University of Haifa

Elis Vllasi, Purdue University, “Ethnonational Homelands and Strategies of Democracy Spoiling”

Khader Sawaed, University of Haifa, “Civic Agreement and Democratization: Explaining the Different Trajectories of Tunisia and Egypt after the Arab Spring”

Karina Mross, University of St. Gallen/German Development Institute, “Disaggregating Democracy Support to Explain Peaceful Democratization after Civil Wars.”

Panel # B.5: Transitional Justice and Reconciliation

Chair and Discussant: Tomer Broude and Renana Keydar, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Carmela Lutmar, University of Haifa, “Transitional Justice and Civil Wars Recurrence”

Yoav Kapshuk, Kinneret College and LSE, and Michael Kochin, Tel-Aviv University, “Transitional Justice in the Syrian Civil War”

Manar Mahmoud, Tel-Aviv University, “Reconciliation, Transitional Justice, and the Future of the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict.”

Hana Oberpfalzerova, Charles University in Prague, “Unofficial Storytelling as Middle Ground between Transitional Truth-Telling and Forgetting: A New Approach to Dealing with the Past in Postwar Bosnia and Herzegovina.”

Yuval Benziman, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Sorry Seems to be the Hardest Word: Israeli Peace-Oriented NGOs Lack of Apologetic Discourse.”

Panel # B. 6: International Dimensions of Domestic and ‘Intermestic’ Conflicts

Chair and Discussant: Yonathan Abrahamson, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and Yuri Zhukov, University of Michigan

Daniel Wajner, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Battling for Legitimacy: Analyzing Performative Contents in the ‘Gaza Flotilla’ Paradigmatic Case.”

Timea Spitka, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “International Protection Norms, National Security and the Protection of Civilians”

Oded Adomi Leshem, IDC Herzliya and George Mason University, “Mapping Hope for Peace in Conflict Zones: New Data from Israel-Palestine.”

Lunch Break, 1330-1500

Session C. 1500-1645: [three parallel panels]

Panel #C.7: Religion, War, and Peace

Chair and Discussant: Toby Greene, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and Benjamin Acosta, ICC Herzliya

Abby Fanlo and Avshalom Schwartz, Stanford University “Hobbes and Locke on Religious Toleration and Political Stability”

Manus Midlarsky, Rutgers University, “Religion and Genocide in Time of War”

Benjamin Schvarcz, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Religious Peacebuilding in Israel: The Froman Peace Campaign”

Michael Freedman, MIT, and Pazit Ben-Nun Bloom, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Religious Credibility and Compromise: Experimental Evidence from Religious Leaders in Israel.”

Panel #C. 8: The Political Economy of International and Transnational Armed Conflicts

Chair and Discussant: Mario Leonardo Chacón, New York University (Abu Dhabi), and Glenn H. Palmer, Penn State University and Peace Science Society (International)

Ehud Eran and Nizan Feldman, University of Haifa, “Guns, Firms and Deals: Naval Power and Effects of Trade on International Conflict.”

Belgin San-Akca and M. Yavus Yagis, Koc University, “Marketing Jihad: Monopolizing an Ideology”

Denis Golubev, Saint Petersburg State University, “Internationalization of Intrastate Armed Conflicts in MENA: Factoring the Role of Russia.”

Panel # C.9 - Conflict Dynamics

Chair and Discussant: Patrick Regan, University of Notre Dame and Hillel Frisch, Bar-Ilan University

Kibris Arzu, University of Warwick; “The Geo-Temporal Evolution of Violence in Civil Conflicts”

Ranan Kuperman, University of Haifa, “Alternative Conceptions of Utilities and Conflict Dynamics”

Eric Gartzke, University of California San Diego, “Rethinking Rational Deterrence Theory”

Coffee Break, 1645-1715

Session D. Greetings and Plenary Section, 1715-1900

Greetings: Prof. Barak Medina, Rector, Hebrew University of Jerusalem; Prof. Tamir Sheafer, Dean of Social Sciences, Hebrew University; Prof. Dan Miodownik, Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations; Dr. Oded Lowenheim, Harry S. Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace

Panel # D. 10: “Learning from Past and Continuing Failures in Reaching Peace Agreements” [sponsored by WISC and IAIS]

Chair: Arie M. Kacowicz, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Daniel Bar-Tal, Tel-Aviv University, “Conflict and Peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Case” Conflict”

Manas Chatterji, Binghamton University SUNY, “Conflict and Peace in South Asia”

Sabine Kurtenbach, GIGA German Institute of Global and Area Studies, Hamburg, “Conflict and Peace in Latin America”

Roberto Domínguez, Suffolk University and World International Studies Committee (WISC), “Conflict, Peace, and Regional Security Governance”

Reception: 1900-2100 [[Sponsored by the Leonard Davis Institute, WISC, and IAIS]

Tuesday, January 15th

Session E: 0900-1045

Panel # E.11: Patterns of Violence and Individual Actors

Chair and Discussant: Zaryab Iqbal, Pennsylvania State University

Dan Miodownik Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and Chagai M. Weiss, University of Wisconsin, Madison, “How Individual Actors can Derail Group Conflicts”

Daniel Arnon, Emory University, “The Instrumental Logic of Lone-Wolf Attacks: Political Entrepreneurs or Aggrieved Avengers?”

Devorah Manekin, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and Reed Wood, Arizona State University, “The Influence of Female Fighters on Audience Attitudes toward Rebel Movements”

Rob Geist Pinfold, INSS, and Yotam Rosner, Bar-Ilan University, “Who Leads and Who Leaves? Beliefs and Territorial Withdrawal”

Panel # E. 12: Non-Material and Ideational Approaches to Peace

Chair and Discussant: Arie M. Kacowicz and Yuval Benziman, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Galia Press-Barnathan, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Popular Culture and Peace”

Amelie Ferey, “Pax in Bello: Law as a Substitute of War?”

Andreas Herberg-Rothe, University of Applied Sciences, Fulda, "Mutual Recognition versus Clash of Civilizations."

Toby Greene, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “New Political Purposes behind the ‘Judeo-Christian’ Construction”

Resat Bayer, Koç University, “Changes in Levels of Interstate Peace”

Coffee Break: 1045-1115

Session F: 11:15-1300

Panel # F.13: Low Intensity Violence and Non-Violent Resistance

Chair and Discussant: Belgin San Akca, Koc University

Kerim Kavakli, Bocconi University, “Communal Clashes between Syrian Refugees and Natives in Turkey”

Zulfan Tadjoeeddin, Western Sydney University, and Bugra Gungor, Graduate Institute Geneva, “How Low-Intensity Electoral Violence Erupts and Differs Across Countries: Turkey and Indonesia in Comparative Perspectives”

Mario Leonardo Chacon and Christopher Paik, New York University Abu Dhabi, “Ballots and Bullets: The Electoral Origin of the Maoist Insurgency in Nepal.”

Esteban Klor, Hebrew University of Jerusalem; Alexei Abrahams, Princeton University; Eli Berman, UCSD; Prabin Khadka, New York University; and John Powell, Stanford University, “Patterns of Violence in Protracted Conflicts: An Episodic Analysis of the Israeli-Gazan Conflict”

Panel #F14: Social Media, Language, Identities, and Narratives between Contestation and Cooperation: The Case-Study of East-Jerusalem Palestinians

Chair: Ifat Maoz, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Maya de Vries, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “The Voice of Silence: Practices of Participation among East Jerusalem Palestinians”

Ibrahim Hazbun, Ifat Maoz, and Yiftach Ron, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Contested Spaces: Social Media for Marginalized Communities: The Case of Palestinians in Jerusalem”

Neta Kliger-Vilenchik, Maya de Vries, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Co-Constructing Space in Urban Public Spheres: Twitter Use in Jerusalem”

Clila Gerassi-Tishby, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Threat, Language, and Boundaries: Acquiring the Hebrew Language among the Palestinian Minority in East Jerusalem”

Lunch Break: 1300-1430

Session G.: 1430-1615 [three parallel panels]

Panel # G.15: Borders, Resources, War and Peace

Chair and Discussant: Kerim Kavakli, Bocconi University, and Prof. Resat Bayer, Koc University

Michael Kenwick and Beth Simmons, University of Pennsylvania, “Border Orientation in a Globalizing World: Concept and Measurement”

Patrick Regan, Matthew Sisk, University of Notre Dame, and Hyun Kim, Korea University, “Water Scarcity, Climate Adaptation, and Armed Conflict”

Benjamin Acosta, ICC, Herzylia, and Piotr M. Zagorowski, United States Army, “Weather Volatility and Violent Conflict”

Panel # G.16: Strategies and Approaches to Conflict Resolution

Chair and Discussant: Galia Press-Barnathan, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Christian Schultheiss, University of Cambridge, “Incremental Dispute Settlement and How to Distribute Future Power”

Konstatinos Travlos, Ozyegin University, “‘That Hateful Invention’: Aversion to War and Managerial Coordination within the Issue Paradigm.”

Yehudith Kahn and Tamar Arieli, Tel-Hai Academic College, “Post-conflict Normalization through Trade Preferential Agreements: Israel, Egypt, and the QIZ Initiative”

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Panel #G. 17: The Contested City: Jerusalem between East and West

Chair and Discussant: Dan Miodownik, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Malka Greenberg-Raa, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “The Right to the City: Experiences of Palestinian Women in Jerusalem”

Fahima Abbas, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “The Participation of the East Jerusalem Middle Class in the Israeli Economy and Space”

Noam Brener, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Do Community Leaders Increase the Proclivity of Cooperation with Members of a Nominally Rival Group?”

Lior Lehrs, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Peace Talks on Jerusalem: A Review of the Israeli-Palestinian Negotiations Concerning Jerusalem”

Coffee Break: 1615-1645

Session H: 1645-1830

Panel #H.18: Explaining the Expansion and Narrowing of Regional Conflicts

Chair: Hilel Frisch, Bar-Ilan University; Discussant: Tal Dingott-Alkofer, Hadassa College, Jerusalem

Benjamin Miller, University of Haifa, “Spiraling Conflict: The International Order and the Arab Spring”

Shmuel Sandler, Bar-Ilan University, “The Compound Arab-Israeli Conflict”: A Study in the Patterns of a Protracted Rivalry”

Alexander Tabachnik, University of Haifa, “Spiraling and Contracting Conflicts: Russian Far East and the National Republics of the Siberian Federal District”

Uriel Abulof, Tel-Aviv University, and Shlomo O. Goldman, Ariel University, “A Democratic Peace Gap: Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa”

Hilel Frisch, Bar-Ilan University, “Explaining the Expansion and Narrowing of Regional Conflicts: The Israeli-Arab and the Post-Arab Conflicts Compared”

Panel #H.19: East Asia in the Middle East and Beyond

Chair and Discussant: Nissim Otmazgin and Doron Ella, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Xin-You Chen, “Armed Dragon! China’s Arms Transfers”

Allard Wagemaker, National Tsing Hua University, “The Chinese are Coming!”

Hiroyuki Suzuki, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science/Hebrew University of Jerusalem, “Acceptance, Not Recognition: Japan and the PLO”

Concluding Reception/Award Ceremony/Social Event: 1830-2000 [Sponsored by the Harry S Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace and the Peace Science Association]