

The 2004 Annual Meeting Program

Program Chairs

Richard Powell

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NEPSA 2004 PROGRAM

Friday, April 30, 2004

Session One: 8:30 AM to 10 AM

Panel 1-A: Change and Development in Congressional Policymaking

Chair: MaryAnne Borelli, Connecticut College

Papers: Jason Barnosky, Brown University: "Quicker Than You Think: How Policy Monopolies Decline."

Thomas F. Brezenski, St. Thomas University: "The Role of Presidential Power and Cabinet Prestige in the Senate Confirmation Process."

William M. Salka, Eastern Connecticut State University: "Agency Responses to Congressional Committee Evolution."

Discussant: MaryAnne Borelli, Connecticut College

Panel 1-B: State and Local Politicking: Policies, Places, and People

Chair: Kenneth Palmer, University of Maine

Papers: Maurice Cunningham, University of Massachusetts - Boston: "Gay Marriage, Catholics, and ConCons: Church Response to the Massachusetts Gay Marriage Decision."

Francis J. Leazes, Jr. and Mark T. Motte, Rhode Island College: "The Providence Renaissance: Ideas, Opportunities, Projects, and People."

Thomas A. Schmeling, Rhode Island College: "Targeting Justice: Policy Entrepreneurship, Political Backlash, and the New Politics of State Attorney General Races."

Discussants: Steven Corey, Worcester State College

Darryl McMiller, University of Hartford

Panel 1-C: Individuals, Groups and Political Violence

Chair: Walid Phares, Florida Atlantic University

Papers: Dave Brooker, University of Hartford: "Yeltsin and Kravchuk Compared"

Sean L. Yom, Harvard University: "Beyond 'Strategic Logic': On the Explanatory Dynamics of Suicide Terrorism"

Martin Comack: "Workers' Councils in the Iranian Revolution - 1979"

David Mislan, Rutgers University: "Cultural Contention: Alternate Explanations of Taiwanese Defection"

Mila Dragojevi, Northeastern University: "Post Ethnic Conflict Obstacles to Democratization and EU Integration of Croatia"

Discussant: Walid Phares, Florida Atlantic University

Panel 1-D: Nietzsche

Chair: TBA

Papers: Steven Michels: "Nietzsche and the Art of the Aphorism"

Paul Kirkland: "Nobility and Responsibility: Nietzsche's Aims Beyond Good and Evil"

Matthew Voorhees: "Nationalist Anthems: The Case of Nietzsche and Wagner"

Diego Von Vacano "The Art of Power: Machiavelli, Nietzsche, and the Making of Aesthetic Political Theory"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 1-E: Tocqueville and his Legacy

Chair: TBA

Papers: Jack Turner: "Illusory Individualism: Tocqueville on Gender and Race"

Ben Berger, Swarthmore College: "Energy Crisis: Tocqueville on the Perils of Civic Disengagement"

Danilo Petranovich: "Tocqueville, Lincoln, and the Tradition of Democratic Patriotism"

Thomas Noggle, University of Connecticut: "Re-Thinking Associations in Robert Putnam's Work"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 1-F: Contemporary Issues and Theory in IR

Chair: Stacy VanDeveer, University of New Hampshire

Papers: Michael M. Gunter, Jr., Rollins College: "Fighting the War on Terrorism with Sustainable Development"

Dorle Hellmuth, Catholic University: "Smaller Nukes, Bigger Problems"

Vanda Felbabova, MIT: "Drugs, Thugs and Narcs: The Impacts of Illicit Substances on Militarized Conflicts"

Timothy Pershing, Brandeis University: "Transitions from Authoritarian rule and Regime Consolidation: Leaving Democracy Out"

Discussant: Stacy D. VanDeveer, University of New Hampshire

Panel 1-G: The Politics of Regulation: Boston and Beyond

Chair: Marc Landy, Boston College

Papers: David A. Rochefort and Kaitlyn Kenney, Northeastern University: "Renewing the Massachusetts Bottle Bill: Constant Goals, Changing Times"

Alistair Cook, Purdue University: "Green by Design? The Draft European Union Constitution: A future Framework?"

Marc Eisner, Wesleyan University: "Setting Standards for the Global Commons: The Promise and Limitations of Standards-Based Self-Regulation"

Carol Hager, Bryn Mawr College: "The Politics of Sprawl in the U.S. and Britain"

Discussant: Marc Landy, Boston College

Panel 1-H: The Formation of American Judicial Power

Chair: Ken Kersch, Princeton University

Papers: Douglas Edlin, Dartmouth College: "Judicial Review Without a Constitution"

Richard Drew, University of Virginia: "Uncertain Authority: 'Higher Law' and the Legitimate Scope of Judicial Review in the Early Republic"

Jeff Anderson, USAF Academy: "Learning From the Great Council of Revision Debate"

Discussant: Dick Morgan, Bowdoin College

Session Two: 10:15 AM to 11:45 AM

Panel 2-A: Author Meets Critics: James Morone's Hellfire Nation

Chair: Sidney Milkis

Discussants: Heidi J. Swarts, Syracuse University

Mark Hulliung, Brandeis University

Wilson Carey McWilliams, Rutgers University

Author: James Morone, Brown University

Panel 2-B: Elections in the United States: Realignments and Rules of the Game

Chair: Joseph Romance, Drew University

Papers: Matthew Glassman, Yale University: "What's a Soldier To Do? Military Candidates and the Institutional Development of the Presidential Nomination and Election System"

James P. Melcher, University of Maine - Farmington: "Electing to Reform: Maine and the District Plan for Selection of Presidential Electors"

Garrison Nelson, University of Vermont: "Realigning Elections in New England, 1836-2000"

Discussant: J. Mark Wrighton, University of New Hampshire

Panel 2-C: Judicial Power and the Rule of Law in America

Chair: Caren Dubnoff, College of the Holy Cross

Papers: Lynda Dodd, Princeton University: "The Rule of Law in American Constitutional Theory and Practice"

Joseph Prud'homme, Princeton University: "The Importance of Courts in Contemporary Political Thought: A Defense of the Federalist Vision of Society"

Laura Hatcher, Brown University: "Constructing Legal Ideology: The Role of Academic Safe Havens in Doctrinal Development"

Discussant: Susan Lawrence, Rutgers University

Panel 2-D: Political Judgment

Chair: Tamsin Shah, Princeton University

Papers: Annie Stilz, Harvard University: "Shaftesbury and the Origin of Moral Sentiment"

Sharon Krause, Harvard University: "Hume on Judgment and Moral Feeling"

Bryan Garsten, Williams College: "Judgment and Reason in Kantian Thought"

Discussant: Joshua Foa Dienstag, University of Virginia

Panel 2-E: Rousseau

Chair: Joseph Reiser, Colby College

Papers: Dennis Rasmussen: "Adam Smith and the Rousseauian Critique of Commercial Society."

Josh Karant: "A Claim of Innocence: Assessing the Role of Guilt in the Works of Rousseau"

Micah Watson: "Making Men Civil: Rousseau and the Theologico-Political Problem."

Discussant: Joseph Reiser, Colby College

Panel 2-F: State Building and Institutional Legitimacy

Chair: Paola Cerarini, Columbia University

Papers: Maja Catic, Brandeis University: "Supranational State-Building: Towards an Analytical Framework"

Mark Zachary Taylor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology: "Political Institutions & Long-Run Technological Progress: The Case of Decentralization"

Petra Polaskova, Northeastern University: "Civil-military Relations in Peace-keeping/Peace-building Situations"

Amy L. Freedman, Franklin and Marshall College: "The SARS Crisis and Challenges to Regime Legitimacy in China"

Discussant: Paola Cerarini, Columbia University

Panel 2-G: Party Politics in Canada

Chair: George Sulzner, University of Massachusetts

Papers: Stephanie Mullen, Carleton University: "From Birth to Death: An Analysis of Voters' Attitudes Towards a Third Party"

James Allan, University of Connecticut, and Richard Vengroff, University of Connecticut: "Electoral Reform in the Canadian Provinces"

Howard Cody, University of Maine: "Canada's New Democrats, the 2004 Election, and the Future"

Discussant: Paul Petterson, Central Connecticut State University

Panel 2-H: Pushing IR Theory Forward

Chair: TBA

Papers: Joseph Young and Brian Urlacher, University of Connecticut: "Cantankerous Cooperation: Democracies, Authoritarian Regimes and the Prisoners Dilemma,"

Sean L. Yom, Harvard University: "Beyond 'Strategic Logic': The Explanatory Logic of Suicide Terrorism"

Eric Honda, California State University - Sacramento: "Paradigm Shift: An Essay on realism, Reality and the Future of IR"

D.E. Staveley, SUNY - Brockport: "Learning from IR Simulations"

Discussant: TBA

LUNCH: 12:15 PM to 1:45 PM

Session Three: 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Panel 3-A: Roundtable: The Presidential Primaries of 2004

Chair: Dante Scala, St. Anselm College

Participants: Rhodes Cook, Independent Scholar

William G. Mayer, Northeastern University

Andrew E. Smith, The Survey Center

Constantine J. Spiliotes, St. Anselm College

J. Mark Wrighton, University of New Hampshire

Panel 3-B: Author Meets Critics: Laura Jensen's Patriots, Settlers, and the Origins of American Social Policy

Chair: Judith A. Layzer, MIT

Discussants: James Morone, Brown University

Eileen McDonagh, Northeastern University

Deborah Stone, Dartmouth College

Mark Graber, University of Maryland

Author: Laura Jensen, University of Massachusetts

Panel 3-C: The Judiciary and Politics in Liberal Democracy

Chair: Laura Hatcher, Brown University

Papers: Gemma Sala, Yale University: "The Judicialization of Federalism: The Impact of the Spanish Constitutional Court on Federal Conflict"

Rachel Cremona, SUNY Binghamton: "Judicious Representation: Democratic High Courts and the Reinforcement of Majority Will"

Christopher Roberts, SUNY Albany: "The Autonomy of American Indian Nations and Constitutional Construction"

Discussant: Beau Breslin, Skidmore College

Panel 3-D: Liberalism and the Civic Uses of Faith

Chair: TBA

Papers: Denise Dutton, Southwest Missouri State University: "Redeeming the Religion of Man in a Disillusioned Age: The Relevance of Rousseau's Civil Religion and Emerson's Democratic Faith"

John Holzwarth, Princeton University: "Between Truth and Happiness: The Quasi-Religious Faith of John Stuart Mill"

Margaret Mott, Marlboro College: "Democracy and the Soul: Emerson, Locke, and Internal Matters"

Discussant: TBA

### Panel 3-E: Political Terrorism in the Contemporary World

Chair: William J. Crotty, Northeastern University

Papers: James Roberts, University of Southern Maine: "Islamic Thought and Democratic Development"

David Schmitt, Northeastern University: "Political Terrorism in Northern Ireland: Experimenting with the Peace Process,"

William Crotty, Northeastern University: "Political Terrorism: Consequences and Costs,"

L. Christopher Reardon, University of New Hampshire: "Controlling Terrorism: The Chinese Approach"

Discussants: Dan Krislov, University of New Hampshire

Liubomir Topaloff, Northeastern University

### Panel 3-F: Political Participation, Representation and Gender

Chair: Clifford Wirth, University of New Hampshire

Papers: Richard Vengroff and Zsolt Nyiri, University of Connecticut: "Democratization and the Gender Gap: The Case of Local Councilors in Eastern and Central Europe"

Stacey Hunt, Rutgers University: "The Significance of the Quota Law for Women's Political Participation in Colombia"

Farida Jalalzai, University at Buffalo: "Women Leaders in Comparative Perspective"

Magda Hinojosa, Harvard University: "Selecting Women, Electing Women: Candidate Selection Processes and Women's

Discussant: Clifford Wirth, University of New Hampshire

### Panel 3-G: Roundtable on Contemporary European Politics and Transatlantic Relations

Participants: Stacy D. VanDeveer, University of New Hampshire

Aline Kuntz, University of New Hampshire

Thomas B. Trout, University of New Hampshire

Lionel Ingram, University of New Hampshire

Session Four: 3:45 PM to 5:15 PM

Panel 4-A: Public Opinion: Causes, Characterizations, and Consequences

Chair: William G. Mayer, Northeastern University

Papers: Rodney Christy, Fitchburg State College: "State Ideology and Policy Linkage: A Vermont Case Study"

Amy Fried, University of Maine - Orono: "Characterizations of Public Opinion in Iraq War News"

Tom Noggle, University of Connecticut: "The Effects of Political Trust on Partisanship"

Kenneth L. Strickland, Ohio State University, "Local Level Cues and National Level Generalizations: A Communally-tropic Model of Economic Voting"

Discussants: William G. Mayer, Northeastern University

Constantine J. Spiliotes, St. Anselm College

Panel 4-B: Voting Behavior in the United States: Theory and Institutions

Chair: Andrew E. Smith, The Survey Center

Papers: Alec C. Ewald, University of Massachusetts - Amherst: "Suffrage Reform, Election Administration, and the Local Constitution of Popular Sovereignty in the United States"

Howard Gold, Smith College: "Sources of Third Party Voting in the 2000 Election"

David Konisky and Steve Ansolabehere, MIT: "The Introduction of Voter Registration and its Effect on Turnout"

Marc D. Weiner, Rutgers University: "Rescuing the American Voter from The American Voter: Theoretical Implications of Voting Studies' Normal Science"

Discussants: John C. Berg, Suffolk University

Andrew E. Smith, The Survey Center

Panel 4-C: Aspects of the Separation of Powers: Implications for American Governance

Chair: Mark D. Brewer, Colby College

Papers: R. Eric Petersen, Congressional Research Service: "Agreement, Disagreement, and Getting Things Done: Two Cases of Conflict and Cooperation Between the Speaker of the House and the President of the United States"

Brian White, Booz Allen Hamilton: "The Meaning of Presidential Experience: Evaluating Electoral Experience and Governance"

Morton J. Frisch, Northern Illinois University: "The Significance of the Pacificus-Helvidius Debates: Toward the

Completion of the American Founding"

Discussant: James P. Melcher, University of Maine at Farmington

Panel 4-D: Author Meets Critics: Randy Barnett's Restoring the Lost Constitution

Chair: Joseph Reisert, Colby College

Participants: Mark Graber, University of Maryland

Jacob Levy, University of Chicago

Paul Carrese, USAF Academy

Author: Randy Barnett, Boston University School of Law

Panel 4-E: US Foreign Policy and Historical Perspectives

Chair: Alynna Lyon, University of New Hampshire

Papers: Paul Smith and Alynna Lyon, University of New Hampshire: "Relationships Between the Secretaries General and the US: Friends or Foes?"

Paul Hill, University of Texas - Austin: "Changing the Guard: Partisan Ownership of US Foreign Policy in Historical Perspective"

Thomas Redden, Southern Vermont University: "Is the US an Empire Today?"

Y. Hugh Jo, SUNY, Albany: "Cold War US Foreign Policy: European and Third World Differences"

Discussant: Alynna Lyon, University of New Hampshire

Panel 4-F: Institutional Development and Governance in Transitional Regimes

Chair: Mary Francis Malone, University of New Hampshire

Papers: Khalid Al-Yahya, University of Connecticut: "Empowerment and Human Capital Utilization in Public Sector Institutions: The Middle East in Comparative Perspective"

José Gpe. Vargas Hernández, Universidad de Guadalajara: "The Dilemma of Governance in Latin America"

Rebecca Aubrey, University of Connecticut: "Democratization in Latin America: What do we know, and where to from here?"

Timothy J. Pershing, Brandeis University: "Transitions from Authoritarian Rule and Regime Consolidation: Leaving Democracy Out"

Nicholas Toloudis, Columbia University: "Timing, Sequence, and Category Work: Teaching Identities in France, 1789-1852"

Discussant: Mary Francis Malone, University of New Hampshire

Panel 4-G: Politics of Rent Control

Chair: TBA

Papers: Lester P. Lee, Jr., Northeastern University: "Race, Ethnicity, and Class in the Rent Control Narrative: Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1970-1995"

Duncan Kennedy, Harvard Law School: "New Model Rent Control as an Anti-Gentrification Device, ca. 1965-1990"

Michael Turk, Fitchburg State College: "Historical Proof and the Politics of Rent Control"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 4-H: Roundtable: Canada's New Prime Minister and United States-Canada Relations

Chair: Larissa Blavatska, Canadian Consulate General, Boston

Participants: Howard Cody, University of Maine

Martin Lubin, State University of New York at Plattsburgh

George Sulzner, University of Massachusetts

James T. McHugh, Roosevelt University

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Saturday, May 1

Session Five: 8:30 AM to 10 AM

Panel 5-A: Recent Developments in U.S. Electoral Competition

Chair: Marc D. Weiner, Rutgers University

Papers: John C. Berg, Suffolk University: "The Revival (or Survival) of Party Politics"

James E. Campbell, Chad A. Hankinson, and Walter E. Koch, SUNY - Buffalo: "Surge and Decline in an Era of Compressed Seat Change"

Chris Latimer and Heather Trela, SUNY - Albany: "Negative Campaigning on the Internet"

Discussant: Thomas F. Brezenski, St. Thomas University

Panel 5-B: Statesmanship and Republican Government

Chair: Marc Landy, Boston College

Papers: Joseph Romance, Drew University: "Assuming Power: The Two Johnsons"

Erik Dempsey, Boston College: "General Sherman on War and Regime"

Jeffrey Becker, University of California at Davis: "The Post-FDR Presidencies: The Triumph of Ambition and the Collapse of Statesmanship"

Discussants: Garrison Nelson, University of Vermont

Wilson Carey McWilliams, Rutgers University

Panel 5-C: Contemporary Issues in American Law and Judging

Chair: Lori Johnson, Wellesley College

Papers: Eileen McDonagh, Northeastern University: "Sex Discrimination and Sports: Title IX vs. the Equal Protection Clause"

Jowei Chen, Yale University: "Conformity Voting in the Supreme Court's Certiorari Process"

Discussant: Fred Lewis, University of Massachusetts - Lowell

Panel 5-D: Roundtable on Thomas Pangle's Political Philosophy and The God of Abraham

Chair: Daniel J. Mahoney, Assumption College

Participants: Bob Bartlett, Emory College

Susan Shell, Boston College

Ralph Hancock, Brigham Young University

Paul Seaton, Fordham University

#### Panel 5-E: Challenges for Liberal Regimes

Chair: TBA

Papers: Jacob Levy, University of Chicago: "Beyond Publius: The Debate Over Republics In Large States"

Lucas Swaine, Dartmouth College: "Engaging Conscience: The Appeal of Liberalism"

Matt Holland: "Christian Love and the Foundations of American Politics: Winthrop, Jefferson and Lincoln"

Bill Curtis: "Value Pluralism in Contemporary Liberal Theory"

Discussant: TBA

#### Panel 5-F: Looking Left and Right in European Politics

Chair: Jason Sorens, Yale University

Papers: Dana Brown and David Art, MIT: "The Far Right in Eastern Europe: Explaining Success and Failure"

Jason Sorens, Yale University: "Explaining Regional Ideological Differences"

Stephen Nelson, Cornell University: "Standing in the Way? Bureaucrats, Organized Labor, and the Politics of Welfare State Retrenchment in Norway and Sweden"

Julia R. Azari, Yale University: "Ideology and Protest: Extreme Right Party Success in Comparative Perspective"

Jennifer Fitzgerald, Brown University: "Socialization and the Micro-Macro Divide in Comparative Politics"

Discussant: Jason Sorens, Yale University

#### Panel 5-G: Public Policy and Political Engagement

Chair: TBA

Papers: Doreen Stern, University of Pennsylvania: "How does the Student Voices Program Affect the Political Participation of Teens?"

Kim Mealy, Wellesley College: "Framing Faith-Based Initiatives"

Ronald "Eric" Matthews, Jr., and Nisha Harinath, Kent State University: "Marginalized Religious Voices"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 5-H: Roundtable on New England Politics

CHAIR: Paul Petterson, Central Connecticut State University

CONNECTICUT: Clyde McKee and Stefanie Chambers, Trinity College

MAINE: Howard Cody, University of Maine

MASSACHUSETTS: Jerold Duquette, Central Connecticut State University

NEW HAMPSHIRE: Michelle Fistek, Plymouth State College

RHODE ISLAND: Maureen Moakley, University of Rhode Island

VERMONT: Paul Petterson, Central Connecticut State University

Session Six: 10:15 AM to 11:45 AM

Panel 6-A: The 108th Congress and the 2004 Elections

Chair: Diana Evans, Trinity College

Participants: David R. Mayhew, Yale University

Matthew Moen, University of South Dakota

Garrison Nelson, University of Vermont

Panel 6-B: Outgroups and the American Polity

Chair: James Morone, Brown University

Papers: Alison D. Dagnes, Shippensburg University, and M. Beth Jones, Gonzaga University: "Taking the 'Fun' Out of Fundamental: Religious Fundamentalism and American Politics a Century Apart"

Jessica Blatt, The New School University: "Racial Thought in Early Twentieth-Century Political Science: Bryce and Wilson's Racialized Theories of American Political Development"

Darrel W. Driver, United States Military Academy, and Helen E. McGuire, Saint Thomas Aquinas College: "The Construction of Citizenship in Early American Fiction"

Discussant: James Morone, Brown University

Panel 6-C: Marriage, the Right of Privacy, and State and Federal Courts

Chair: Shep Melnick, Boston College

Papers: Adrienne Fulco and David Machacek, Trinity College: "The 28th Amendment"

Frank Colucci, Purdue University Calumet: "From Privacy to Liberty: Justice Kennedy's Interpretive Turn in Lawrence v. Texas"

Discussants: Murray Dry, Middlebury College

Shep Melnick, Boston College

Panel 6-D: Pluralism and Liberalism

Chair: TBA

Papers: Ari Kohen: "The Idea of Secular Sacredness: Ronald Dworkin and the Problem of Intrinsic Value"

Ori Lev: "The Arts: Are They Essential for Nurturing and Reinforcing Liberal Virtues and Attitudes?"

Paul Cook: "Tolerance and Equality: Can Liberalism Create a Viable Political Climate for Same-Sex Marriage?"

Anthony Dell'Aera: "God and Mensch at Yale: Civic Education and the Paradox of Pluralism in American Universities"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 6-E: Plato and Socrates

Chair: TBA

Papers: Patrick Deneen, Princeton University: "'Minding Your Own Business': The Division of Labor in Plato's Republic"

Mark Kremer: "The Trial of Socrates in Plato and Xenophon"

Norma Thompson, Yale University: "Defining Oneself Through Combat: Philosophical Battles in the Protagoras."

Russ Swartout: "Socrates on Individualism and Citizenship"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 6-F: US Interventionism and Its Discontents

Chair: Lionel Ingram, University of New Hampshire

Papers: Itir Toksoz, Northeastern University: "Turkish-American Alliance Before and After Iraq: Where Do We Go from Here?"

Greg DeNezzo: "Operation Just Cause"

Scott Erb, University of Maine - Farmington: "German Foreign Policy at a Crossroads: Atlanticism or Neo-Gaulism?"

Erol Pedersonh, SUNY, Albany: "US Foreign Policy and Extremism in the Middle East"

Discussant: Lionel Ingram, University of New Hampshire

Panel 6-G: Public Policy Controversies in Canada

Chair: David Schmitt, Northeastern University

Papers: Walter S. Soderland, University of Windsor: "Rediscovering Social Responsibility in the Era of Convergence: A Model for the Behavior of Canada's Media Barons"

Melissa Haussman, Suffolk University: "Gendering Health Care Reform: Responses to Romanow Commission Proposals"

Bryan Baldwin, University of Massachusetts: "The Throne Speech in Canada: A Hollow Performance or a Catalyst for Discourse?"

Discussant: Martin Lubin, State University of New York at Plattsburgh

Panel 6-H: Author Meets Critics: Sotirios Barber's Welfare and the Constitution

Participants: Donald Brand

David Schaefer, College of the Holy Cross

Deborah Stone, Dartmouth College

Author: Sotirios Barber

Lunch: 12:15 PM to 1:45 PM

Session Seven: 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Panel 7-A: Race and Gender

Chair: Jilda Aliotta, University of Hartford

Papers: Pearson Cross, University of Louisiana - Monroe: "Social Ties, Dissimilarity, and Heterogeneity: Explaining Racial Voting in the New South."

Kathleen P. Iannello, Gettysburg College: "The Political is Personal: Third-Wave Feminist Perspectives on Power"

Marketa Valkova, Brandeis University: "African-American Leadership and The Case of Contemporary African Slavery: Interest Groups and Black Churches Compared"

Jessica Wintringham, Syracuse University, "Gender Gaps and Gender Parity in Political Participation"

Discussant: Jilda Aliotta, University of Hartford

Cyril Ghosh, Syracuse University

Panel 7-B: Theory and Progress in the Study of Politics and History

Chair: TBA

Papers: Brian J. Glenn, Harvard University, "The Two Schools of American Political Development"

Richard R. Weiner, Rhode Island College: "Traces of the Stillborn? The Governance of the Rule of Social Law"

Eduardo J. Gomez, Brown University: "On the Origins of Social Policy in America"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 7-C: Arendt, Foucault, and Critical Views on Politics

Chair: TBA

Papers: Diana Judd: "A Language of Power: Is Natural Science a Form of Western Oppression?"

Alice Ristroph: "Are There Any Other Means? Violence as All, or None, of Politics"

Steven Maloney: "Biography and Meaning in Arendt's Public Sphere"

Discussant: TBA

Panel 7-D: The Use and Abuse of Roman History: Ancient Sources of Modern Republicanism

Chair: Dennis Bathory, Rutgers University

Dennis Bathory: "The Augustinian Moment: St. Augustine and Machiavelli on the Roman Republic"

Alexandra Hoerl: "Friends, Romans, Countrywomen? Rome and Republican Womanhood in Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century America"

Nicole Hablenko: "Speaking of Doing: The Activity of Roman Speech Making"

Discussants: Jean Yarbrough, Bowdoin College

Wilson Carey McWilliams, Rutgers University

Panel 7-E: International Organizations: Research, Theory and Practice

Chair: Michael Gunter, Rollins College

Papers: Ian Ross Bolton, University of Connecticut: "Condemned to the Dustbin? Comparative Analysis of Negotiations at Two EU Summits"

Kevin Buterbaugh, Southern Connecticut State University: "Writing and Rhetoric: Brief Writing and Oral Arguments in the WTO"

Maja Catic, Brandeis University: "Supranational State-Building: Towards an Analytical Framework"

Asif Efrat, Harvard University: "Protecting Minority Rights: When Will International Organizations Intervene?"

Discussant: Michael Gunter, Rollins College

Panel 7-F: Democracy and Development

Chair: Paul Manuel, Saint Anselm College

Papers: Eric Honda, California State University - Sacramento: "Democratizing Ethnic Conflict? Analyzing the Third Wave in the Context of The Clash of Civilizations"

Paola Cesarini, Columbia University: "Not All Paths Lead to Rome: Historical Trajectories of Post-Authoritarian Justice and their Impact on Democratic Quality"

Rachel Ellett, Northeastern University: "Defining and Measuring Democracy in the European Union and African Union"

Rieko Kage, Harvard University: "Democracy, Major Wars and Civic Engagement"

Discussant: Paul Manuel, Saint Anselm College

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