

**University of Washington International Security Colloquium
2001 - 2011**

Fall Quarter 2010

Friday, October 15, 2010

Ron Hassner, Assistant Professor of Political Science, UC Berkeley
"War and the Religious Calendar"
12-120pm, Gowen 1A
Discussant: Yoav Duman, UW Political Science Ph.D student

Friday, November 12, 2010

Keren Yarhi-Milo, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Princeton
"Assessing Intentions in International Politics"
12-120pm, Gowen 1A
Discussant: Kristan Seibel, UW Political Science Ph.D student

Friday, December 3, 2010

Andrew Cockrell, Political Science PhD Student, University of Washington
"Peacekeeping and the Security Dilemma"
12-120pm, Gowen 1A
Discussant: Dan Berliner, UW Political Science Ph.D student

Winter Quarter 2011

Friday, February 11, 2011

Alan Kuperman, Associate Professor of Government, University of Texas, Austin
"The Puzzle of Rwanda's Genocide"
12-120pm, Gowen 1A
Discussant: Kendra Dupuy, UW Political Science Ph.D student

Friday, March 4th, 2011

Scott Radnitz, Assistant Professor of International Studies, Jackson School, University of Washington
"Don't Stop Thinking about Yesterday: An Experiment with Conflict Narratives in the Caucasus (or "Let 'bajans be 'bajans")"
12-120pm, Gowen 1A
Discussant: Sarah Dreier, UW Political Science Ph.D student

Spring Quarter 2011

Friday, April 15, 2011

Jason Lyall, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Yale

"Dynamic Deterrence in Civil War: Evidence from (Simulated) Airstrikes in Afghanistan"

12-120pm, Gowen 1A

Discussant: Stephen Hamberg, UW Political Science Ph.D. student

Friday, April 29, 2011

Halvard Buhaug, Senior Researcher at the Center for the Study of Civil War,
Peace Research Institute Oslo

"Climate Wars? Security Implications of Climate Change"

12-120pm, Gowen 1A

Discussant: Joshua Eastin, UW Political Science Ph.D. student

Friday, May 13th, 2011

David Bachman, Professor, Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington

"Types of Security Threats and National Strategies: An Exploratory Case of China under Mao"

12-120pm, Gowen 1A

Discussant: Jenn Noveck, UW Political Science Ph.D. student

Friday, May 20, 2011

Stacie Goddard, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Wellesley College

"The Rhetoric of Power Politics: Hitler's Legitimation Strategies, British Policies, & World War II"

12-120pm, Gowen 1A

Discussant: Mary Anne Madeira, UW Political Science Ph.D. student

Fall 2009

October 30, 2009

Fractured Militaries: The Armed Forces and Transitions From Authoritarian Rule in Asia

Terence Lee, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, National University of Singapore

Discussant: TBA

November 13, 2009

Grass-roots Jihadist Networks, Political Entrepreneurs, and Terrorist Violence: Dynamic Networks and the 11-M Madrid Train Bombings

Steve Zech, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

Discussant: TBA

December 4, 2009

Targeted Killings: The Decline of the Norm Against Assassination?

Nina Tannenwald, Associate Professor of International Relations, Watson Institute for International Studies, Brown University

Discussant: William d'Ambruso, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

Winter 2009

January 22, 2009

Authoritarian Regimes, Domestic Politics, and Conflict Outcomes

Jessica Weeks, Assistant Professor, Department of Government, Cornell University

Discussant: Kendra Dupuy, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

February 5, 2010

David Welch, CIGI Chair of Global Security, Balsillie School of International

Affairs, and Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Waterloo

Discussant: Kristan Seibel, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

March 5, 2010

Democratic Transitions and Violence

Stephan Hamberg, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

Discussant: TBA

Spring 2010

April 16, 2010

Nuclear Power without Nuclear Proliferation?

Scott Sagan, Co-director, Center for International Security and Cooperation, and

Professor, Department of Political Science, Stanford University

Discussant: Andrew Cockrell, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

April 30, 2010

The Social Construction of Strategy

Nicolas Jabko, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for International Studies and

Research, Sciences Po

Discussant: Josh Eastin, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

Date: TBA

Emily Hafner-Burton, Associate Professor, School of International Relations and
Pacific Studies, University of California, San Diego

Discussant: Brian Greenhill, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington

2008-2009 Schedule

Organized and chaired by Steve Zech

October 17

Stephen Majeski, Professor and Chair, Department of Political Science, University of Washington

“Explaining U.S. Foreign Policy Continuity: Theory and Some Evidence”

Discussant: Adam Foreman, Ph.D. student, UW

November 14

Peter Andreas, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Brown University

“Blue Helmets and Black Markets: The Business of Survival in the Siege of Sarajevo”

Discussant: John Buchanan, Ph.D. student, UW

February 6

Fiona Adamson, Senior Lecturer in International Studies, Department of Politics and International Studies, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London

“Long-Distance Conflicts: Diaspora Mobilization and International Security”

Discussant: Ashley Thirkill-Mackelprang, Ph.D. student, UW

February 27

Lynn Eden, Acting Co-director, Center for International Security and Cooperation, Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies, Stanford University

“Organizational Theory and Homeland Security”

Discussant: Kristan Seibel, Ph.D. student, UW

March 6

Yoav Gortzak, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, Arizona State University

“Indispensable Allies: Indigenous forces and Counterinsurgency Operations”

Discussant: TBA, Ph.D. student, UW

April 17

Ian Hurd, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University

“States and Rules: Strategic Behavior in International Society”

Discussant: Brian Greenhill, Ph.D. student, UW

May 1

Will Reno, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University

“Why Does Armed Opposition Fail in Africa?”

Discussant: Andrew Cockrell, Ph.D. student, UW

May 8

Ashley Thirkill-Mackelprang, Ph.D. student, Department of Political Science, University of Washington

“Explaining the Frequency and Depth of Civilian Targeting in Warfare”

May 22

Jeffrey T. Checkel, Professor, School for International Studies, Simon Fraser University, Vancouver, BC

“Transnational Actors and the Boundaries of Civil Wars”

Discussant: Stephan Hamberg, Ph.D. student, UW

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2007-2008 Schedule

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October 12

Martha Crenshaw, Senior Fellow, Center for International Security and Cooperation (CISAC), Stanford University

“The debate over ‘new’ and ‘old’ terrorism”

Discussant: Ashley Thirkill-Mackelprang, Dept of Political Science, UW

October 26

Yuko Kawato, Ph.C. Dept of Political Science, UW

“Bases of Power: Military Effectiveness, Alliance Politics, and Protests against U.S. Military Bases in Asia”

Discussant: Mike Strausz, Lecturer, Dept of Political Science, UW

November 9

Joost Hiltermann, Director of the Intl Crisis Group's Middle East Program

"Democracy Equals Civil War: A Middle Eastern Paradox?"

Discussant: Matt Goldman, The Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Program in Near & Middle Eastern Studies

January 11

Etel Solingen, Professor of Political Science, UC Irvine

"Nuclear Logics: Contrasting Paths in East Asia and the Middle East"

Discussant: Jason Scheideman, Dept of Political Science, UW

January 25

Emanuel Adler, Professor & Charles Bronfman Chair, Department of Political Science, University of Toronto

"Damned if You Do, Damned if You Don't, Performative Power, and the Strategy of Conventional and Nuclear Defusing."

Discussant: Jon Acuff, Dept of Political Science, UW

February 22

Christopher Darnton, Ph.D. Candidate, Department of Politics, Princeton University

"Overcoming International Security Rivalry: Argentine-Brazilian Rapprochement in Comparative Perspective"

Rebecca Szper, Dept. of Political Science, UW

April 18

William Wolforth, Professor of Political Science, Dartmouth

"Unipolarity and Status Competition"

Discussant: Christi Siver, Dept of Political Science, UW

May 9

Pascal Vennesson, Professor of Political Science, European University Institute, Florence, Professor of Political Science, University Panthéon-Assas, Paris II (on leave)

"Force in the Global Village: Landpower and the Politics of Army Adaptation"

Discussant: Brian Greenhill, Dept of Political Science, UW

May 30

Jeremy Weinstein, Assistant Professor, Stanford

"Dynamics of Civil War"

Discussant: Steven Zech, Dept of Political Science, UW

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2006-2007 Schedule

Organized and chaired by Jeff Wolf.

October 13

Peter Viggo Jakobsen, Assoc. Professor, Political Science, University of Copenhagen

“Coercive Diplomacy: Theory and Practice”

Discussant: Kristin Bakke, Ph.D. student, UW

November 9

Robert Farley, Assistant Professor, Patterson School of Diplomacy, University of Kentucky

“Mahan, Dreadnought, and National Identity”

Discussant: Jeff Wolf, Ph.D. student, UW

December 1

Keir Lieber, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Political Science, Notre Dame

“International Relations Theory and the New Historiography of World War I”

Discussant: Brian Greenhill, Ph.D. student, UW

January 26

Robert Jervis, Adlai E. Stevenson Professor of International Politics, Columbia University

“The Politics and Psychology of the Iraq WMD Intelligence Failure”

Discussant: Jason Scheideman, Ph.D. student, UW

February 9

Christi Siver, Ph.D. student, UW

“The Dark Side of the Band of Brothers: the Commission and Reporting of War Crimes”

Discussant: Jonathan Acuff, Ph.D. student, UW

March 9

Ward Thomas, Associate Professor, Political Science, College of the Holy Cross

“Changing Norms regarding Violent Non-State Actors”

Discussant: Christi Siver, Ph.D. student, UW

April 20

Stathis N. Kalyvas, Arnold Wolfers Professor of Political Science, Yale (with Ana Arjona)

“Insurgent and Counterinsurgent Recruitment: Evidence from a Survey in Colombia”

Discussant: Jason Scheideman, Ph.D. student, UW

May 11

Monica Duffy Toft, Associate Professor, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard

“Peace through Security: The Durable Settlement of Civil Wars”

Discussant: Stephan Hamberg, Ph.D. student, UW

May 25

Jason Scheidemen, Ph.D. student, UW

"Watching for Democracy: International Electoral Monitoring and Cheating"

Discussant: Umut Aydin.

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2004-2005 Schedule

Organized and chaired by Christi Siver.

October 22

Michael Kenney, Penn State, School of Public Affairs and the Center for International Security and Cooperation, Stanford

"Traffickers, Terrorists and Competitive Adaptation"

Discussant: Darcy Noricks, PhD Student, University of Washington

October 28

Paul Kramer, Johns Hopkins University

"The Blood of Government: Colonial War and Race-Making in the U. S. Empire"

(Co-sponsored with Institute for Transnational Studies and UW History Department)

November 12

Steen Nordstrom, Danish Institute for International Affairs

"Decision-making in Natural Resource Conflicts"

Discussant: Kate Marshall, PhD Student, University of Washington

January 14

Jeffrey Herbst, Professor of Politics and International Affairs, Princeton University

"African Armies and African Guerrillas: Understanding the Dynamics of Conflict"

Discussant: Jason Scheideman, PhD Student, University of Washington

January 24

Jeff Checkel, University of Oslo

"Social Constructivism in International Relations Theory"

Discussant: Kristen Bakke, PhD Student, University of Washington

February 11

David Bachman, University of Washington

"China's Ascendance, Asia's Accommodation, America's Challenge."

April 29

Richard Price, University of British Columbia
"Hegemony and Multilateralism"

Discussant: Theresa Squatrito, PhD Student, University of Washington

May 19

Leslie Vinjamuri, Georgetown University

"The Globalization of Justice: Strategies of Justice and Postwar Settlements since
1945"

June 3

Ian Beckett, University College - Northampton (UK)

"Insurgency in Iraq: A Historical Perspective"

Discussant: Misti Williams, PhD Student, University of Washington

2003-2004 Schedule

Organized and chaired by Terence Lee.

October 24

Robert Farley, PhD Candidate, Department of Political Science, University of
Washington

"Transnational Determinants of Military Doctrine"

Discussant: Yoav Gortzak

November 7

Deborah Avant, Associate Professor, Political Science & International Affairs, George
Washington University

"The Market for Force: Private Security and Political Change"

Discussant: Yuko Kawato

January 23

David Holloway, Professor, Political Science and International History, Stanford
University

"NUCLEAR DETERRENCE: THE ROLE OF COMMON KNOWLEDGE"

Discussant: Christi Siver

March 3

Stephen Biddle, Associate Research Professor, US Army War College

"Afghanistan and the Future of Warfare"

Discussant: Rob Farley

May 28

Barbara Walter, Associate Professor, UC-San Diego

"REPUTATION AND WAR: Government Responses to Self-determination Challenges"

Discussant: Kristin Bakke

2002-2003 Schedule

Organized and chaired by Yuko Kawato.

November 1

Page Fortna, Assistant Professor, Columbia University
"Does Peacekeeping Help Keep Peace? And If So, How?"

November 8

Jonathan Acuff, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington
"Cultures of War and Peace: National Liberalism and the Social Construction of the
Scandinavian Peace"

November 22

Lynn Eden, Senior Research Scholar, Center for International Security and
Cooperation, Stanford University
"Whole World on Fire: Organizations, Knowledge, and Nuclear Weapons
Devastation."

January 24

Christopher Jones, Associate Professor, Jackson School, University of Washington
"Strategic Deception: the Case of the Warsaw Pact"

February 7

Michael Barnett, Professor, University of Wisconsin, Madison
"Eyewitness to Genocide: the United Nations and Rwanda"

March 4

Yuen Foong Khong, Faculty Fellow, University of Oxford
"ASEAN's Post-Cold War Security Strategy: Soft Balancing and Institutions in the
Wake of Strategic Uncertainty"

April 18

Turan Kayaoglu, Ph.D. Student, University of Washington
"State Building and the Abolition of Extraterritoriality in Japan, Turkey, and China:
An Institutional Approach"

April 25

Stephen Krasner, Professor, Stanford University
"Dilemmas of American Power: Broken Polities and Enhanced Sovereignty"

May 9

Gary Bass, Assistant Professor, Princeton University
"Stay the Hand of Vengeance: The Politics of War Crimes Tribunals"

June 2

Derek Leebaert, Professorial Lecturer, Dept of Government, Georgetown University
"America's Exercise of Power, 1945-2002: The Price of Power"

June 6

Mary Callahan, Assistant Professor, Jackson School, University of Washington
"Temples of Doom: Military Museums in Indonesia, Thailand, and Burma"

2001-2002 Schedule

Organized and chaired by Jason Scheideman.

January 25

Stephen Rosen, Harvard University
"The DNA of Strategy: Stress, Distress, and War Termination"
Discussant: Robert Farley, Ph.D. student, UW

March 12

Thomas Risse, Free University of Berlin
"Arguing and Communicative Processes in Multilateral Negotiations – Insights from Empirical Research"
Discussant: Turan Kayaoglu, Ph.D. student, UW

April 12

Hendrik Spruyt, Arizona State University
"Stumbling to the Exit: Territorial Challenges and Modes of Dissolution"
Discussant: Jonathan Acuff, Ph.D. student, UW

April 26

Hein Goemans, Duke University
"What and Where is the "Homeland"? Explaining the Size and Shape of States."
Discussant: Yuko Kawato, Ph.D. student, UW

May 10

Scott Sagan, Stanford University
"On the Strategic Consequences of Indian and Pakistani Nuclear Weapons"
Discussant: Jason Scheideman, Ph.D. student, UW

May 20

Kathryn Sikkink, University of Minnesota
"On Identity and Interest in U.S. Human Rights Policy Towards Latin America"

May 31

Jack Snyder, Columbia University
"Principle and Pragmatism in International Justice"
Discussant: Kristin Bakke, Ph.D. student, UW