Workshop

**Mixed Methods Approaches To Studying Peace and Conflict**

*Annual Workshop of the German Association for Peace and Conflict Studies Methods Working Group*

9-10 October 2017
*University of Mannheim*

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9.00-9.15 Welcome

9.15-10.15 Panel 1: Rebel Organizations

*Roos Van der Haer (University of Leiden):* Rebel funding and child soldiers: Exploring the relationship between endowments and forcible recruitment

*Nils-Christian Bormann (University of Exeter):* Do nightlights emissions enlighten? Exploring the effect of local economic conditions on violence against civilians during civil war

*Discussant: Wolfgang Stojetz*

10.30-11.30 Panel 2: Conflict Mediation

*Constantin Ruhe (German Development Institute - DIE):* The effect of peace negotiation content on peace talks: A mixed methods analysis

*Levke Aduda (University of Greifswald):* The impact of reneged on agreements and subsequent mediation onset

*Discussant: Julia Leib*

11.30-13.00 *Lunch – Mensa University of Mannheim*

13.00-14.00 Business Meeting
14.00-15.00 Panel 3: Military Interventions

Sabine Otto (Uppsala University): The timing of protection: Exploring temporal effects of UN Peacekeeping
Jakob Landwehr (Chemnitz University of Technology): The success of humanitarian military interventions
Discussant: Moritz Marbach

15.15-16.15 Panel 4: Post-Conflict Stability

Karina Mross (German Development Institute - DIE): Identifying pathways to peace - A configurational analysis of international support after civil war
Wolfgang Stojetz (Humboldt University of Berlin & International Security and Development Center): War and the family: Evidence from Angolan veteran households
Discussant: Cosima Meyer

16.30-17.45 Panel 5: State-Centered Violence

Ursula Daxecker (University of Amsterdam): Malapportionment, electoral competition, and patterns of electoral violence: Evidence from India
Guy Schvitz (ETH Zurich): The long-term effects of border change
Wolfgang Schreiber (University of Hamburg): Probleme von Datenbanken in der qualitativen und quantitativen Forschung
Discussant: Sabine Otto

19.00 Dinner - Dachgarten Engelhorn Mannheim

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9.15-10.15 Panel 6: Flight and Migration

Moritz Marbach (University of Zurich): Economic disparities, emigration, and authoritarian repression
Samantha Ruppel (Goethe University Frankfurt): Teilnehmende Beobachtung und ethnologische Feldforschung als Instrumente der Friedens- und Konfliktforschung
Discussant: Christian Glässel
10.30-11.45 Panel 7: Environmental Issues and Natural Resources

Stefan Döring (Uppsala University): Come together, right now, over water: An analysis of cooperation and water scarcity
Felix Haass (University of Greifswald & German Institute of Global and Area Studies - GIGA): "When humans fight, the elephant is trampled": Armed conflict and the political economy of illegal ivory poaching in Africa
Charles Martin-Shields (German Development Institute - DIE): Food security as peacebuilding: Analyzing the relationship between food security and conflict data to support empirical policy making

Discussant: Guy Schwitz

11.45-13.00 Lunch – Mensa University of Mannheim

13.00-14.00 Panel 8: Peacebuilding

Julia Leib (Goethe University Frankfurt): Opening the peacebuilding black box? A closer look at the challenges of mixing QCA and process tracing in peace and conflict research
Andreas Hirblinger (Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies & Inclusive Peace and Transition Initiative - IPTI): From a "mix of methods" to a mixed methods approach in the study of peace and transition processes: Reconciling data demands, methodological convenience and the expectations of policy and academic audiences

Discussant: Levke Aduda

14.00-15.00 Guest talk by Prof. Sabine Carey, PhD, Associate Editor of the American Political Science Review: Publishing mixed methods research

15.15-16.15 Panel 9: (Non-)Violent Tactics

Johannes Vüllers (University of Konstanz): Raise your voices! The occurrence of nonviolent action in civil wars
Christian von Lübke (Arnold Bergstraesser Institute - ABI) & Jürgen Rüland (University of Freiburg): Gauging church-based efforts in Southeast Asia’s conflict regions: A mixed-methods perspective

Discussant: Belén González

16.15-16.30 Closing remarks