Peace Science Society
(International)

Fiftieth Annual North American Meeting
Preliminary Program

October 20-22, 2016
South Bend, Indiana

Hosted at the University of Notre Dame
Map of Conference Rooms at McKenna Hall
Friday 9 AM

**Room A (Chair: Jesse Johnson)**

*Information Bias, Surveillance and the Psychological Effects on the Likelihood of Internal and External Conflict*

Sheldon Levy

*Does a Settlement Offer Screen for Strength or Signal Weakness? War and Bargaining with Bilateral Uncertainty*

Jean-Pierre P. Langlois

*Outcome Uncertainty: A New Measure*

Muhammet A. Bas and Omer Faruk Orsun

**Room B (Chair: Burcu Savun)**

*Arming or Educating: The Role of Civic Militias in New Regimes*

Meredith Blank and Paul Johnson

*U.S. Military Assistance and Democratization in the Shadow of Coups*

Jonathan Powell and Rebecca Schiel

*Designing Inclusive Militaries: Variation in Military Power-Sharing Arrangements after Civil War*

Max Margulies and Jessica Stanton

**Room C (Chair: Jeff Dixon)**

*Without a Trace: Enforced Disappearance as a Strategy during Armed Conflict*

Cyanne Loyle

*The Continuation of War by Other Means: Terrorism in Civil Wars*

Sara Polo

*Forces of Darkness: Proto-states, Armed Conflict, and Resource Allocation*

Christopher Butler, Scott Gates, and Siri Rustad
Friday 11 AM

**Room A (Chair: Jule Krüger)**

*Understanding Post Conflict Attitudes about Violence and Political Contestation*
Danielle Jung

*Lethal Weapons: Post-conflict Police Reform and Criminal Violence*
Lucia Tiscornia

*Localized Legacies of Civil War: Post-war Violent Crime in Northern Ireland*
Annekatrin Deglow

**Room B (Chair: Jeff Carter)**

*Hawks, Doves, and Peace: An Experimental Approach*
Michaela Mattes and Jessica Weeks

*Learning Audience’s Resolve: Endogenous Publicity and Crisis Bargaining*
Cathy Wu

*Pants on Fire: Audience Costs and Presidential Lying on Foreign Policy*
Michael Poznansky and Michael Joseph

**Room C (Szymon Stojek)**

*Development Aid and Infant Mortality: Micro-level Evidence from Nigeria*
Gudrun Østby, Siri Aas Rustad, and Henrik Urdal

*Keeping up with the Joneses: Development Assistance and the Diffusion of Insurgent Violence in Iraq*
Barnett Koven

*Arming the Opposition: Long-term Impacts of Providing Lethal Aid to Non-state Actors*
Tricia Sullivan
Friday 2 PM

**Room A (Chair: Michael Tyburski)**

*Re-establishing the Social Contract? The Enduring Effects of State Repression on Trust in State Security Institutions*
Anita Ravishankar

*Explaining the Success of Rebel and Militia Successor Parties*
Sarah Daly

*Election Violence in the Aftermath of Civil War: The Case of Nepal*
Richard Frank

**Room B (Chair: Emilia Powell)**

*Dams in Global Context: Conflict Inducing or Path to Peace?*
Sara Mitchell

*Salami-Slicing and Land Grabs in Territorial Disputes*
Bella Wang

*Revisiting the Sustainable Settlement of Civil Wars: Leaders and the Implementation of Settlement Agreements*
Alyssa Prorok and Deniz Cil

**Room A (Chair: Mark Nieman)**

*Honor among Thieves: Understanding Cooperation and Conflict among Violent Non-State Actors*
Erica Chenoweth, Michael Horowitz, and Evan Perkoski

*The Rebels’ Resource Curse*
Chelsea Estancona

*The Ties that Bind: Rebel Group Cohesion through Social Service Provision*
Victoria McGroary and Consuelo Amat
Friday 4 PM

Room A (Chair: Michaela Mattes)
Elite Opinion and the Domestic Origins of International Rivalry
Katja Kleinberg and Benjamin Fordham

Domestic Consequences of International Rivalry
Daeehe Bak and Toby Rider

Who Wins the Peace? Elites, Citizens, and the Decision to Go to War
Colin Krainin and Kristopher Ramsay

Peaceful Non-Democratic Dyads: Who are They? Why Don’t They Go to War?
Gennady Rudkevich and John Vasquez

Room B (Chair: Erik Gartzke)
The Determinants of Nuclear Latency
Rupal Mehta and Rachel Whitlark

Hidden Norms in International Relations: Elites, Public Opinion, and Nuclear Weapons
Abigail Post and Todd Sechser

Networks of Hard International Law Based Organizations and Interstate Cooperation
Charles Boehmer and Renato Corbetta

Negotiating the ICC
James Morrow and Kevin Cope

Room C (Chair: Clayton Tyne)
Ethnic Constituencies at Risk? Ethnic Exclusion and Collective Targeting in Civil War
Lisa Hultman

Power-Sharing Coalitions and Ethnic Civil War
Nils-Christian Bormann and Martin Steinwand

Nils Hagerdal

Inequality Between and Within Ethnic Groups in Autocracies and the Escalation of Conflict
Nils Metternich
Saturday 8:30 AM

**Room A (Chair: Faten Goshen)**

*Negotiating Religious Conflicts: Conflict Resolution and the Global Patterns of Religiously Defined Armed Conflicts*
Desirée Nilsson

*Selecting into Mediation: Exploring Multiparty Mediation Onset and its Characteristics*
Elizabeth Menninga

*Does Peacekeeping Really Bring Peace? Effects beyond Killing*
Shanna Kirschner

*Making Electoral Peace: How Peacekeeping Activities Influence Electoral Violence*
Hannah Smidt

**Room B (Chair: Thorin Wright)**

*From Protection to Persecution: The Determinants of State Violence against Refugees*
Burcu Savun and Christian Gineste

*Terrorism and Territorial Aggression*
Rob Williams, Daniel Gustafson, and Navin Bapat

*Government Atrocity and the Power to Hurt during Civil War*
Gary Uzonyi

*Negotiation in War*
Eric Min

**Room C (Chair: Steven Miller)**

*Complicating the Feminist Peace*
Kelly Kadera, Laura Sjoberg, and Cameron Thies

*Autocratic vs. Democratic Targets: Female Leaders and the Initiation of International Conflict*
Wilfred Chow

*Decision-making in U.S. Foreign Policy Crises: Presidential Leadership and Outcomes*
Patrick James

*The Influences of the Probabilities and Levels of Post-Tenure Punishment on Crisis Behavior*
Raymond Dacey
Saturday 11 AM

**Room A (Chari: Chris Linebarger)**
An Automated Aggregation of Geo-coded Violent and Non-violent Conflict Events
David Cunningham and Eric Dunford

*Is Civilian Control Self-reinforcing? A Measurement Based Analysis of Civil-Military Relations*
Michael Kenwick

*Probabilistic Democracy*
Muhammet Bas

**Room B (Chari: Carla Martinez Machain)**
*Naming, Shaming, and the Laws of War: When the ICRC Violates Discretion and Goes Public*
Tanisha Fazal, and Minju Kwon

*The Effects of Media Naming and Shaming Effects on Regime Change*
Petra Hendrickson

*What Determines Public Support for International Norm Enforcement?*
Melissa Lee

**Room C (Chari: Nazli Avdan)**
*Who is a Terrorist? Ethnicity, Group Affiliation, and Understandings of Violence*
Idean Salehyan and Vito D’Orazio

*Foreign Policy Preferences and Support for Rebel Groups? Evidence from Survey Experiments in the U.S. and India*
Megan Stewart

*Employment Status and Support for Wartime Violence: Evidence from the Iraq War*
Andrew Shaver
Saturday 2 PM

**Room A (Chair: Cliff Morgan)**

*Allied in Combat: Alliance Organization and Battlefield Performance*
Rosella Cappella Zielinski and Ryan Grauer

*A Local Structure Graph Approach to Modeling Spatial Dependence in Alliance Formation*
Olga Chyzh

*Political Shocks and Trade*
Resat Bayer and Omer Faruk Orsun

*When Do Leaders Free-Ride? Evidence from the Fulfillment of Alliance Promises*
Matthew Fuhrmann

**Room B (Chair: Andrew Owsiak)**

*Outbidding as Deterrence: Endogenous Demands in the Shadow of Group Competition*
William Spaniel

*Coup-proofing in the Shadow of a Superpower: External Security Assistance, Domestic Power Consolidation, and Conflict*
Andrew Boutton

*Personalization of the Security Apparatus and Prospects of Autocratic Regime Change*
Wonjun Song

*Tipping Point: Measuring the Impact of Refugees on Incidence of Terrorism*
Orlandrew Danzell and Daniel Irwin

**Room C (Chair: Andrew Long)**

*Transitional Justice and Programmatic Representation*
Monika Nalepa and Milena Ang

*Women’s Work after the War: Evidence from Firm-level Dataset in Somaliland*
Christopher Cyr

*Sectarian Policing, Attachments to the State, and Support for Violence: Evidence from Iraq*
Matthew Nanes

*Building Trust in Remote Post-conflict Communities: A Randomized Control Trial of Police Visits in Rural Liberia*
Sabrina Karim
Poster Session
Saturday, October 22
Lower Level Dining Hall, 4:30 PM

Evaluating Endogenous Policies: Power Sharing in the Face of Civil War
Julian Wucherpfennig

Tracking State Interests and the Dimensionality of World Politics in High Resolution Using UN General Assembly Speeches, 1993-2015
Zuhaib Mahmood and Michael Colaresi

The Language of Crisis and Transition in Authoritarian Regimes
Leah Cathryn Windsor

The Post-conflict Peace Scale: Conceptualizing Peace in the Aftermath of Violent Conflict
Julia Leib

Rebels and Negotiations
Minhyung Joo

Until the Bitter End? The Diffusion of Desertion and Surrender across Battles
Todd Lehmann and Yuri Zhukov

Catalysts, Background Conditions, and the Timing of Litigation in Territorial Conflict
Steven McDowell

The Participation Gap: The Role of Ex-Belligerents in Post-Civil War Elections
Duu Renn

Overlapping International Human Rights Institutions: Juggling Multiple Human Rights Commitments in Europe
Jillienne Haglund

The Effect of Third Party Intervention on Post-Civil War Economic Recovery
Anne Anderson

An Open Door: Conflict and International Gender Mainstreaming
Laura Huber

Kicked Out of the Club: International Exclusion and Respect for Human Rights
Gina Miller and Ryan Welch

Boys and Their Toys: Leader’s Prestige and the Import of Major Weapon Systems
Aaron Shreve

Examining the Influence of International Norms and Sanctioning on State Respect for Prisoners’ Rights: A Field Experiment with Foreign Missions
Zhanna Terechsenko, Charles Crabtree, Kristine Eck, and Christopher J. Fari

Ethnic Social Conflict and Voting Behavior: Does the Empirical Record Match the Anecdotal Evidence?
Brandon Stewart

Death Squads as Agents of Repression: Insights and Evidence from Hitler’s Einsatzgruppen
Jacqueline DeMeritt

How Does the Historical Legacy of Local Level Casualties Affect Public Opinion of War?
Ted Hsuan Yun Chen, Chuyu Liu, and Kevin Reuning
Strength Lies in Difference? Societal Diversity, Campaign Diversity, and Nonviolent Resistance
Sangmi Jeong and Alex Braithwaite

Money is the Sinews of Chaos: Banking Secrecy, Violent Non-State Actors, and State Stability
Charles Dainoff

Contentious Issues and Mediation Success in Civil Conflicts
Krista Wiegand, Aaron Gold, and Eric Keels

Climate Change, Food Price Volatility, and Rebel Violence in Sub-Saharan Africa
Babak Rezaee Daryakenari, Steven Landis, and Cameron Thies

When They Don’t Fight, How Do They Interact? Analysis of Waiting Times in Ending Rivalries, 1945-2010
Luba Levin-Banchik

Commitment Problems and Election Violence Following Negotiated Settlements
Eric Keels

Asymmetric Aid Relations and Differential Foreign Policy Cooperation
Paul Bezerra

Military Defections during Protest and Their Relationship to Democratization
Kara Neu

Women Combatants and the Politics of Gender-Based Repression in the Syrian Conflict
Anita Gohdes

Poster Discussants

Alex Braithwaite
Chris Butler
David Cunningham
Katja Kleinberg
Cyanne Loyle
Nils Metternich
Desiree Nilsson
Andy Owsiak
Alyssa Prorock
Jessica Stanton
Martin Steinwand
Business Meeting
Saturday, October 22  6:15-7:30
Location: Auditorium

Presidential Address:
Catherine Langlois, “Game Theory's Contributions to IR”

Reception
Saturday, October 22  7:30-8:30
Location: Atrium

2016 Travel Grant Recipients
Paul Bezerra, University of Arizona
Meredith Blank, University of Michigan
Charles Dainoff, University of Kentucky
Chelsea Estancona, University of North Carolina
Michael Kenwick, Penn State University
Matthew Nanes, UCSD
Abigail Post, University of Virginia
Anita Ravishankar, University of Michigan
Rebecca Schiel, University of Central Florida
Andrew Shaver, Princeton University
Hannah Smidt, University College – London
Brandon Stewart, University of North Texas
Workshops

All workshops are held at the **DeBartolo Hall**

**Thursday, October 20**

**A Medley of Militias**
*Room 118*

Organizers
Meredith Blank
Paul Johnson

Participants
Adrian Arellano
Ana Arjona
Shane Barter
Robert H. Churchill
Lane Crothers
Lora DiBlasi
Mario Fumerton
Julie Mazzei
Peggy McWeeney
Ragnhild Nordás
Jessica Sun
Megan Turnbull
Will Wittels
Steven T. Zech

**A Million Deaths is a Statistic: New Findings from the Archives of Political Conflict**
*Room 332 (12:30-5:00)*

Organizers
Christopher Sullivan

Participants
Robert Braun
Rex Douglass
Kristine Eck
Kristen Harkness
Mai Hassan
Thomas O'Mealia

Steven Schaaf
Roya Talibova
Yuri Zhukov

**A Mixed-Method Approach to the Study of Nuclear Weapons**
*Room 149*

Organizers
Rupal Mehta
Rachel Whitlark

Participants
Molly Berkmeier
Eliza Gheorghe
Rebecca Davis Gibbons
Sidra Hamidi
Joeeun Kim
Carrie Lee
Eleonora Mattiacci
Abigail Post
Paige Price
Luciana Storelli-Castro

**Data and Measurement in Civil-Military Relations**
*Room 120*

Organizers
Michael Kenwick
Peter White

Participants
Andrew Boutton
Risa Brooks
Jonathan D. Caverley
Erica De Bruin
Empirical Implications of Bargaining Theory
Room 232
Organizers
Erik Gartzke
Paul Poast

Participants
Scott Abramson
Muhammet Bas
Nicholas Campbell-Seremetis
Rob Carroll
Terry Chapman
Alexandra Chinchilla
Olga Chyzh
Songying Fang
Mark Fey
Hein Goemans
Mariya Grinberg
Jeff Kaplow
Katja Kleinberg
Colin Krainin
Shuhei Kurizaki
Roseanne McManus
Rupal Mehta
Kris Ramsay
Anne Sartori
Mehdi Shadmehr
Curt Signorino
Brad Smith
William Spaniel

Environmental Security
Room 143
Organizers
Halvard Buhaug
Cameron G. Thies

Participants
Luke Abbs
Sara Balestri
Curtis Bell
Adrien Detges
Elisabeth Gilmore
Steven Landis
Jonas Nordkvelle
Pat Regan
Babak Rezaee
Elisabeth Rosvold
Martin Smith
Jaroslav Tir

Exploring Complementarities between Critical and Scientific Approaches to Peace
Room 113
Organizer
Kelly Kadera

Participants
Ruoxi Du
DG Kim
Cyanne Loyle
Daniel Nexon
Emilia Justyna Powell
Jonathan Ring
Laura Sjoberg
Swati Srivastava
Non-state Services and Their Political Effects
Room 334
Organizer
Lindsay Heger

Participants
Danielle Jung
Melissa Lee
Amanda Murdie
Michael Rubin
Jane Lawrence Sumner
Wendy Wong

Rebels without a Codebook?
New Data, and Approaches to Rebel Organizations in Civil Wars
Room 333
Organizers
Benjamin T. Jones
Eleonora Mattiacci

Participants
Bridget Coggins
Morgan Kaplan
Megan A. Stewart
Michael Widmeier
Reed M. Wood

Resources, Crime, and Civil War
Room 108
Organizers
Ursula Daxecker
Brandon Prins

Participants
Alex Braithwaite
Bridget Coggins
Jessica Di Salvatore
Kevin Greene
Eric Keels
Anup Phayal
Brian Phillips
Jim Walsh
Krista Wiegand

Survey Experiments in International Security
Room 119
Organizer
Josh Kertzer
Jonathan Renshon
Mike Tomz
Jessica Weeks

Participants
Ryan Brutger
Stephen Chaudoin
Jonathan Chu
Sarah Croco
Graeme Davies
Micah Dillard
Rick Herrmann
Michael Horowitz
Robert Johns
Yonatan Lupu
Todd Sechser
Rachel Stein
Keren Yarhi-Milo

The Future of Conflict Forecasting
Room 335
Organizer
Curtis Bell

Participants
The Impact of Intra-war Processes on Post-conflict Outcomes
Room 117
Organizers
Mark Crescenzi
Stephen Gent
Tricia Lynn Sullivan

Participants
Kyle Beardsley
Sabine Carey
Chong Chen
Michael Colaresi
Sarah Daly
Caroline Hartzell
Reyko Huang
Lisa Hultman
Johannes Karreth
Josh Kertzer
Molly Melin
Elizabeth Menninga
Desirée Nilsson
Lindsay Reid
Belgin San-Akca
Burcu Savun
Paul Staniland
Jessica Stanton
Keren Yarhi-Milo

When Soldiers Rebel (Book Workshop)
Room 332 (8:00-12:15)
Organizer
Kristen Harkness

Participants
Jonathan Caverley
Erica De Bruin
Jonathan Powell
Ches Thurber