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Each presentation takes between 15 and 20 minutes and 10 to 15 minutes are given for comments from the audience and plenary discussion. These slots of 30 minutes for each individual presentation should be respected as they allow participants to change panels in between presentations.

All rooms are in St Patrick's Campus of DCU in the Block E.

MONDAY, JUNE 17

8.30 Registration

9.00 Welcome and opening remarks

9.15 Session 1 [Plenary Session]

Room: E223 Chair: Scott Gates

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The recruitment crisis in European militaries

(NEPS Medal recipient 2023)

Marco Giani (with Vincenzo Bove and Riccardo Di Leo)

The Major Episodes of Contention (MEC) Data Project: an introduction

Erica Chenoweth (with Sooyeon Kang)

Fanning or extinguishing the flames? How concessions in peace agreements predict conflict intensity

Constantin Ruhe

10.45 Coffee Break

Armed conflict and civilian casualties

Room: E223 Chair: Scott Gates

Retaliatory strikes: Russian attacks on healthcare in Ukraine

Melanie Sauter (with Scott Gates)

Patterns of death in the Gaza War

Michael Spagat (with Daniel Silverman)

Angels in hell? Civilians' competition for survival: evidence from the Korean War

Seunghoon Chae (with Wukki Kim and Andrea Ruggeri)

Armed conflict and democratic institutions

Room: E201

Chair: Halvard Buhaug

Land, institutional settings and communal conflicts

Raul Caruso (with Sara Balestri)

Regime types and conflict casualties: reassessing the democratic peace

Vanessa Boese-Schlosser

Endogenous modeling of the governance-economy-conflict nexus

Jonas Vestby (Håvard Hegre and Halvard Buhaug)

Conflict management

Room: E206

Chair: Constantin Ruhe

The role of peace radio in alleviating farmer-herder conflicts: evidence from a conjoint and a survey experiment in West Africa

Lame Ungwang (with Theodora Benesch)

Harmony on the airwaves: on the effectiveness of peace radio at the Mali/Niger border

Neil Ferguson (with Theodora Benesch, Paulina Rebolledo, Lame Ungwang)

Regional science, peace science, COVID-19, and analytical research techniques

Manas Chatterji

Conflict and cohesion

Room: E301

Chair: Roman-Gabriel Olar

How violent conflict affects social cohesion: evidence from Nepal

Karina Mross (with Charlotte Fiedler)

The effect of civilian collaboration on community cohesion: evidence from Ukraine

Martin Ottmann (with Kit Rickard)

The lasting and mixed legacy of conflict exposure on citizens' support for democracy

Roman-Gabriel Olar

Intrastate conflict and rebels

Room: E223

Chair: Corinne Bara

Introducing the Rebel and Incumbent Laws (RAIL) Dataset

Liana Eustacia

Do arms prolong conflict? An empirical analysis of the effects of rebel and government armaments on civil war duration

Paul Binder (with Oliver Pamp and Paul W. Thurner)

Economic and social dynamics of rebel behavior: a categorization of natural resources and service sector investments in conflict zones

Efe Tokdemir (Seray Yalaz)

Conflict and migration Room: E201 Chair: Sarah Langlotz

From fear to flight: analysing anticipatory migration in response to predicted violence

Maxine Leis

Sea rescue and irregular migration

Sarah Langlotz (with Paul Michel and Sebastian Leue)

Employing conflict victims: a resumé experiment in Colombia

Oliver Kaplan (with Michael Findley)

Peace

Room: E206

Chair: Lisa Hultman

Red lines versus negotiables: how exposure to wartime violence influences support for peace settlements in Ukraine

Anna Getmansky (with Thomas Zeitzoff, Austin Wright, Tolga Sinmazdemir, Nadiya Kostyuk, Sasha Jason, Anton Grushetsky)

<u>Introducing everyday peace indicators - a database of community-generated indicators for subnational peace research</u>

Roger Mac Ginty (with Pamina Firchow, Naomi Levy, Peter Dixon)

Do peacekeepers protect against conflict-inducing shocks?

Thorsten Janus

Authoritarianism

Room: E301

Chair: Raul Caruso

Education and military expenditures: countervailing forces in designing economic policy, a contribution to the empirics of peace

Anna Balestra (with Raul Caruso)

Disconnecting dissent: the effect of internet shutdowns on protests

Thomas Schiller

Foreign legionnaires and military mutinies

Marius Mehrl (with Abel Escribà-Folch and Christopher Faulkner)

15.30 Coffee break

Spatial analyses in conflict studies

Room: E223

Chair: Sarah Langlotz

Machine-learning insights: mapping ideological terrain in multi-actor civil wars

Geraldine Bustos-Zamora

How do we identify the (near) optimal spatiotemporal resolution for conflict forecasts to communicate to policymakers?

Michael Colaresi

For the sake of peace, pipe down! Examining the conflict risks of continued investments in oil and gas

Yaron Weissberg

Civil society and conflict resolution

Room: E201

Chair: Desiree Nilsson

From mandates to inclusion: mediation and civil society involvement in civil wars

Desiree Nilsson (with Isak Svensson)

The organisational origins of onset: communist civil war in the Philippines and Thailand after the Second World War

Rune Wriedt Larsen

Grassroots human rights and its consequences: mass grave exhumations in Spain

Francisco Villamil (with Paloma Aguilar and Fernando de la Cuesta)

Armed conflict and democratic institutions

Room: E206

Chair: Stefano Costalli

Political conflict and violence in a young democracy: data on Italy 1969-1988

Stefano Costalli (with Daniele Guariso, Patricia Justino, Andrea Ruggeri)

Is civil conflict driven by opportunity costs or fiscal capacity?

Prakarsh Singh (with Nausheen Sodhi)

The echoes of bombs: World War II aerial bombings and their impact on contemporary rightwing populist voting in Germany

Leslie Fischer (with Douglas Atkinson)

17:15 Break

Room: E223

17.30 NEPS Lecture

Lars-Erik Cederman (ETH Zurich)

Award Winners Ceremony

2024 NEPS Medal for the Best Publication in Peace Science

2024 NEPS Financial Support Program and Manas Chatterji Young Scholar Fund Recipients 2024 Stuart Bremer Award

19.00 SOCIAL EVENT – The IVY House (https://www.theivyhouse.ie/)

Ethnicity Room: E223 Chair: Scott Gates

Legacy of colonization: unraveling ethnic conflict dynamics in post-colonial realities

Melodi Var Ongel

Constructing the nation: the identity basis of majority nationalist movements

Andreas Juon

Ethnic Military Recruitment Dataset: introduction and applications

Marketa Odlova

Armed conflicts and big data

Room: E201

Chair: Corinne Bara

Patterns of contention: the role of protest sequences in civil conflict escalation

Thomas Chadefaux (with Hannah Frank)

I still haven't found what I'm looking for: predicting conflict fatalities and security-related

incidents with Google Trends and Wikipedia data

Christian Oswald

Nightwatch: nighttime light anomaly detection for armed conflict activity

Corinne Bara (with Valerie Sticher)

Conflict resolution and contact

Room: E206 Chair: Enzo Nussio

<u>Jewish-Palestinian contact in mixed Israeli neighborhoods</u>

Stephanie Dornschneider-Elkink (with Miles Hewstone, Oliver Christ, Sarina Schaefer, Anja

Munder, Samer Halabi, Ifat Maoz, Danit Sobol-Sarag)

Preparing for contact: studying determinants of individual preferences for interreligious contact in

Togo and Sierra Leone

Julia Köbrich (with Tobias H. Stark and Borja Martinović)

Long term consequences of scorched earth techniques during civil wars

Eleonora Mattiacci (with Jonathan Obert)

Domestic politics Room: E301

Chair: Nina von Uexkull

Framing away the consequences: creating war support among pacifists

Eric Gabo Ekeberg Nilsen

Central bank independence and repression of physical integrity rights

Stephen Bagwell

Fossil fuel fights: exploring governmental responses to fuel price protests

Nina von Uexkull (Ulrika Lundin Glans and Isak Svensson)

Conflict resolution, development and mediation

Room: E223 Chair: Melanie Sauter

Building trust through inclusive peacebuilding? Contrasting participatory experiences and

preferences in the implementation of the Colombian 2016 Peace Agreement

Theresa Bachmann

Employment for peace hypothesis. Evidence from the field.

Tatiana Orozco Garcia (with Neil Ferguson)

<u>Understanding the impact of peace programming information on attitudes toward violence:</u> <u>experimental evidence from Guatemala</u>

Paulina Rebolledo Guzman (with Neil Ferguson and Lame Ungwang)

Elections and electoral violence

Room: E201 Chair: Maxine Leis

Rents, subnational incumbents, and electoral violence perpetrators in Nigeria

Maureen Fubara

Barriers to entry: how political violence deters female candidacy in legislative elections

Reed Wood

Predicting electoral violence

David Randahl (with Håvard Hegre, Hanne Fjelde, Staffan I. Lindberg, Maxine Leis, Tim Gåsste, Steven Wilson)

Foreign policy and human rights

Room: E206

Chair: Sarah Langlotz

Distracted hegemon and human rights: US presidential elections and repression in developing countries

Kerim Kavakli

Airstrikes, civilian casualties, and the moral hazard of condolence payments in wartime settings Jason Lyall (with Elsa Voytas)

Who cares about human rights? Attitudes towards arms exports among politicians and citizens in European democracies

Christoph Steinert (with Tobias Risse)

Gender politics in war and peace times

Room: E301

Chair: Vanessa Boese-Schlosser

From ideas to action: the impact of armed group ideology and socialization on the perpetration of conflict-related sexual violence

Katherine Mann

Gendered dimensions of hunger in peacebuilding: a comparative policy analysis

Caitriona Dowd (with Liezelle Kumalo and Naledi Joyi)

Gendered war experiences and responsiveness: a natural experiment on the political consequences of indifference to conflict-related sexual violence

Leslie Aileen Virginia Fischer

Internal armed conflicts

Room: E223

Chair: Christoph Dworschak

Armed conflict impacts on perception of corruption: microlevel evidence from Sub-Saharan

Africa

Paola Vesco (with Kristina Petrova)

Structural and procedural theories on the causes of civil conflict

Hannah Frank

Switching sides and saving skin: military centrality and cohesion during conflict

Christoph Dworschak (with Marco Binetti)

Rebel governance and rebellions

Room: E201

Chair: Roos van der Haer

Good deeds? The effect of rebel group commitments to international human rights norms

Gladys Zubiria (with Yui Nishimura)

External civil war interference: reassessing the outside dimension of intrastate violence

Cuichi Miess (Paul Binder and Paul W. Thurner)

Terrorism and terror networks

Room: E206

Chair: Daniel Meierrieks

How does affiliation with transnational jihadist network affect groups' attacks?

Nihad Aboud (with Brian J. Phillips)

Aid, alliances, and framing: coevolution of international networks and states' terrorism rhetoric

Charlie Carter

The distributional consequences of terrorism in democracies and autocracies

Daniel Meierrieks

Armed conflict and development

Room: E206

Chair: Marijke Verpoorten

The impact of armed conflict and drought exposure on early childhood development

Sofia Nordenving (with Thorsten Rogall and Alexa Timlick)

Beyond the boom: extractivism, development, and violence in post-conflict societies

Barbara Magalhães Teixeira (with Jakob Molinder)

<u>Jobs and violence: evidence from a policy experiment in DR Congo</u>

Marijke Verpoorten (with Nik Stoop)

15.30 Coffee Break

War outcomes Room: E223 Chair: Tianxin Zhang

Two legacies of genocide

Thorsten Rogall

Are you willing to pay? War and citizen's readiness to pay tax: the case of Ukraine

Lesley-Ann Daniels (with Frank Borge Wietzke and Marina Povitkina)

Training for victory: a micro-level analysis of training and military effectiveness in early 20th century China

Jesse Dillon (with Tianxin Zhang)

Conflict and natural disasters

Room: E201

Chair: Patrick Wagner

Climate of resistance: the effect of weather on the spread of violent extremism

Laura Saavedra-Lux

Managing nature and peace: the impact of natural disasters on UNPKOs and peace agreements Ismene Gizelis (with Wakako Maekawa)

Do droughts intensify socio-environmental conflicts in Peruvian mining communities?

Patrick Wagner (with Viktoria Jansesberger and Gabriele Spilker)

Conflict and state capacity

Room: E206

Chair: Vanessa Boese-Schlosser

Spoiled or foiled? Pro-government militias and peace processes

Naz Avdan (with Brittnee Carter)

This is how you lose it: the fall of the US-backed regime in Afghanistan

Naveed Moez (with Luis De la Calle)

Historical states and repression

Christoffer Andersen

17:15 Break

Room: E223

17:30 General Assembly meeting

Conflict and (non-) cooperation

Room: E223 Chair: Enzo Nussio

Compellence or punishment? Enforcement of international norms through punitive sanctions

Lisa Hultman

Alliance politics in democracies

Joshua Alley

Multilinguism and conflict

Kristian Skrede (with Brian Phillips)

Geography and development

Room: E201

Chair: Roos van der Haer

The effect of attacks on education on children's schooling: micro-level evidence from Nigeria

Roos van der Haer (with Gudrun Østby)

Economic growth in the 'Republican regions' during the Franco dictatorship in Spain

Rafael González-Val (with Javier Silvestre)

Local inequality and community protests in South Africa

Chandra Jacobs

Peaceful protest and civil society

Room: E206

Chair: Eirin Haugseth

Protests, persuasion and polarization: a survey experiment on abortion protests in Poland

Amalie Nilsen

The cost of compromise: territorial disputes and domestic public opinion

Andi Zhou (Stuart Bremer Award)

Prejudice in action: exploring the link between prejudiced beliefs and hostile behavior

Eirin Haugseth (with Mathilde Bålsrud Mjelva)

10.30 Coffee Break

Peacekeeping Room: E201

Chair: Han Dorussen

Consequences of cooperation – examining the relations between civilians, the United Nations and non-state armed groups

Jenniina Kotajoki

No longer welcome: how peace operations can end when host state consent is withdrawn Walt Kilroy

Do peacekeepers prevent or respond to violence against civilians? Evidence from the United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS).

Han Dorussen (with Prabin Khadka and Mehmet Arslan)

Crime Room: E206

Chair: Roos van der Haer

Education and crime: a global analysis

Gudrun Østby (with Kristian Skrede Gleditsch, Mauricio Rivera, and Bárbara Zárate-Tenorio)

Victimization and punishment violence in Latin America

Enzo Nussio

In the crevices of the state: criminal governance in contexts of high state presence

Lucia Tiscornia (with Lucía Tiscornia, Verónica Pérez Bentancur, Ines Fynn, Gustavo Díaz)

12:15 END OF CONFERENCE