# PROGRAM OVERVIEW – WEDNESDAY: DAY 1

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**Keynote Address:** Kanchan Chandra  
**Location:** Auditorium, ground floor |
| 19:30 | Reception sponsored by the **University of Sarajevo & City of Sarajevo**  
**Location:** Sarajevo City Hall (Vijećnica) | | | |
# PROGRAM OVERVIEW – THURSDAY: DAY 2

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DAY 1
Wednesday, 12 June

Panel 1A: Wednesday, 09:15–10:45, Room 18, 1st floor
Politics of Language

Chair: Tatiana Litvinova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations)
Discussant: Britt Cartrite (Alma College)

Huw Lewis (Aberystwyth University): Language Revitalisation and Social Transformation
Mneesha Gellman (Emerson College): Educational Policy in Comparative Context: Ethnic Minority Language Politics in Mexico and the United States
Bartosz Hordecki (Adam Mickiewicz University Poznań): Coincidentia oppositorum? Some Remarks on Designing Relationship Between State Language and National Languages in the Russian Federation
Elin Royles (Aberystwyth University) & Rhys A Jones (Aberystwyth University): Education and Identity in Regional and Minority Language Promotion: Language Revitalisation in Wales

Panel 1B: Wednesday, 09:15–10:45, Room 19, 1st floor
Extremism of Centrist Politics

Chair: Lennart Oschgan (University of Graz)
Discussant: Vanessa Tautter (University of Brighton)

Marco Checchi (De Montfort University): Extremists Against Extremism and Centrists Against Centrism: The Specular Case of Dfla and Populism
Gisela Wohlfahrt (German Civil Peace Service): Divided Memories in Post Conflict Situations – A Comparative Approach
Davide Gallo Lassere (University of Nanterre) & Sabrina Proschmann (Heinrich-Heine-University Düsseldorf): European Postal Cooperation – Apolitical Extremism?

Panel 1C: Wednesday, 09:15–10:45, Room 26, 2nd floor
Subnational Level

Chair: Rodolfo Torregrosa (Corporación Universitaria Republicana)
Discussant: Eduardo Wassim Aboultaif (Holy Spirit University of Kaslik)

Mikel Erkoreka (University of the Basque Country): The Integration of the Basque Country and Catalonia into the Asymmetric Territorial
Organisation Model of Spain After 1978
Sarah Maddison (*University of Melbourne*): Treaty Time? The Opportunities and Challenges of Subnational Agreement-Making in Australia

Renata Mieńkowska-Norkiene (*University of Warsaw*): Decentralization and federalization of Poland in a Multi-level EU political system

Panel 1D: Wednesday, 09:15–10:45, Room 28, 2nd floor
Steered and Impeded Transitions

Chair: Wladimir Dias (*CES/UC*)
Discussant: Valery Perry (*Democratization Policy Council*)

Bhawna Pokharna (*Government Meera Girls College Udaipur Raj India*): Rebuilding a State from Ravage: An Analysis of Bosnia Herzegovina’s Transformation

Imren Borsuk Erglu (*Stockholm University*): Contentious Politics of Communal Violence from Democratization to De-Democratization

Mujtaba Ali Isani (*Habib University*): Social Legitimacy of the European Union in the Post-Conflict Areas of the Balkans

Akio Nawakura (*Meiji University*): Social Movements as Stabilizers of New Democracies: Empirical Analysis on South Korea’s Candlelight Vigil

Panel 2A: Wednesday, 11:05–12:35, Room 18, 1st floor
Shared Rule, Better Rule? The Inclusion of Minority Language Groups on Central Decision-Making

Chair: Elisabeth Alber (*EURAC*)
Discussant: Mneesha Gellman (*Emerson College*)

Elin Royles & Huw Lewis (*Aberystwyth University*): The Limits of Shared Rule? Language Revitalisation in a Devolved Wales

Timofey Agarin (*Queen's University Belfast*) & Ryo Nakai (*Kitakyushu University*): Does Minority Participation Count in New Democracies? Evidence from Deeply Divided Estonia and Latvia

Sofia Marini (*Sant’Anna School of Advanced Studies of Pisa*): Ethnic Parties and Party Systems in Transition Between Democratization, Democratic Retrenchment and Democratic Anchoring: Evidence from Bosnia-Herzegovina

Panel 2B: Wednesday, 11:05–12:35, Room 19, 1st floor
Politics of Memory

Chair: Marco Checchi (*De Montfort University*)
Discussant: Dovile Budryte (*Georgia Gwinnett College*)

Vanessa Tautter (*University of Brighton*) & Lennart Oschgan
Panel 2C: Wednesday, 11:05–12:35, Room 26, 2nd floor
Nation-State Building in Eurasia

Chair: Galina Gribanova (Saint Petersburg State University)
Discussant:

Tatiana Litvinova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations): Territorial Disputes in the North Caucasus as a Source of Division and Instability
Galina Gribanova (Saint Petersburg State University): Evolution of Ethno-Religious Relations in Modern Russia as a Challenge for the Public Policy
Roman Szul (Warsaw University): Language, Nation and State
Oxana Kharitonova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations):

Institutional Problems of Post-Imperial Nation-Building: Bosnia in Comparative Perspective

Panel 2D: Wednesday, 11:05–12:35, Room 28, 2nd floor
Minorities and Securitisation

Chair: Bruno Mendelski (IREL - University of Brasilia; University of Santa Cruz do Sul)
Discussant: Laura Welty (University of Sydney)
Hacer Zekiye Gonul (Université Libre de Bruxelles): China's Securitization Practices Toward Its Muslim Minority Groups: The Uyghur and Hui Communities
Iryna Zhyrun (Higher School of Economics-NRU, Moscow): Exploration of Religious Cleavages Through Narratives: Autocephaly as Political Agenda in Ukraine
Edislav Manetovic (State University of New York): Intersectionality of Nationalism
Rodolfo Torregrosa (Corporación Universitaria Republicana): Public Policy, Institutional Design and Forced Displacement in Colombia
Wladimir Dias (CES/UC): Brazilian Democracy: Between Conflicts and Risks

Panel 3A: Wednesday, 14:00–15:30, Room 18, 1st floor
Rethinking Autonomy Arrangements in Divided Societies
Chair: Elin Royle (Aberystwyth University)
Discussant: Michael Breen (The University of Melbourne)

Paul Anderson & Soeren Keil (Canterbury Christ Church University): Federalism and Conflict Resolution: Some Theoretical Insights
Nicolas Steytler (University of Western Cape): The ‘Federal Character’ of Federal Governments in Post Conflict Societies

Panel 3B: Wednesday, 14:00–15:30, Room 19, 1st floor
Politics of Memory & Transitional Justice

Chair: Mnesha Gellman (Emerson College)
Discussant: Oxana Kharitonova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations)

Ines Stasa (Epoka University): Transitional Justice Compared: Albania and Germany
Vanessa Rao (University of Bologna): Renegotiating Decommunication Laws: Local Politics in South-Eastern Ukraine
Dovile Budryte (Georgia Gwinnett College): Multidirectional Memory and Ethnic Tolerance: Insights from Lithuania

Panel 3C: Wednesday, 14:00–15:30, Room 26, 2nd floor
Identities and Politics

Chair: Eduardo Wassim Aboultaif (Holy Spirit University of Kaslik)
Discussant:

Nemanja Batrićević (CEU) & Olivera Komar (University of Montenegro): The Right "Who" at the Right "Where": The Role of Ethnic Heterogeneity in Vote Buying
Andreas Juon (University College London): Inherently unstable or destabilized by devilish details? A re-examination of the relationship between group autonomy and secessionist conflict
Keiichi Kubo (Waseda University): Impact of the ICTY trials on local mass media: quantitative text analysis of the three Serbian Newspapers, 2003-2016
Ryo Nakai (University of Kitakyushu) & Timofey Agarin (Queen’s University Belfast): Variety of Political Participation of Ethnic Minorities: A Comparative Analysis

Panel 3D: Wednesday, 14:00–15:30, Room 28, 2nd floor
Federalism as Tool for Conflict Resolution

Chair: Nassim Abi Ghanem (Central European University)
Discussant: Benjamin Reilly (University of Western Australia)

Mahendra Lawoti (Western Michigan University): Gerrymandering, Federalism and Mono-ethnic Domination: Techniques and Processes in Nepal
Elif Topal Demiroğlu (Marmara University): Multi-Level Governance of Diversity in the Context of Its Contribution to Local Democracy
Felix Schulte (Heidelberg University): Unravelling Territorial Self-Governance

Opening of the Conference
Wednesday, 16:00–17:30
Auditorium, ground floor

Timofey Agarin
Damir Kapidžić
Šaćir Filandra (Dean of the Faculty)

Keynote Address
Kanchan Chandra Professor of Politics, NYU New York and NYU Abu Dhabi
The New Ethnic Nationalisms: Democracy, Identity and Governance in the Twenty-first Century

Reception sponsored by the University of Sarajevo & City of Sarajevo
Wednesday, 19:30
Location: Vijećnica (Sarajevo City Hall)

Abdulah Skaka (Mayor of Sarajevo)
Rifat Škrijelj (Rector University of Sarajevo)

Music programme
Belma Alić, violoncello & Azra Medić, piano (University of Sarajevo Academy of Music)
DAY 2
Thursday, 13 June

Panel 4A: Thursday, 09:15–10:45, Room 18, 1st floor
The Performance of Power-Sharing: Definition, Measurements, and Causal Mechanisms

Chair: Timofey Agarin (Queen’s University Belfast)
Discussant: Soeren Keil (Canterbury Christ Church University)

Marie-Joëlle Zahar (Montreal) & Alexandre Raffoul (swisspeace/University of Basel): Trust and Informal Institutions: Greasing the Wheel of Power Sharing in Divided Societies
Roberto Belloni (University of Trento): Intervention in Iraq: from Statebuilding to Stabilization
Caroline A. Hartzell (Gettysburg College): Power Sharing and Post-conflict Power Relations: Reconceptualizing the Effects of Power-Sharing Institutions on Conflict Management
Aleksandra Zdeb (Queen’s University Belfast and University of Graz): Consociationalism Versus the Left. Non-Ethnic Parties in the World of Ethnicized Politics

More than meets the eye: Perspectives on the Polish Minority in Lithuania

Chair: Asier Blas Mendoza (University of the Basque Country)
Discussant: Dovile Budryte (Georgia Gwinnett College)

Andžej Pukšto (Vytautas Magnus University): The Polish Minority's Role in Lithuania's Foreign and Security Policies: Lithuanian-Polish and Lithuanian-Russian Perspectives
Charles Szymański (Michigan State University/ Vytautas Magnus University): Reliance on International Treaties as a Means of Protecting Minority Rights: An Effective Strategy or Waiting for Nothing? The Case of the Polish Minority in Lithuania
Mindaugas Norkevičius (Vytautas Magnus University): The Representation of the Polish National Minority in Lithuania: An Analysis of Media Public Discourse
Karolis Dambrauskas (Lithuanian Social Research Centre): Governing Through Freedom: Between Control and Normalization. the Case of Poles in Lithuania

Panel 4C: Thursday, 09:15–10:45, Room 26, 2nd floor
Minorities and Geopolitics

Chair: Mujtaba Ali Isani (Habib University)
Discussant:
Huang-Ting Yan (University of Essex): Cannot Go Further without Consensus: Assessing the Effects of Three Modes of Transitions on Democratic Survival
Willy Jou & Kok Hin Ooi (Waseda University): History, political culture, and democratization in an ethnically divided society: a case study of Malaysia
Johannes Boehnlein (University of Würzburg): Why Is Democratization in Some Eastern European States Steps Back, While in Other Not?
Oxana Kharitonova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations): Institutional Problems of Post-Imperial Nation-Building: Bosnia in Comparative Perspective

Panel 4D: Book Panel
Thursday, 9:15–10:45
Library reading room, ground floor

Eduardo Wassim Aboultaif, Power Sharing in Lebanon: Consociationalism Since 1820, Routledge 2019

Chair: Nassim Abi Ghanem (Central European University)
Participants:
Drew Mikhael (Queen’s University Belfast)
Joanne McEvoy (University of Aberdeen)
Henry Jarrett (University of Exeter)

Panel 5A: Thursday, 11:05–12:35, Room 18, 1st floor
Accommodation of Diversity in Multi-Ethnic States

Chair: Andreas Juon (University College London)
Discussant: Micha Germann (University of Bath)

Lesley Ann Daniels (Institut Barcelona d’Estudis Internacionals): Identity Concessions in Peace Agreements
Livia Rohrbach (University of Copenhagen): A New Dataset on Territorial Self-Governance with an Application to Self-Determination Conflicts
Michael Breen (The University of Melbourne): Federalism in Asia: Models, Successes and Failures
Britt Cartrite & Richard A. Scroggins (Alma College): Politics in the Periphery: Demographic, Geographic, and Economic Determinants of Regional Political Distinctiveness
Benjamin McClelland (Columbia University): Ethnicity and Campaigning in Post-Soviet Latvia

Panel 5B: Thursday, 11:05–12:35, Room 19, 1st floor
Twister with Democracy? Civil-Societies Organisation Tackling Democratic Regression in Diverse Societies

Chair: Nassim Abi Ghanem (Central European University)
Discussant: **Eduardo Wassim Aboultaif** *(Holy Spirit University of Kaslik)*

**Nassim Abi Ghanem** *(Central European University)*: Peace Nets: From Traditional Spaces to Coffeeshops

**Drew Mikhael** *(Queen’s University Belfast)*: Taking the Baton: The Efficacy Local Civil Society Organisations in Ensuring Legal Protection for Refugees

**Julie Norman & Drew Mikhael** *(Queen’s University Belfast)*: Democratising Development? The Challenge of Participatory Humanitarian Approaches in Protracted Conflicts

**Pinar Sayan** *(Stockholm University)*: The EU and the Civic Peace-Building Initiatives in Turkey

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**Panel 5C**: Thursday, 11:05–12:35, Room 26, 2nd floor

**Kin Politics and Accommodation**

Chair: **Katharina Crepaz** *(Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy & Technical University of Munich)*

Discussant: **Armando Vittoria** *(University of Naples Federico II)*

**Patrick Utz** *(University of Edinburgh)*: (De)Europeanizing the Party Politics of Ethnic Kinship

**Mate Subašić** *(University of Liverpool)*: Kin-State Citizenship and Ethnic Accommodation

**John Coakley** *(Queen's University Belfast)*: Bridging Brexit? British-Irish Institutions and the Northern Ireland Conflict

**Stefan Surlić** *(University of Belgrade)*: Constitutional Redesigning in the Context of a Legally Binding and "Constructively Ambiguous" Agreement Between Serbia and Kosovo

**Edgár Dobos** *(HAS Centre for Social Sciences)*: Bosnian Serbs as "kin majority": self-determination claims and practices of differentiation

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**Panel 5D**: Book Panel
Thursday, 11:05–12:35
Library reading room, ground floor


Chair: **Soeren Keil** *(Canterbury Christ Church University)*

**Participants**:

- **Valery Perry** *(Democratization Policy Council)*
- **Ana Dević** *(KU University of Leuven)*
- **Sead Turčalo** *(University of Sarajevo)*

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**Panel 6A**: Thursday, 14:00–15:30, Room 18, 1st floor
Political Regimes for Divided Societies

Chair: Michael Breen (The University of Melbourne)
Discussant: Kanchan Chandra (NYU New York and NYU Abu Dhabi)


Daniel Bochsler (CEU) & Andreas Juon (University College): London Power-Sharing and the Quality of Democracy

Micha Germann (University of Bath): Pax Populi? Self-Determination Referendums and Separatist Armed Conflict


Benjamin Reilly (University of Western Australia): Constructing an Index of Centripetalism

Panel 6B: Thursday, 14:00–15:30, Room 19, 1st floor
Pathways from Conflict to Democracy

Chair: Ines Stasa (Epoka University)
Discussant: Kiran Auerbach (University of Bergen)

Valery Perry (Democratization Policy Council): Democratizing Security or Securitizing Democracy?

Preventing Extremism in Unconsolidated Post-war Democracies

Scott Wolford (University of Texas): Making Peace After Multiparty Wars

Joanne McEvoy (University of Aberdeen): Exploring Governance Challenges in Post-Conflict Power Sharing

Paula M. Pickering (College of William and Mary): Understanding (non) participation and its link to (il)liberal rule in Central and Eastern Europe

Panel 6C: Thursday, 14:00–15:30, Room 26, 2nd floor
Development and Democratisation

Chair: Vanessa Rao (University of Bologna)
Discussant: Tatiana Litvinova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations)

Juichi Inada (Senshu University): Are “Democratic Developmental States” Feasible?: The Role of International Actors in Cambodia and Rwanda

Teresa Tadem (University of the Philippines): Redefining Governance to Address Socio-Economic Inequalities in the Philippines

Adam Szymanski (University of Warsaw): Rising Majoritarianism as Challenge for Democratic Governance – Turkey in Comparative Perspective

Larisa Vdovichenko (Russian State University for the Humanities): The
Impact of Inter-Ethnic Relations on the Stability

Panel 6D: Thursday, 14:00–15:30, Room 28, 2nd floor
Minorities in the European Union

Chair: Irena Baboi (University of Glasgow)
Discussant: Roman Hlatky (University of Texas)

Alexander Mesarovich (University of Edinburgh): Eddies of Europeanization
Dragos Ionita (National University of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest): Enlargement politics Distortion of EU Conditionality in the Field of Minority Rights in Serbia and Croatia
Mariana Rosca (University of Deusto): The Policy of Religious Pluralism and Cohabitation: Present Challenges for the Muslims
Elizabeth Craig (University of Sussex): Minority Rights in Southeast Europe: The Legacy of the Early Twentieth Century

Roundtable RC28 - Comparative Federalism and Multilevel Governance
Thursday, 16:00–17:30
Room 18, first floor

"Federalism as a Tool of Conflict Resolution - Bosnia in Comparative Perspective"

Chair: Soeren Keil (Canterbury Christ Church University)

Participants:
Elisabeth Alber (EURAC)
Eva Maria Belser (University of Fribourg)
Adnan Huskić (SSST)
Jens Woelk (University of Trento)
Felix Knuelling (Forum of Federations)
Panel 7A: Friday, 09:15–10:45, Room 18, 1st floor
Policy Issues in Deeply Divided Societies

Chair: Clare Rice (Queen’s University Belfast)
Discussant: Eva Maria Belser (University of Fribourg)

Jelena Đzankić (EUI) & Soeren Keil (Canterbury Christ Church University): The Ties That (Never) Bind – Citizenship in the Socialist Yugoslavia and Its Federal Successor States

Mateo Ballester Rodríguez (Complutense University of Madrid): The Quest for a Cohesive National Identity in Spain: Patriotism of Diversity

Soeren Keil (Canterbury Christ Church University) & Arjan Schakel (Maastricht University): The Paradox of Consociationalism

Paul Anderson (Canterbury Christ Church University): Holding Together or Falling Apart?: The Ongoing Constitutional Debates in Scotland and Catalonia

Panel 7B: Friday, 09:15–10:45, Room 19, 1st floor
Democratic Innovations for Divided Societies: Sortition, Deliberative Mini-Publics and Direct Democracy

Chair: Timofey Agarin (Queens University Belfast)
Discussant: Elisabeth Alber (EURAC)

Nenad Stojanović (University of Genève): Combining Direct Democracy and Mini-Publics

Peter Vermeersch (K.U. Leuven): Together Again? Deliberative Mini-Publics as a Means of Overcoming Polarization and Conflict

James Pow (Queen’s University Belfast & KU Leuven): What Happens When People Deliberate in a Deeply Divided Place? Evidence from a Citizens’ Assembly in Northern Ireland

Panel 7C: Friday, 09:15–10:45, Room 26, 2nd floor
Forms of Accommodation

Chair: Mariana Rosca (University of Deusto)
Discussant: Christina Isabel Zuber (University of Konstanz)

Sarina Bakić (University of Sarajevo): Integrative Aspects of (None) Existing Cultural Policy in Contemporary Bosnia and Herzegovina

Balázs Dobos (HAS Centre for Social Sciences): The Idea and Practice of Non-Territorial Cultural Autonomies in Central and South Eastern Europe

Jean Rémi Carbonneau (Université du Québec à Montréal): The Territorial Niches of Catalan in the
State of Autonomies: Progress and Limitations

Katharina Crepaz (Max Planck Institute for Social Law and Social Policy & Technical University of Munich): Between Consolidated Autonomy and Separatist Claims: a European Perspective on Present-Day South Tyrol

Elena Cuijucu (Comrat State University): Participation of Gagauzia in National Decision-Making: Challenges of Cooperation in Reforms in Moldova

Panel 7D: Book Panel
Friday, 09:15–10:45
Library reading room, ground floor

Roberto Belloni The Rise and Fall of Peacebuilding in the Balkans (Palgrave 2019)

Chair: Roberto Belloni (University of Trento)

Participants:
Benjamin Reilly (University of Western Australia)
Damir Kapidžić (University of Sarajevo)
Cvete Koneska (University of Oxford)

Panel 8A: Friday, 11:05–12:35, Room 18, 1st floor
Electoral Mobilisation and Political Parties

Panel 8B: Friday, 11:05–12:35, Room 19, 1st floor
Transforming Antagonist Identities: Delineating Premises and Obstacles for Dialogic Peace Processes

Chair: Ryo Nakai (University of Kitakyushu)
Discussant: James Pow (Queen’s University Belfast & KU Leuven)

Karen Bird (McMaster University): Indigenous Representation within Canada’s Party System
Philip J. Howe (Adrian College), Edina Szöcsik (University of Basel) & Christina Isabel Zuber (University of Konstanz): Nation Versus Class: The Electoral Mobilization of Social Identities in Imperial Austria
Tibor Toró (University of Sapientia) & Istvan Szekely (Romanian Institute for Research of National Minorities): Factors Influencing Roma Political Mobilization in Ethnically Mixed Local Social Environments in Transylvania
Damir Kapidžić (University of Sarajevo) & Olivera Komar (University of Montenegro): Segmental Volatility in Ethnically Divided Societies
Oliver Strijbis (University of Zurich): Deindustrialization Fosters Ethnic Mobilization: A Comparative Analysis of Ethnic Minority Parties in Western Europe, 1918-2008
Chair: Marko Lehti (Tampere University)

**Discussant:**

Marko Lehti & Vadim Romashov (Tampere University): Bazaars as a Metaphoric Platform for Dialogues in Addressing Politics of Nomadic Identity and Radical Disagreement: The Case of the South Caucasus

Aleksi Ylönen (United States International University –Africa): Divisive Identities and Peacemaking in South Sudan

Lina Klymenko (Tampere University): Understanding the Donbas War in Terms of World War II: a Metaphor Analysis of the Armed Conflict in Eastern Ukraine

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**Panel 8C:** Friday, 11:05–12:35, Room 26, 2nd floor

**Participation and Representation in Diverse Societies**

Chair: Amy Liu (University of Texas)

Discussant: Cvete Koneska (University of Oxford)


Pascal Lupien (University of Alberta): Participatory Democracy and Afro-descendent peoples: How do Latin America’s Most Excluded Populations Experience Citizen Participation?

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Siobhan Byrne (University of Alberta): Power-Sharing and an Ethic of Care

Bailey Pelletier & Allison McCulloch (Brandon University): Consociation and LGBTQ Rights

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**Panel 8D:** Friday, 11:05–12:35, Room 28, 2nd floor

**Local Politics in Multilevel Governance**

Chair: Irena Baboi (University of Glasgow)

Discussant: Galina Gribanova (Saint Petersburg State University)

Petr Čermák (Masaryk University): Local Ethnopolitics Between Consociationalism and Centripetalism? Comparative Study of Post-Yugoslav Municipalities

Randall Puljek-Shank (International Burch University): Does Social Cohesion Yield a Financial Dividend in a Divided Society? Municipal Evidence from Bosnia-Herzegovina

Revekka Vulfovich (North-West Institute of Management the Branch of RANEPA): Diversity in a World City: Possibilities and Problems (Case St. Petersburg)


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**Panel 9A:** Friday, 14:00–15:30, Room 18, 1st floor
The Delay and Risks to Democratic Transition

Chair: Marius Calu (Regent's University London)
Discussant:

Aleksandar Mitreski (University of Sydney): Legitimacy in the Gulf: the case of the United Arab Emirates
Dimitar Nikolovski (Institute for Advanced Studies Koszeg): Global Phenomena, Local Effects: The Western Balkans and the Nationalist Turn
Guido Panzano (Sant’Anna School of Advanced Studies of Pisa): Towards a Theoretical Framework of Ethnic Domination, Hybridity and Democracy in Deeply Divided Places: The Israeli Regime in Comparative Perspective
Gabriele Abbondanza (University of Sydney): From Peace Enforcement to State-Building: Recent Italian Efforts in the Balkans

Panel 9B: Friday, 14:00–15:30, Room 19, 1st floor
Equality and Diversity in Legal Accommodation

Chair: Scott Wolford (University of Texas)
Discussant: Elizabeth Craig (University of Sussex)

Clare Rice (Queen's University Belfast): Consociationalism, Equality and Law
Borjana Miković (University of Sarajevo): The Right to Vote and Participate in Political and Public Life of Adult Persons Under Guardianship in the International Human Rights Treaties and Legislation of Bosnia and Herzegovina
Samir Forić (University of Sarajevo): Judicial Politics and Control of the Prosecutorial Function in Post-Dayton Bosnia and Herzegovina
Ivan Ćubela, Gordana Iličić & Ivan Vukadin (University of Mostar): Second Chamber Role in Political System of Bosnia and Herzegovina

Panel 9C: Friday, 14:00–15:30, Room 26, 2nd floor
Consociational Power Sharing in a Comparative Context

Chair & Discussant: Stephen Deets (Babson College)

Cvete Koneska (University of Oxford): Consociationalism and Resolving Conflict with Third Parties
Reginas Ndayiragije (University of Antwerp): Power-Sharing Measures and Measuring Shared Power. A Case-Study on Burundi
Nevena Trajkov (Florida International University): The Paradox of Accommodation: Minority Accommodations and State Consolidation
Panel 9D: Friday, 14:00–15:30, Room 28, 2nd floor
The Rise of Illiberal Politics in the Western Balkans

Chair: Damir Kapidžić (University of Sarajevo)
Discussant: Paula M. Pickering (College of William and Mary)

Gazela Pudar Draško, Irena Fiket & Jelena Vasiljević (University of Belgrade): Small Steps and Big Dreams: Comparative Perspective on Social Movements’ Struggle for Democracy in Serbia and Macedonia
Olivera Komar (University of Montenegro): An Elephant in the Room: Illiberal Politics in Montenegro
Arianna Piacentini (EURAC): Between Apathy and Resistance. Youth Political Engagement in Bosnia Herzegovina and Macedonia

Roundtable RC14 -Politics and Ethnicity
Friday, 16:00–17:30
Room 18, first floor

"International Statebuilding in Bosnia & Herzegovina and North Macedonia"

Chair: Timofey Agarin (Queens University Belfast)

Participants:
Joanne McEvoy (University of Aberdeen)
Cvete Koneska (independent scholar)
Damir Kapidžić (University of Sarajevo)
Paula M. Pickering (College of William and Mary)

Conference Dinner
Friday, 20:00

Location:
Pivnica Sarajevo
Maršala Tita Street 7

Note, this event is by pre-registration only.
Panel 10A: Saturday, 09:15–10:45, Room 18, 1st floor
Stateness and Legitimacy

Chair: Sabina Haverić (GESIS Leibniz Institute for Social Science)
Discussant: Cleo O'Brien-Udry (Yale University)

Eyal Pascovich (University of Haifa): Building Democracy in Palestine – What Went Wrong?
Gulay Umaner Duba (University of Helsinki): The Forms and Limits of Accommodation in the Case of Catalonia: What Difference Can Shared Rule Make?
Marius Calu (Regent's University London): Kosovo Divided: Ethnicity, Nationalism and the Struggle for a State
Laura Welty (University of Sydney): Zelena Transversala: A Post-Structuralist Narrative Analysis of Contemporary Usage in the Domestic Balkan Political Sphere

Panel 10B: Saturday, 09:15–10:45, Room 19, 1st floor
State Capture and Politics of Patronage

Chair: Radhika Kumar (University of Delhi)
Discussant: Timofey Agarin (Queen’s University Belfast)

Satoshi Tanaka (Osaka University): In the Shadow of Power Sharing: Ethnopoltics and a Patronage System in the Dayton Bosnia
Kiran Auerbach (University of Bergen) & Jennifer Kartner (independent scholar): How do political parties capture newly democratic states? Hungary and Macedonia in Comparison
Aleksandra Zdeb (Queen’s University Belfast): Governance as the Neglected Indicator of Power-Sharing Systems’ Performance
Shamiran Mako (Boston University) & Wilfried Swenden (University of Edinburgh): Ethnic Dominance in Iraq and Pakistan: a comparative-historical approach

Panel 10C: Saturday, 09:15–10:45, Room 26, 2nd floor
Roma in Politics

Chair: Lina Strupinskiene (Vilnius University)
Discussant: Ines Stasa (Epoka University)

Canan Uğur Rizzi (University of Izmir): The Challenges of Romani Inclusion in Turkey: The Society, the Roma and the Government’s Approach
Jonathan McCombs (University of Georgia): Unearthing the Roots of the Illiberal Turn: Tracing the Racist History of Urban Change in Budapest Hungary’s Eighth District
Amy Liu (University of Texas), Zsombor Csata (Hungarian Academy of Sciences) & Roman
Hlatky (University of Texas): Counting the Roma Population: Understanding the Differences in Auto-Identification and Hetero-Identification Strategies

Panel 10D: Saturday, 09:15–10:45, Room 28, 2nd floor
International Intervention in the Western Balkans

Chair: Paula M. Pickering (College of William and Mary)
Discussant: Scott Wolford (University of Texas)

Dražen Barbarić, Domagoj Galić & Ana-Mari Bošnjak (University of Mostar): Borrowed Sovereignty and Its Institutional Effects in Deeply Divided Societies: Case Study of Bosnia and Herzegovina and Kosovo

Harun Išerić (University of Sarajevo): Building up a New Constitutional Order – the Role of the Venice Commission in Post-Conflict Bosnia and Herzegovina

Irena Baboi (University of Glasgow): Europeanisation and the Future of European Union Involvement in the Western Balkans

Aidan Hehir & Claudio Lanza (University of Westminster): Mimetic Rivalry in Practice: The Case of Serbia and Kosovo

Chair: Cleo O'Brien-Udry (Yale University)
Discussant:

Amy Liu (University of Texas): Political Incorporation of the Chinese Migrants in Central-Eastern Europe

Ana Bracic (University of Oklahoma): The bond of displacement? Altruism of formerly displaced Serbian residents towards Syrian refugees

Bruno Mendelski (IREL - University of Brasilia; University of Santa Cruz do Sul): Home Alone? Lebanese Diaspora Integration and Their Political Awareness Towards Lebanon

Chetna Sharma (University of Delhi): Legal or Illegal, Citizens or Immigrants: National Register of Citizens in Politics of Assam, India

Gloria Howerton (University of Georgia): Denying Racial Animus in Education Legislation: Strategies Employed in the Arizona Mexican American Studies Ban

Panel 11A: Saturday, 11:05–12:35, Room 18, 1st floor
Migrants & Diasporans

Sabina Haverić (GESIS Leibniz Institute for Social Science): No Benefits, No Vote: The Link
Between Political Patronage and Turnout in an Ethnically Divided Society
**Jara Cuadrado (Observatory of Foreign Relations/OBSERVARE, Autonomous University of Lisbon) & Maria Isabel García (Instituto Universitario General Gutiérrez Mellado/UNED):** The Construction of Nigerian State. Past and Future Challenges in an Ethnically Diverse Society

**Irina Kudryashova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations):** Consociational Mechanisms in the Post-Ottoman Space: Case of Iraq

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**Panel 11C:** Saturday, 11:05–12:35, Room 26, 2nd floor

**Populist Politics**

Chair: **Charles Szymański (Michigan State University/Vytautas Magnus University)**

Discussant: **Laura Welty (University of Sydney)**

**Roman Hlatky (University of Texas):** European Union Funding and Euroskeptic Vote Choice

**Mirella Korzeniewska-Wiszniewska (Jagiellonian University):** Democratization of Serbia In the Era of Populism – Key Issues and Challenges

**Mojca Nemgar (Niccolo Cusano University):** Populism, Democracy and Security in the Context of Post-socialist Slovenia

**Asier Blas Mendoza (University of the Basque Country):** Consequences of the Spanish Nationalist Legacy in the Inconsistent Institutionalization of Power-Sharing: The Case of Pillarization in Catalonia

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**Panel 12A:** Saturday, 14:00–15:30, Room 18, 1st floor

**Transition Democratique Au Maroc: Acquis Et Incertitudes**

Chair: **Irina Kudryashova (Moscow State Institute of International Relations)**

Discussant: **Alexandre Raffoul (swisspeace/University of Basel)**

**Hamid El Amouri (University of Rabat):** Les partis politiques Marocains face au défi de la transition démocratique depuis 2011

**Abderrahman Belgourch (University of Marrakech):** Le processus de transition démocratique à l'épreuve des conflits sociaux au Maroc

**Mohammed Hatimi (University of Fès):** Les limites d'une réconciliation qui se voulait salvatrice

**Luigi Cino (Sant'Anna School of Advanced Studies of Pisa):** Institutional Change and ENP in Morocco and Tunisia after the Arab Uprisings

**Mahmoud Farag (Humboldt University):** Power Relations and Regime Stability: Management of Ethnic and Ideological Cleavages in the Arab World
Panel 12B: Saturday, 14:00–15:30, Room 19, 1st floor
Diversity Accommodation

Chair: Ryo Nakai (University of Kitakyushu)
Discussant: Amy Liu (University of Texas)

Jasminka Hasić Telalović (University of Sarajevo): The Challenge of Implementing Gender Equality in a Post-Conflict Context - the Case of Bosnia and Herzegovina
Cera Murtagh (Villanova University): Gender Inclusion in Deeply Divided Societies: Comparing Civic and Ethnic Parties
Laurence Cooley (University of Birmingham) & Maria-Adriana Deiana (Queen's University Belfast): The Politics of Commemoration in Peace Anniversaries: Gender, Performance and the Geopolitics of Failure
Radhika Kumar (University of Delhi): Fluid Identities, Contested Categories: Negotiating Ethnicity Through Affirmative Action

Panel 12C: Saturday, 14:00–15:30, Room 26, 2nd floor
Political Dynamics in the Western Balkans

Chair: Ana Bracic (University of Oklahoma)
Discussant: Aleksandra Zdeb (Queen’s University Belfast)

Jara Cuadrado (Autonomous University of Lisbon) & Ricardo Martín de la Guardia (Universidad de Valladolid): Spanish Perspective of the Process of Building Democratic Institutions in Yugoslavia After the Balkan War (1991-2001)
Lina Strupinskiene (Vilnius University): What's ICTY Got to Do with It: Process Tracing Reconciliation in Prijedor, Bosnia and Herzegovina
Özgür Ünal Eriş (İstanbul 29 Mayıs University): Turkey as a Model for Bosnia?
Emir Vajzović (University of Sarajevo): Civic Literacy and Digital Technology for Direct Democracy – Institutional Design Improvement in Post-Conflict, Power-Sharing Societies

Panel 12D: Book Panel sponsored by RC44 Security, Conflict and Democratization
Saturday, 14:00–15:30
Library reading room, ground floor

Jasmin Hasić & Dženeta Karabegović (eds.) “Bosnia and Herzegovina’s Foreign Policy since Independence” Palgrave 2019

Chair: Nenad Stojanović (University of Genève)

Participants:
Jasmin Hasić (Humanity in Action)
Dženeta Karabegović (University of Salzburg)
Maja Savić-Bojanić (Sarajevo School of Science and Technology)
Nedžma Džananović (University of Sarajevo)
Mate Subašić (University of Liverpool)
Dario Cepo (University of Zagreb)
Lejla Ramić-Mesihović (Foreign Policy Initiative BiH)

Research committee AGMs
Saturday, 16:00-17:30

RC14: Room 18
RC44: Room 19
RC28: Room 28
RC50: Room 26
RC13: Room N1

DAY 5
Sunday, 15 June
Post-conference

Herzegovina Group Excursion

Full-day-trip: Mostar—Blagaj—Međugorje (lunch and wine tasting included) details at:
https://sites.google.com/view/ipsarc14/events/sarajevo-2019/faq

Please note that this trip is at extra cost of 40€ and shall be paid at the registration desk.

More information will be provided on-site.

Closing of the conference and Wine reception sponsored by RC14
Politics and Ethnicity
Saturday, 17:30
Faculty of Political Science