

Conference on Criminal Governance in Comparative Perspective

Barnard College
February 16-17, 2018

Friday, February 16, 2018 - Sulzberger Parlor, Barnard Hall

8:30am-9:00am

Breakfast

9:05am-9:15am

Welcoming Remarks, Provost Linda Bell, Barnard College

9:15am-9:25am

Conference Rationale and Objectives

Eduardo Moncada, Barnard College

9:25am-11:00am

- Panel 1: Criminal Groups and Governance: Concepts, Measurements and Maps

Chair: Eduardo Moncada, Barnard College

Organised Crime in the UK: Illegal Governance of Markets and Communities

Federico Varese, University of Oxford

The Structuring of Criminal Activities: A Case Study

Claudio Beato, Federal University of Minas Gerais

Discussants

Angelica Duran Martinez, University of Massachusetts-Lowell

Paul Lagunes, Columbia University

Q&A

11:00am-11:15am

Coffee and Tea

11:15am-12:45pm

- Panel 2: Relations between Criminal Groups and States

Chair: Gustavo Flores-Macías, Cornell University

'We Are the Kind of People that Work Within the State'

The Gangs of Lyari (Karachi): From Dirty Party Work to Public Authority

Laurent Gayer, Sciences Po

Hidden Orders: The Cooperative Logic of Smugglers and Border Agents

Diana Kim, Georgetown University

Yuhki Tajima, Georgetown University

Discussants

Duncan McCargo, Columbia University

Nicholas Rush Smith, City College of New York

Q&A

12:45pm-2:00pm

Lunch for all conference participants: *James Room, Barnard Hall.*

2:00pm-3:30pm

- Panel 3: Competition and Cooperation among Criminal Groups

Chair: Laurent Gayer, Sciences Po

Turf War or Truce: Balance of Power, Information Asymmetries, and Bargaining Among Criminal Groups
Sarah Daly, University of Notre Dame

Living in Fear: The Dynamics of Extortion in Mexico's Drug War
Beatriz Magaloni, Stanford University

Discussants

Jeffrey Fagan, Columbia University
Rodrigo Soares, Columbia University

Q&A

3:30pm-5:00pm

- Panel 4: Drivers and Dynamics of Criminal Governance

Chair: Diana Kim, Georgetown University

Gangs and Governance in Russia: The Paradox of Law and Lawlessness
Svetlana Stephenson, London Metropolitan University

State Capacity and the Prevention of Rebel and Criminal Governance: The Centrality of Dispute Resolution Institutions
Ana Arjona, Northwestern University

Discussants

Janice Gallagher, Rutgers University-Newark
Oscar Pocasangre, Columbia University

Q&A

5:00pm-5:15pm

Coffee and Tea

5:15pm-6:15pm

Keynote Address

Chair: Eduardo Moncada, Barnard College

Homicidal Ecologies: Reflections on Weak States and the Illicit (in Latin America)
Deborah Yashar, Princeton University

Q&A

7:00pm

Dinner for Conference Speakers and Discussants: *Pisticci* (125 La Salle Street, NYC)

Saturday, February 17, 2018 - Sulzberger Parlor, Barnard Hall

8:30am-9:00am

Breakfast

9:00am-10:30am

- Panel 5: Unpacking Criminal Taxation

Chair: Sarah Daly, University of Notre Dame

The "Union": Criminal Violence, Money and the Government of Transport in Nigeria

Laurent Fourchard, Sciences Po

Resisting Protection: Resistance and Criminal Rackets in Latin America

Eduardo Moncada, Barnard College

Discussants

Juan Pablo Luna, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile

Zachariah Mampilly, Vassar College

Q&A

10:30am-12:00pm

- Panel 6: Consequences of Crime and Criminal Governance

Chair: Angelica Duran Martinez, University of Massachusetts-Lowell

Criminal Organizations and the Policymaking Process

Enrique Desmond Arias, Baruch College

The Militarization of Law Enforcement in Latin America

Gustavo Flores-Macías, Cornell University

Discussants:

Pablo Piccato, Columbia University

Christopher Sabatini, Columbia University

Q&A

12:00pm-12:40pm

Closing Roundtable and Remarks

12:40pm

Lunch for all conference participants.