

# **JAN TINBERGEN EUROPEAN PEACE SCIENCE CONFERENCE**

## **27 JUNE – 29 JUNE 2011**

**University of Amsterdam**

**Oudezijds Achterburgwal 237  
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Most sessions take place in Room BG5 2.13, whereas some of the sessions are divided between room BG5 2.13 and room BG5 2.12. Each presentation takes a maximum of 20 minutes. This ensures at least 10 minutes for comments from the audience and plenary discussion.

### **MONDAY, JUNE 27**

9.00 Registration

9.30 Welcome by Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart

9.35 Welcome by Brian Burgoon, Research Director PETGOV, University of Amsterdam

#### **9.40 Session 1, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 1) R. Dacey, L. Carlson, Loss Aversion Claims in International Relations
- 2) N. Metternich, J. Wucherpfennig, Institutional Change We Can Believe In: Democratization, Commitment, and Civil War Recurrence

10.40 Break

#### **10.50 Session 2, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 3) M. Vothknecht, C. Muller, Group Violence, Ethnic Diversity, and Citizen Participation: Evidence from Indonesia
- 4) M. Valsecchi, Direct democracy and leaders' selection: Evidence from Indonesia

11.50 Break

**12.00 Session 3, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 5) K. C. Vadlamannati, J. Miklian, K. Hoelscher, Hearts and Mines: A District Level Empirical Analysis of the Maoist Conflict in India
- 6) T. Mc Dougal, Trade Networks and the Combat Frontier: A Comparative Case Study of Naxalite India and Liberia

**13.00 LUNCH**

**14.00 Parallel Session 4**

**Room BG5 2.12**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 7) K. Konrad, Information alliances in contests with budget limits
- 8) P. Sekeris, N. Litina, Growth and Conflict in the Light of Inequality
- 9) Raul Caruso, TBA

**Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Halvard Buhaug, PRIO,**

- 10) J. Carter, Leader Incentives for Conflict Selection and Mobilization
- 11) G. Palmer, C. Morgan, D. Bak, The Consequences of Coercive Diplomacy
- 12) H. Fjelde, D. Nilsson, Rebels Divided: Explaining Rebel Group Fragmentation in Civil War, 1975–2008

15.30 Break

**15.40 Parallel Session 5,**

**Room BG5 2.12**

**Chair: Mansoob Murshed, Institute of Social Studies**

- 13) E. B. Weibust, Relative poverty, political exclusion and oil resources in violent civil conflict
- 14) A. Shortland, The Puntland Pirate Economy
- 15) C. Seiglie, Openness, Terms of Trade and Arms

**Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Glenn Palmer, Penn State University**

- 16) W. Schudel, B. Burgoon, R. Manikkalingam, Promoting Peace and Protecting Rights: Assessing International Attempts to Employ Human Rights for Resolving Civil Conflict

- 17) A. Tollefsen, J. D. Hallberg, H. Buhaug, Rough Rebels and Tough Terrain: A Local Analysis of Inaccessibility and Civil War
- 18) A. Dafoe, First Do No Harm: The Risks of Modeling Temporal Dependence with an Application to the Causes of War

**17.10 End of Day 1**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 28**

**9.00 Session 6, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 19) K. Hinkkainen, Homegrown terrorism; international or domestic, old or new?
- 20) L. Banholzer, R. Haer, Managing Rebels - The Creation of Commitment among Combatants

10.00 Break

**10.10 Session 7, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 21) E. Cavatorta, L. Pieroni, A Competing Risk Model for Health and Food Insecurity in the West Bank
- 22) S. Schutte, Testing McColl: How to Predict Conflict Zones in Civil Wars
- 23) R. Slettebak, I. de Soysa, Disasters and conflict duration

11.40 Break

**11.50 Parallel Session 8,**

**Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Desirée Nilsson, Uppsala University**

- 24) G. Wischnath, Climate Strange and Civil War? Variability of Climate Parameters and Internal Armed Conflict in Asia
- 25) N. von Uexküll, H. Fjelde, Governance, Environmental Stress and Non-state Conflict in Sub-Saharan Africa
- 26) N. Bapat, Terrorism, Democratization, and U.S. Foreign Policy

**Room BG5 2.12**

**Chair: Petros Sekeris, Namur University**

- 27) C. Bozzoli, T. Brück, O. J. de Groot, The Global Economic Costs of Conflict
- 28) V. Bove, J. Brauner, Feeding the Generals? The Effect of Military Regimes on Defence Expenditure
- 29) C. Schippa, Five Year Trends in the Global Peace Index

**13.20 LUNCH**

**14.20 Parallel Session 9**

**Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Anja Shortland, Brunel University**

- 30) T. Ciarli, S. Parto, M. Savona, Entrepreneurship under Conflict in Afghanistan: Determinants and Motivations of Small Business Owners
- 31) M. Murshed, M. Badiuzzaman, J. Cameron, Household Decision-making under Threat of Violence: A Micro Level Study in the Chittagong Hill Tracts of Bangladesh
- 32) G. de Luca, M. Verpoorten, Civil War and Institutions: What can we learn from the Ugandan Case?"

**Room BG5 2.12**

**Chair: Ray Dacey, University of Idaho**

- 33) R. Leenders, Social Science Research and Authoritarianism, An exploration and critique of social science research in Baathist Syria
- 34) R. Wintrobe, Why Did Japan Attack Pearl Harbor?
- 35) C. Ke, K. A. Konrad, F. Morath, Brothers in Arms - An Experiment on the Alliance Puzzle?

15.50 Break

**16.00 Parallel Session 10**

**Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 36) J. Muenster, TBA
- 37) M. Cubel, D. Montolio, Domination and Conflict
- 38) K. Staal, Defense Spending: Ratio or Logistic?

**Room BG5 2.12**

**Chair: Han Dorussen, University of Essex**

- 39) K. Schindler, T. Bruck, The Effects of Conflict on Fertility in Rwanda
- 40) G. Junne, B. Kamphuis, W. Verkoren, Peace-supporting economic policies in post-conflict countries,
- 41) A. C. Díaz Mendoza and J. Gardeazabal, Linguistic Fractionalization and Conflict in the Basque Country

**17.35 Business Meeting, Room BG5 2.13**

**18.00 Reception**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29**

**9.00 Session 11, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: Raul Caruso, Catholic University of the Sacred Heart**

- 42) A. G. Long, S. Bell, A Brighter Future: Civil Conflicts and Military Intervention
- 43) M. Glasius, Constructions of Conflict, Justice and Legitimacy, Political Rhetoric in the Trials of Charles Taylor and Radovan Karadzic
- 44) R. Kuperman, K. Barbieri, Reciprocation in disputes between governments and dissident groups

10.30 Break

**10.40 Session 12, Room BG5 2.13**

**Chair: TBA**

- 45) I. Gizelis, A. Ruggeri, H. Dorussen, UN Peacekeepers Deployment, Conflict Level and Loss of Strength Gradient
- 46) U.H. Pilster, T. Bohemelt, Storm Troopers Draining the Swamps? On the Relationship between Conventional and Unconventional Military Effectiveness
- 47) J. Thomas, What They Are Fighting For: Rebel War Aims and Civil War Conflict Resolution in Africa

**12. 10 Goodbye and End of the Conference**