



Program

Empirical Research on Peace and Conflict

23 & 24 September 2021

Virtual workshop of the German Association of Peace and Conflict Studies' (AFK)
working group "Empirical Peace and Conflict Research"

Venue: Virtual

Workshop Information

- Please note: All times for the workshop correspond to Central European Summer Time (CEST).
- On both days of the workshop, we will offer a *venue for socializing* during all breaks. We will use the virtual space *Wonder* for this – We will explain how it works! You can enter the Wonder-room of the Workshop by this link: <https://www.wonder.me/r?id=nbwym6-bfd1x>
(Password: AKMethoden)

Zoom Information:

- Zoom link for the event: <https://uni-frankfurt.zoom.us/j/97012669561?pwd=bkTlcG5PMXZGWIZkZlZ4Y0Z4MEN2UT09>
(Meeting-ID: 970 1266 9561; Meeting password: 727530)
- All panels will take place in the same Zoom room.
- Please test your microphone & camera before the workshop.
- Headphones can help improve the sound quality.
- If your WiFi is shaky, using an Ethernet cable to connect your computer to the Internet can help.
- Throughout the workshop, *please keep your camera on*, as we would like everyone to recreate the inperson experience as much as possible.
- Please keep your *microphone muted* when you are not speaking.

Thursday, September 23 (Day 1)	
8:45 – 9:00	<i>Virtual Check-in</i>
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome
9:15 – 10:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Peacekeeping Cooperation - Chair Julia Leib</p> <p>Mirko Heinzl / Timon Forster <i>Mandate or Interests? How UN Security Council Presidents selectively engage in discussions on UNSC intervention</i> Discussant: Natascha Neudorfer</p> <p>Franziska Sandt <i>Multidimensionale UN-Friedensoperationen. Eine Analyse der Korrelation zwischen der Mandatierung und dem Konfliktcharakter neuer Kriege.</i> Discussant: Levke Aduda</p> <p>Christoph Dworschak / Deniz Cil <i>Train by yourself, fight as a team? Military cooperation and local peacekeeping effectiveness</i> Discussant: Constantin Ruhe</p>
10:45 – 11:00	<i>Break</i>
11:00 – 12:30	<p style="text-align: center;">Protests and Mobilization - Chair Constantin Ruhe</p> <p>Elena Leuschner / Sebastian Hellmeier <i>How do State Concessions Affect Protest Dynamics in Authoritarian Regimes?</i> Discussant: Belén González</p> <p>Christoph Trinn / Felix Schulte <i>Dead cows and rumours: Identifying sparking events in cultural identity conflict cascades</i> Discussant: Espen Geelmuyden Rød</p> <p>Espen Geelmuyden Rød <i>Pre-analysis plan: Information Technology and Protest Movements</i> Discussant: Oguzhan Turkoglu</p>
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Lunch Break</i>

14:00 – 15:00	<p style="text-align: center;">Political Participation and Political Support - Chair Adam Scharpf</p> <p>Elodie Douarin / Julie Litchfield / Fatlinda Gashi <i>Angry men and civic women? Gendered effects of conflict on political participation.</i></p> <p>Discussant: Roos van der Haer</p> <p>Alexander De Juan / Felix Haass / Carlo Koos / Sascha Riaz /Thomas Tichelbaecker <i>World War I, Nationalism, and the Rise of the Nazi Party</i></p> <p>Discussant: Carl Müller-Crepon</p>
15:00 – 15:15	<i>Break</i>
15:15 – 16:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Media in Conflict - Chair Christoph Trinn</p> <p>Andreas Dafnos / Timothy Williams / Kirsty Campbell <i>What was the role of digital media during the Capitol Hill riots?</i></p> <p>Discussant: Alexander De Juan</p> <p>Lea Haiges / Frederik Gremler <i>Ethnic Politics Online: How Do Ethnic Parties Use Social Media?</i></p> <p>Discussant: Timothy Williams</p> <p>Adam Scharpf / Christian Gläsel / Pearce Edwards <i>International Sports Events, Media Attention, and Repression: Evidence from the 1978 FIFA World Cup</i></p> <p>Discussant: Sebastian Hellmeier</p>
16:45 – 17:00	<i>Break</i>
17:00 – 17:30	Business Meeting

Thursday, September 24 (Day 2)	
8:45 – 9:00	<i>Virtual Check-in</i>
9:00 – 10:30	<p style="text-align: center;">Towards Peace in Post-Conflict Societies - Chair Constantin Ruhe</p> <p>Natascha Neudorfer / Dawn Walsh <i>Caring is Sharing: Why Independent Commissions in Post-Conflict Societies Have Power-Sharing Arrangements</i> Discussant: Franziska Sandt</p> <p>Juliana Tappe Ortiz / Jannis Hussain <i>Trusting the other general: The impact of leaders' shared military backgrounds on peace agreements in civil wars</i> Discussant: Tobias Risse</p> <p>Angela Heucher / Ida Wiborg / Sabine Brüntrup-Seidemann / Verena Gantner / Martin Bruder <i>(Successful) Gender Mainstreaming in German Development Cooperation in Post-Conflict Contexts – A Qualitative Comparative Analysis</i> Discussant: Julia Leib</p>
10:30 – 10:45	<i>Break</i>
10:45 – 12:15	<p style="text-align: center;">Different Influences on Conflict Dynamics - Chair Julia Leib</p> <p>Amelie Freiberg <i>Explaining low levels of conflict-related sexual violence: Influence of political education on rebel fragmentation</i> Discussant: Angela Heucher</p> <p>Levke Aduda <i>Fighting over Sand: How the Illegal Harvesting of Sand Leads to Local Conflict</i> Discussant: Christoph Trinn</p> <p>Regine Schwab / Samer Massoud <i>The targeting of health care facilities and insurgent activity: the Syrian case (2012 – 2019)</i> Discussant: Adam Scharpf</p>
12:15 – 13:45	<i>Lunch Break</i>

13:45 – 14:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Arms Control and Arms Transfer - Chair Roos van der Haer</p> <p>Tobias Risse <i>Who Threatens Whom? Symmetric and Asymmetric Rivalries and State Support for Arms Control</i></p> <p>Discussant: Mirko Heinzl</p> <p>Johannes Brannath / Paul W. Thurner / Marius Mehrl <i>NATO's Weapons Trade 1949-2019: Internal Hegemony and External Alignments</i></p> <p>Discussant: Henrique Garbino</p>
15:45 – 15:00	<i>Break</i>
15:00 – 16:30	<p style="text-align: center;">Ethnicity in Conflict Contexts - Chair Levke Aduda</p> <p>Carl Müller-Crepon / Guy Schvitz / Lars-Erik Cederman <i>'Right-peopling' the state: Explaining ethnic assimilation, displacement, and genocide in Europe, 1850-2020</i></p> <p>Discussant: Lea Haiges</p> <p>Roos van der Haer / Leila Demarest <i>A Perfect Match? The dampening effect of interethnic marriage on armed conflict in Africa</i></p> <p>Discussant: Amelie Freiberg</p> <p>Oguzhan Turkoglu <i>Security Concerns, Ethnic Relations, and Attitudes toward Refugees</i></p> <p>Discussant: Elodie Douarin</p>
16:30 – 16:45	<i>Break</i>
16:45 – 17:45	<p style="text-align: center;">Use and Effects of Arms - Chair Constantin Ruhe</p> <p>Andreas Mehlretter / Paul W. Thurner <i>Arms imports, power projection and intrastate conflict duration – an instrumental variable survival model</i></p> <p>Discussant: Christoph Dworschak</p> <p>Henrique Garbino <i>Rebels against mines? Legitimacy-seeking behaviour and restraint on landmine use by non-state armed groups</i></p> <p>Discussant: Regine Schwab</p>