

Contested Terrains of Globalization Conference

University of California, Irvine, May 17-20, 2007

Thursday



Registration Opens

12:00PM

Location: Social Science Lower Plaza (outside)



Workshops

2:00PM – 3:45PM

1: Social Theory and the State

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 122

Chair: Jared Olesen

Brian Milstein, New School for Social Research

The Crisis of External Sovereignty

Osman Sahin, KOC University, Istanbul

Governance, Legitimacy and Habermas' Public Sphere

Cameron Weber, New School for Social Research

A Critique of International Development Based on the Institutional Analysis of Thorstein Veblen

2: Global Culture

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 129

Chair: Michael Shane Boyle

Pritika Chowdhry, University of Wisconsin

Transdiasporic Art Practices: A Curatorial Framework

Shannon Hayes, University of California, Davis

When in doubt, persecute Bloom?: Ulysses, History and the Mythic Celtic Tiger

Tony Kashani, College of San Mateo

Dissident Cinema in Hollywood

Veda Ward, California State University, Northridge

Tourism, traditions, and trafficking: Selling it like it is!

3: Terror and Security

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 159

Chair: TBA

John Collins, St. Lawrence University, New York

Terrorism, Settler-Colonialism, and the Suicidal State

Nikos Guskos, California State University, Fullerton

The Effect of Prison on Patriotism: Could Correctional Inmates Be the Next Domestic Terrorists?

Colin Moore, University of California, Irvine

Designing Global Security Studies

4: Challenges in Asia and the Pacific

Location: Social Science Plaza Building B (SSPB) 4250

Chair: Mousumi Mukherjee

Tripta Desai, Northern Kentucky University
India's Self-Employed Women's Association

Ganesh Trichur, St. Lawrence University, New York
Internal Migration and East Asian Resurgence

Maria Ines Tuante, Philippines
Iligan City and the Tri-People's Response to Globalization

Magdalene Kong, National University of Singapore
Globalization and Labor Migration: A Look at Thai Construction Workers in Singapore

Michael Lujan Bevacqua, University of California, San Diego
The Materiality and Fantasy of Empire: The Case of Guam

5: The World Social Forum, Personal Reflections

Location: Social Science Trailers (SSTR) 101

Chair: Lauren Langman

Lauren Langman, Loyola, Chicago

Scott Byrd, University of California, Irvine

Chris Chase-Dunn, University of California, Riverside

Jackie Smith, Notre Dame, Indiana

Opening Keynote Panel: "Islam and the Middle East" 4:00PM – 5:30PM

Location: Cross-Cultural Center

Mark Jurgensmeyer, University of California, Santa Barbara

Mark Levine, University of California, Irvine
Casa Punks, London Jihadis, Peshawar Metalheads, and other Strange Tales from the Brave New World

Dinner 5:30PM – 7:00PM

Film Screening: Maquilapolis 7:00PM – 9:00PM

Location: Engineering Lecture Hall 100

Friday

Registration & Coffee 8:30AM – 9:00AM

Location: Social Science Plaza (outside)

Keynote Panel: "The Global Era" 9:00AM – 10:30AM

Location: Cross-Cultural Center

Chair: David Smith

Christopher Chase-Dunn, University of California, Riverside
The World Revolution of the 20th Century

Martin Hart-Landsberg, Lewis and Clark College, Portland
China and the Dynamics of Transnational Accumulation

Jan Nederveen-Pieterse, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign
Globalization, the Next Phase

1: State Terror and Human Rights**Location:** Social Ecology Building 2 (SE2) 1306**Chair:** Ligaya McGovern

Ligaya McGovern, Indiana University

Globalization and the Politics of Human Rights Violations and Suppression in the Philippines: The People's Response

Katherine Mack, University of California, Irvine

Transnational Truth-telling: Rethinking Comparative Analyses of Truth Commissions

Julie Shackford-Bradley, California State University, Monterey Bay

Torture and Space

Margaretta Swigert-Gacheru, Loyola University, Chicago

*Mothering an International Peace Movement***2: Globalization and Oppositional Movements****Location:** Social Science Plaza Building B (SSPB) 4250**Chair:** William Pelz

William Pelz, Elgin Community College, Illinois

The International Left Struggles with Global Neo-liberalism: Problems, Approaches and Possibilities

Kazem Alamdari, California State University, Los Angeles

Global Civil Society Movements, A Sociological Analysis of the World Social Forum

Ozge Aytulun, KOC University, Istanbul

The Rise of the Left in Latin America as a Response to Neo-liberal Globalization

John Foran, University of California, Santa Barbara

*New Political Cultures of Opposition: What Future for Revolutions in the Age of Globalization?***3: Global Economic Convergence****Location:** Social Science Lab (SSL) 155**Chair:** Nake Kamrany

Gary Dymski, University of California Center, Sacramento

The Globalization of Financial Exploitation

Nake Kamrany and Georgi Vassilev, University of Southern California

Prospects of Global Convergence of Per Capita

Evelina Mengova, California State University, Fullerton

The Impact of Legal Systems on Trade Flows in Western and Eastern Europe – An Empirical Evaluation in a Gravity Model Framework

Ingo Schmidt, University of Northern British Columbia, Canada

*From Model Deutschland to the European (Social) Model – Maintaining Social Standards Through World-Market Integration?***4: Media Production and Reception: From Regional Governance to Globalization –****Location:** Social Science Plaza Building B (SSPB) 2214**Chair:** Leo Chavez

John Caldwell, University of California, Los Angeles

Film/TV's Critical Labor: Negotiating and Rationalizing Outsourcing

Sylvia Martin, University of California, Irvine

The Demise of the "Dragon Tiger Fighter" and the Rise of the "White Dragon Knight": A Political Economy of Performance and Media

Toby Miller, University of California, Riverside

Global Hollywood 2010

5: Contrasting Projects of National Development

Location: Social Science Plaza Building B (SSPB) 2296

Chair: Carl Davidson

Taylan Coban, KOC University, Istanbul

Rethinking Europeanization and Globalization in Construction of Foreign Policy: The Cases of Greek-Turkish Relations

Michael Conniff, Anne Fountain, San Jose State University

A Tale of Two Cities: Life Under Post-USSR Communist Societies, Havana and Saigon

Mark Hanson, University of California, Riverside

Globalization, Knowledge Transfer and National Development: The Contrasting Cases of South Korea and Mexico

 **Lunch** **12:30PM – 1:45PM**

 **Student GSA Meeting** **12:30PM – 1:45PM**
Meet at Social Science Upper Plaza Fountain

 **Roundtable on Immigration** **12:45PM – 1:45PM**
Location: TBA

 **One Hour/One Speaker** **1:45PM – 2:45PM**

Session A: Carl Davidson, Networking for Democracy, Chicago

Building Economic Solidarity Through Markets

Location: Social Ecology Building 2 (SE2) 1304


Chair: TBA

Session B: Michael Mann

World systems theory, hegemony and question of US decline

Location: Berkeley Place 1101

Chair: Ryan Pearce

 **Workshops** **3:00PM – 4:30PM**

1: Neoliberalism and Imperialism

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 105

Chair: Mel Rothenberg

Mel Rothenberg, University of Chicago

Financial Instability in Contemporary Neoliberalism

Martin Hart-Landsberg, Lewis and Clark College

Neo-liberalism: Myths and Reality

Mehren Larudee, DePaul University, Chicago

How to Get Rich; Why It Matters

2: Agency and Human Rights

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 117

Chair: Kathie Schellenberg

David Apter, Yale University

Globalization and the Politics of Negative Pluralism

Titus Chen, University of California, Irvine

Engaging China's Legal-judicial Reform in the Era of Globalization

Marek Hrubec, Centre of Global Studies, Prague

Unrecognized Rights-Agents, Misrecognized Rights-Holders: Social Justice in the Transcultural Context

Bruce Kochis, University of Washington

Defining Human Rights from the Bottom Up

3: Globalization in the Classroom

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 122

Chair: Mousumi Mukherjee

Mousumi Mukherjee, Loyola University, Chicago

Language Teachers as Agents of Social Change in the Global Classroom

Marilyn Gottschall and Joyce Kaufman, Whittier College

Introduction to Globalization: An Interdisciplinary Effort

Paul Mocombe, Florida Atlantic University

The Correlation between Black English Vernacular and Achievement

Jason Sparks and Nicole Lamers, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

What in the World is Global Studies?

4: Global Lifestyles and Identity

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 129

Chair: William Pelz

Milan Kreuzzieger, Centre of Global Studies, Prague

The Cross-cultural Turn and the Shaping of Cosmopolitan Identity

Jia Sun, Texas A&M

Change in Lifestyle via Global Connections

Meltem Yilmaz Sener, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

An Inquiry into the Meaning of Cosmopolitanism in the Third World

5: The Borderlands

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 206

Chair: Wai Choi

Gregory Morales, California State University, San Diego

Creating a Condition of Latino Slavery in the United States

Sandra Pucci, University of Wisconsin

Spanish Language Literacy in Two Urban Transnational Communities in the US

Michael Shane Boyle, University of California, Berkeley

Border Practices: Performance, Activism and (mis)Representation in Ciudad Juarez

Reception UI – Hors d'oeuvres & Wine Bar

Location: Cross-Cultural Center

4:30PM – 6:00PM

Keynote Speaker

Location: Social Science Plaza Building 100 Lecture Hall

6:00PM – 7:30PM

Jesse Diaz, The Struggle for Immigrant Rights

Saturday

Coffee

8:30AM – 9:00AM

One Hour/One Speaker

9:00AM – 10:00AM

Session A: Jonathan Nitzan, York University, Canada
Capitalization: Quantity and Quality of Capitalist Power
Location: Humanities Hall (HH) 262
Chair: TBA

Session B: Jan Nederveen Pieterse, University of Illinois
Ethnicities and Global Multiculture
Location: Humanities Hall (HH) 178
Chair: TBA

Session C: Jackie Smith, University of Notre Dame, Indiana
Scholar-Activism in the Contemporary Global Era
Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 140
Chair: Scott Byrd

Workshops

10:15AM – 12:00PM

1: Global Networks

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 105

Chair: Dave Smith

Dave Smith, University of California, Irvine

Global networks and Global Political Economy: What Have We Learned? What are the Outstanding Issues

Rob Clark, Indiana University

Explaining the Global Reduction in Child Labor: Integration in Trade and Organizational Networks, 1980-2000

Kirk Lawrence, University of California, Riverside

Opportunities for War: Disintegrating Global Elite Networks, 1840-1914

Matthew Mahutga, University of California, Irvine

Power and Position in Global Commodity Chains: Towards a Theory of Winners and Losers in the Global Economy

2: Social Movements: Contesting Empire

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 117

Chair: Lauren Langman

Merlyna Lim, Arizona State University

Link Local Blog Global: The Multi-Colored Spheres of Muslim Blog-world

Rita Padawangi, Loyola University, Chicago

The Enchantment of a Secondary City in the Global World: The Transformation of Bogor's Public Spaces During George W. Bush 2006 Visit to Indonesia

Francis Shor, Wayne State University, Michigan

Contesting the New American Century

Mark Schuller, University of California, Santa Barbara

Gluing Globalization: Southern NGOs as Intermediaries in Haiti

3: The Rise of Mexican/Latino Transnational and Economical Migration/Immigration to North America: The Political, Social and Cultural Effects on Modern Globalization

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 119

Chair: Jose Moreno

Jose Moreno, Oxnard College and CSU Channel Islands

Ernesto Bustillos, Activist Scholar

Luis Moreno, CSU Northridge

Francisco Romero, Writer and Activist

4: Diasporas: Strangers in a Strange Land

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 122

Chair: Mousumi Mukherjee

Wallis Andrew, Whittier College

Rebellion or Riot: Reinterpreting Recent youth Violence in France

Vandana Kohli, California State University, Bakersfield

The African Diaspora in India: Formation and persistence

Kathryn Schellenberg and Elizabeth Agar Kusky, University of Michigan, Flint

What They Say: Stereotypes and Contested Terrains of the United Arab Emirates Labour Market

Neha Vora, University of California, Irvine

Exceptions and the Exceptional: Transnational Indians and Globalization in Dubai

5: The Political Economy of Labor

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 152

Chair: Mel Rothenberg

Gary Hytrek, California State University, Long Beach

The United States AG: Stratification in the Flexible Age of Gagesism

Alexius Pereira, National University of Singapore

The Political Economy of Offshore Outsourcing to Asia

Ellen Rosen, Brandeis University, Massachusetts

Wal-Mart: Worker Safety and Workmen's Compensation

Kim Scipes, Purdue University

Neo-liberal Economic Policies in the United States: The Impact on American Workers

 **Lunch**

12:00PM – 1:30PM

 **Film Screening: DAM/AGE**

12:15PM – 1:30PM

Location: TBA

Keynote Panel: "Social Movements and Globalization"

1:30PM – 3:00PM

Location: PCB 1100

Chair: Mel Rothenberg

Lauren Langman and Valentine Moghadam

From Macro to Micro to Mobilization: 'Inter-networked' Social Movements

Jackie Smith, University of Notre Dame, Indiana

Movements for Global Democracy: Learning from the Transnational Capitalist Class

Amory Starr

Participatory Democracy Defies Globalization: Four Models from Latin America

Workshops

3:15PM – 5:00PM

1: Transnational Social Movements and Global Civil Society

Organizer and Presider: Chris Chase-Dunn, Institute for Research on World-Systems, University of California, Riverside

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 105

Gary Coyne, University of California, Riverside

Synergists at the World Social Forum

Matthew Kaneshiro, University of California, Riverside

A Divided Movement: Factors Predicting the Favoring or Disfavoring of Transnational Institutions at the World Social Forum

Roy Kwon, University of California, Riverside

The World Social Forum and the Overrepresentation of the Intelligentsia

Ellen Reese and Chris Chase-Dunn, University of California, Riverside

Labor in the Movement of Movement

Preeti Saxena, University of California, Riverside

Selling Islam: A Call for Globalization of Feminism

2: The Global South: State and Democracy

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 117

Chair: Robina Bhatti

G. Reza Ghorashi, Richard Stockton College of New Jersey

Globalization: Democratic Movement and the Case of Iran

Li Jing, University of Hong Kong

A New Agency or Not: A Comparison on Institutional Choice of Coordination in Beijing

Alem Kebede, California State University, Bakersfield

Dictatorship in the Horn of Africa: The Global Factor

Nick Peraino, University of California, Davis

Bolivia: Seeing Like a Different Kind of State

3: Imperialism and War

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 119

Chair: Jerry Harris

Jerry Harris, DeVry University, Chicago

The Transnational Capitalist Class: Alliances, Energy and War

A. Keith Goshorn, San Francisco

Constructive Chaos as Neo-Con Profit Strategy, Or the Suicidal Abyss of the Masculinist War Machine

Ismael Hossein-zadeh, Duke University, Iowa

Parasitic US Militarism: A Dual and Most Pernicious Kind of Imperialism

4: The Social Impact of Migration

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 122

Chair: Amal Madibbo

Amal Madibbo, University of Toronto, Canada

Race and Ethnicity in Darfur, Sudan: Between Globalization and Migration

Francesca Degiuli, University of California, Santa Barbara

Italy: Illegal Immigration and Elder Care

Edna Molina-Jackson, California State University, Bakersfield

Latino Homelessness and the Globalization Vantage Point: A Disruption in Social Capital Networks or an Introduction into Skid Row Acculturation?

Reception and Banquet

6:30PM – 10:00PM

Location: Phineas Banning Alumni House

Banquet Speaker:

Kevin Danaher, Global Citizen Networking



Sunday

-  **Coffee** **8:30AM – 9:00AM**
Location: Social Science Plaza B (SSPB) 4206, Sociology Conference Room
-  **GSA Business Meeting** **9:00AM – 10:00AM**
Location: Social Science Plaza B (SSPB) 4206, Sociology Conference Room
-  **Keynote Panel: "Terror and Empire"** **10:00AM – 11:30AM**
Location: TBA
Douglas Kellner
Globalization, Terrorism and Democracy: 9/11 and its Aftermath
Carl Boggs
Empire and Globalization
-  **Workshops** **11:30AM – 1:00PM**

1: Globalization and Poverty
Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 105
Chair: Robina Bhatti
Robina Bhatti, California State University, Monterey Bay
Place and Poor in a Globalized Economy
Sirin Duygulu, KOC University, Istanbul
Globalization and Social Policy: Creating a Reciprocal Relationship: The Case of the European Union
Manijeh Sabi, Sage College, New York
Globalization and Human Development
Naci Yildiz, KOC University, Istanbul
The Role of Corporate Social Responsibility in Poverty Reduction

2: History, Writing, Spectacle and India Incorporated: Images and Narratives of Globalized India
Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 117
Chair: Rini Bhattacharya Mehta
Rini Bhattacharya Mehta, University of Illinois
Of Holy Cows and Martyrs: History, Hindutva, and Militancy in Post-Global Bollywood
Reshmi Mukherjee, University of Illinois
Breast-givers and Western Bras: Crisis and Consumption of Women in the Globalized World
Gautam Basu Thakur, University of Illinois
Globalization and the Fantasy of Enjoyment: the Mythopoesis of Individuality and Freedom in Two Recent Indian Films
Shivali Tukdo, University of Illinois
The Politics of Textbook Production in Neo-liberal India

3: Contours of Latin America and the Caribbean
Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 119
Chair: Manuel Freire Barcia
Manuel Freire Barcia, Director Pro-Regional and Borderland Integration and Sustainable Economic Development, State of Barinas, Venezuela
Society of Cities, Regions and Borderlands: A Roadmap to the Indian-Iberian-American Dream
Fernando Lopez-Alves, University of California, Santa Barbara
Markets as Divinities: Uncertainty and the Construction of the Future in Argentina
Rhonda Neugebauer, University of California, Riverside
The Creation of 'Dependent Dissidents' in Cuba: US Support of Regime Change and its Independent Libraries Project

4: Globalization and the Environment

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 122

Chair: Nathaniel Matthieson

Ric Anthony, San Diego

Resource Management in the new Millennium: Zero Waste Theory

Adam Dodd, University of Queensland, Australia

Intercosmic Naturalism and the Fabrication of the Insect World

Mark Dworkin, Moving Images

Full Gas Tanks, Empty Stomachs

Heather Goldsworthy, University of California, Irvine

Globalization and Environmental Degradation

5: Two Videos and Discussion

Location: Social Science Lab (SSL) 152

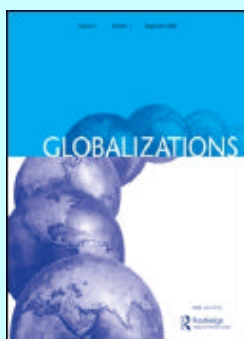
Renee Bergan and Mark Schuller

Haitian Women, Pillars of the Global Economy

Melissa Young

Argentina – 4 Years Later

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