



This program has been arranged by Corinne Bara and Arzu Kibris.
Gabriel Leon (King's College, London) is the local host of the conference.
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Each presentation takes 20 minutes and 10 minutes are given for comments from the audience and plenary discussion.

All rooms are in the King's Building, which is in the Strand Campus.

MONDAY, JUNE 20

8.30 Registration

K0.64 (Great Hall)

9.00 Welcome by Arzu KIBRIS, University of Warwick, executive director of NEPS, and opening remarks by Gabriel Leon (King's College) and Cliff Morgan (Rice University).

9.20 Session 1 [Plenary Session]

K0.64 (Great Hall)

Chair: Arzu Kibris

- Relief for suffering populations? Ceasefires and civilian targeting in civil war
(NEPS Medal recipient 2019)
Corinne Bara (with Maurice Phillip Schumann)
- Recent Events and the Coding of Cross-national Indicators
(NEPS Medal recipient 2021)
Nils B. Weidmann
- Food for Thought: Local food price shocks and educational attainment in Sub-Saharan Africa
Kathleen Brown (with Roos Haer and Gudrun Østby)

10.50 Break



11.00 Parallel Session 1

K2.29 (Council Room)

Chair: Martin Ottmann

- The Effect of Forced Displacement on Vote Choice: The Case of Post-Conflict Liberia
Martin Ottmann (with Felix Haass, Sigrid Weber, and Yan Zhang)
- Peacekeeping, aid and violence: The integrated effect of humanitarian aid and UN peacekeeping
Shenghao Zhang (with Han Dorussen)
- Attitudes Towards Returning Islamic State Collaborators and Their Children: Comparative and Experimental Insights
Amélie Godefroidt (with Karin Dyrstad)

K0.64 (Great Hall)

Chair: Luke Abbs

- Civil resistance in the streetlight: Assessing comparative evidence on nonviolent effectiveness
Christoph Dworschak
- Breaking the Conflict Trap: Nonviolent Mobilisation and the Reoccurrence of Civil War
Luke Abbs (with Margherita Belgioioso)
- Can Civil Resistance Counter Democratic Backsliding?
Thea Johansen

12.30 LUNCH

14.00 Parallel Session 2

K2.29 (Council Room)

Chair: Sophia Hatz

- How Values Drive Violence. The Moral Foundations of Lynching in Latin America
Enzo Nussio
- Public violence against women in Mexico
Ismene Gizelis (with Sara Polo, Brian Phillips, and Rob Johns)
- Courts and Cops: Judicial Decisions and the Excessive Use of Force
Sophia Hatz (with Courtenay R. Conrad and Kristine Eck)

**River Room****Chair: Roman-Gabriel Olar**

- Democratization and peace after civil war: What difference can international engagement make? Insights from Liberia
Karina Mross
- Autocratic Revolving Doors: When do autocratic elites make a democratic comeback?
Roman-Gabriel Olar
- Short and Long Run Democracy Diffusion
Thorsten Janus

K0.64 (Great Hall)**Chair: Sara Polo**

- Intergroup competition and terrorist restraint
Sara Polo (University of Essex)
- The American gods are watching from above: the effect of drone strikes on terrorist attacks in Somalia
Roberto Ricciuti (with Adelaide Baronchelli, Alessandra Foresta, and Flavio Santi)
- Calm Before the Storm: Patterns of Civilian Communication Prior to Terrorist Attacks
Blair Welsh (with Mehmet Arslan)

15.30 COFFEE BREAK**15.45 Parallel Session 3****K2.29 (Council Room)****Chair: Carlo Koos**

- The Social and Political Consequences of Wartime Sexual Violence: New Evidence from List Experiments in Three Conflict-Affected Populations
Carlo Koos (with Richard Traunmüller)
- Electoral Violence, Partisanship, and Public Perceptions of State Security Forces
Annekatriin Deglow (with Hanne Fjelde)
- Armed conflict exposure and trust: Evidence from a natural experiment in Turkey
Lena Gerling (with Arzu Kibris)

**River Room****Chair: Kseniya Oksamytna**

- Authoritarianism and UN Peacekeeping: A Comparison of Enabling in the Democratic Republic of Congo, Haiti, Cambodia, and Liberia
Kseniya Oksamytna (with Birte Julia Gippert, Sarah von Billerbeck, and Oisín Tansey)
- Foreign aid, state capacity and terrorism
Seung Hoon Chae (with Wukki Kim)
- No Sympathy for the Devil: Economic Sanctions on Civil War Actors and Post-Conflict Governance
Gladys Zubiria (with T. Clifton Morgan)

K0.64 (Great Hall)**Chair: Sam Erkiletian**

- Natural Disasters and Child Recruitment by Rebel Groups
Yun J Yang (with Dafni Kalatzi Pantera)
- The Changing Identity of Combatants: The British Re-education Program for German POWs (1945-1948)
Sam Erkiletian
- Women, Protests, and Defection
Kristin Bakke (with Marianne Dahl)

17:15 BREAK**K0.64 (Great Hall)****17.30 NEPS Lecture**

Counting Everybody: Reflections on Methodological Challenges in Violence Research
Anke Hoeffler (University of Konstanz)

Award Winners Ceremony

2022 NEPS Medal for the Best Publication in Peace Science

2022 Manas Chatterji Award for Excellence in Research in Peace Economics and Peace Science

2022 Stuart Bremer Award

19.00 Social Event – The George Pub, 213 Strand, London WC2R 1AP



TUESDAY, JUNE 21

09.00 Parallel Session 4**K2.29 (Council Room)****Chair: Hanne Fjelde**

- Personalizing Mobilization: The Impact of Public Figures in Protest Events
Anna-Lena Hönig (with Roman Krtsch)
- The Dark Side of Mobilisation: New Evidence from 200 Years of Authoritarian Mass Protest
Hanne Fjelde (with Marianne Dahl and Sirianne Dahlum)
- Disease and Dissent: Epidemics as a Catalyst for Social Unrest
Reed Wood (with Rebecca Cordell and Thorin Wright)

River Room**Chair: Raul Caruso**

- ISIL in Iraq: Impact of Conflict Displacement on School Attendance
Dahab Aglan
- Countervailing Forces Combined. Education and Military Expenditures to Design a Peaceful Economic Policy
Raul Caruso (with Anna Balestra)
- How War Shapes Science: Empirical evidence from 60 million publications
Tore Wig (with Haakon Gjerløw)

K0.64 (Great Hall)**Chair: Rebecca Cordell**

- Public Perception of Dissent and Repressive Response
Rebecca Cordell (with Chelsea Estancona)
- When is Repression Popular?
Jean Lachapelle
- Legacies of Survival: Historical Violence and Ethnic Minority Behavior
Amiad Haran Diman (with Dan Miodownik)

10.30 BREAK



10.45 Parallel Session 5

K2.29 (Council Room)

Chair: Andreas Juon

- Trust, Ethnicity and Conflict: Experimental Evidence from the Chittagong Hill Tracts of Bangladesh
Muhammad Badiuzzaman (with Syed Mansoob Murshed and Matthias Rieger)
- Minority Accommodation and Majority Backlashes
Andreas Juon
- Can I stay or must I go? The role of co-ethnicity in cabinet replacement in Africa
Janina Beiser-McGrath (with Anja Osei)

River Room

Chair: Juliana Tappe Ortiz

- How mediators shape the content of peace agreements: A theoretical framework of negotiations over issues
Iris Volg (with Constantin Ruhe and Meri Dankenbring)
- Battle-hardened Leaders: The Impact of Leaders' Combat Experience on Peace Agreements in Civil Conflicts
Juliana Tappe Ortíz

K0.64 (Great Hall)

Chair: Francisco Villamil

- Controlling a moving world: territorial control, displacement and the spread of civilian targeting in Iraq
Sigrid Weber
- Mobilization capacity and wartime violence against local leaders: Evidence from the Spanish Civil War
Francisco Villamil (with Paloma Aguilar, Fernando de la Cuesta, and Ignacio Sánchez-Cuenca)
- Tied Together: Exploring Conflict Linkages in Civil Wars
Desirée Nilsson (with Johan Brosché and Ralph Sundberg)



12.15 Parallel Session 6

K2.29 (Council Room)

Chair: Dorothee Weiffen

- The role of conflict in shaping treatment effects of an agricultural intervention on food security in Syria: Evidence from honest causal forests.
Dorothee Weiffen (with Ghassan Baliki)
- The Effect of Transitional Justice on the Foreign Direct Investment-Economic Development Relationship in Post-conflict Countries
Dilan Gunes

River Room

Chair: Giuseppe Spatafora

- Carpe Diem: When Foreign Sponsors Intervene Directly in Civil War
Giuseppe Spatafora
- It takes two to fight: assessing the impact of humanitarian aid on military effectiveness
Marco Nicola Binetti

K0.64 (Great Hall)

Chair: Wolfgang Stojetz

- Additive adversity in conflict-affected crisis settings: Multi-level evidence on coping with displacement, gender, and violence from North-east Nigeria
Wolfgang Stojetz (with Tilman Brück)
- Terrorism and Public Health: Evidence from Africa
Daniel Meierrieks (with Max Schaub)

13:15 LUNCH

14:30 Parallel Session 7

K2.29 (Council Room)

Chair: Arzu Kibris

- Do Expectations About Postwar Reconstruction Foster Cooperation? Evidence from an Experiment in Postwar Mosul
James Walsh (with Jonathan Hall and Ted Ellsworth)
- More than Just a Game: Football Games as an Indicator of Social Cohesion in Conflict Contexts
Efe Tokdemir (with Arzu Kibris)
- The Impact of Exposure to Armed Conflict on Altruistic Preferences
Arzu Kibris (with Neslihan Uler)

**River Room****Chair: Evgenija Kroeker**

- External Support in Civil War and UN Peacekeeping Authorization
Evgenija Kroeker (with Andrea Ruggeri, Giuseppe Spatafora, and Vanessa Meier)
- The Determinants of ICC Involvement
Lisa Hultman (with Hasini Ransala Liyanage and Herman Wieselgren)
- Understanding Political Apologies (or their lack thereof)
Mohammad Hussain

K0.64 (Great Hall)**Chair: Neeraj Prasad**

- Constitutional Reform and Electoral Violence
Gudlaug Olafsdottir
- Voting for Violence: Examining Support for Violent Parties in Uttar Pradesh, India
Neeraj Prasad (with Ursula Daxecker)
- Are Most Journalists Killed In Democracies?
Vanessa Boese

16.00 COFFEE BREAK**16.15 Parallel Session 8****K2.29 (Council Room)****Chair: Julia Leib**

- Communicating peace through the pandemic: How COVID-19 changed digital communication and self-legitimation of the UN Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS)
Julia Leib
- What Constitutes an Effective Peacekeeper? Experimental Evidence from South Sudan and Somalia
Prabin Khadka (with Linnea Gelot)

17:15 BREAK**K0.64 (Great Hall)**

17:30 General Assembly meeting
Arzu KIBRIS, Executive Coordinator of NEPS

17:45 Roundtable – Academic Publishing**18:45 RECEPTION**



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22

9.00 Parallel Session 9**K2.29 (Council Room)****Chair: Margherita Belgioioso**

- From Black to Lead. The legacy of Fascism on Political Violence in Italy 1969-1988
Andrea Ruggeri (with Stefano Costalli, Daniele Guariso, and Patricia Justino)
- Predicting the extreme: Local socio-economic deprivation and radicalization in England
Margherita Belgioioso (with Christoph Dworschak and Kristian Skrede Gleditsch)
- Autocratic Experiences and COVID-19: How an Autocratic Past Shapes Citizen Compliance
Michael Bayerlein (with Vanessa Boese, Scott Gates, Katrin Kamin, and Syed Mansoob Murshed)

River Room**Chair: Sean Ashley**

- Violent and non-violent protests: theory and evidence
Gabriel Leon (with Kristian S. Gleditsch)
- Protest Shocks & Armed Conflict: Moving from the Streets to the Battlefield
Graig Klein
- When Springs Become Winters: How Violent Actors Hijack Nonviolent Uprisings
Sean Ashley

10.30 COFFEE BREAK**10.45 Parallel Session 10****K2.29 (Council Room)****Chair: Micha Germann**

- Islamist Terrorism Continues to Affect Political Attitudes
Micha Germann
- The effects of right-wing terrorism on support for right-wing populist parties
Julian Voss (with Alexander De Juan)
- How the Pipelines Helped to Tame Jihad in Sudan and Chad
Jean Paul Azam



River Room

Chair: Marius Mehrl

- Foreign Military Deployments within Alliances or: Do Citizens Stop Worrying and Love the Bomb?
Alexander Sorg (with Julian Wucherpennig)
- Multipolar Arms Trade: Military Technology Transfers in the Interwar Period, 1920-1939
Marius Mehrl (with Paul W. Thurner)
- Balancing, Bandwagoning, Bargaining, and War
Erik Gartzke (with Kristian Skrede Gleditsch)

12:15 **END OF CONFERENCE**