



# AUSTRIAN STUDY CENTRE FOR PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION – ASPR

## THE PRACTICES, POLITICS, AND PARADIGMS OF IO PEACEBUILDING

*State of Peacebuilding* Conference, Stadtschlaining/Vienna, 29.-30.11.2017

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### Programme

Tuesday, 28.11.17

19:00 Welcome dinner at Hotel Burg Schlaining

Wednesday, 29.11.17

09:00-10:30 **Opening**

Opening Speech – Gudrun Kramer, Director ASPR

Key note - Véronique Dudouet (Berlin), International Support for Inclusive Political Settlements: A Critical Assessment.

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-13:00 **(1) Practices: IO Trajectories and Peacebuilding Practices**

Priyal Singh (Durban), The UN Panel Reviews of 2015 'A Fractured Way Forward.'

Benedikt Harzl (Graz), Constituting Practice: International Organizations and Legal Constraints in Dealing with Unrecognized Entities.

Maria Stage (Copenhagen), The Terms of Peacebuilding, Expertise in the United Nations Peacebuilding Architecture.

Andrea Warnecke (Schlaining/Vienna), Defining New Niches on an Old Spectrum: IOs in Prevention, Peacemaking, Peacekeeping, and Peacebuilding.

Chair: Simon Watmough (Graz)

13:00-14:30 Lunch

14:30-16:30 **(2) Politics: IOs and Sovereignty between Consent and Contestation**

Oliver Ramsbotham (Bradford), Strategic Peacebuilding. Clausewitz in Reverse: Radical Disagreement and Post-war Peace building.

Jan Daniel (Prague), Navigating Hybrid Political Order: UNIFIL II in South Lebanon.

Paula Drumond (Rio/Geneva), International Organisations, Human Rights and Conflict Resolution.

Hubert Isak (Graz), EU as an Actor in its Eastern Periphery – Europeanization.

Chair: N.N.

18:30 Dinner, Hotel Burg Schlaining

Thursday, 30.11.17

09:00-10:30 **(3) Paradigms: Paradigmatic Shifts as Manifestations of Consent and Contestation**

Nicolás Lemay-Hébert (Birmingham) and Gezim Visoka (Dublin), Normal Peace: Exploring the Politics of Normalization in International Peacebuilding.

Jan Pospisil (Edinburgh), Unsharing Sovereignty. The Case of the G7+.

Maximilian Lakitsch (Graz), Human Security and the Depoliticization of Peacebuilding.

Chair: Susanne Reitmair-Juárez (Vienna)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-13:00 **(4) Concluding panel: Methodological/epistemological challenges**

Anna Danielsson (Uppsala), On epistemic authority in peacebuilding. A methodological move beyond a knowledge conundrum.

Juan Masullo (Bogota/Florence), Combining different types of evidence and methods in peace and conflict research. An overview of recent work.

Andy Carl (London), Pax Spiral. A New Approach to Community Peacebuilding.

Chair: Gezim Visoka (Dublin)

13:00 Lunch

14:30 Joint departure for Vienna

Thursday, 30.11.17, Diplomatic Academy of Vienna (Musikzimmer)

18:00 **Politics and the legitimacy of International Organisations in post-war settings**

Welcome: Emil Brix, Director, Diplomatic Academy of Vienna & Gudrun Kramer, Director, Austrian Study Centre for Peace and Conflict Resolution

Panellists: Paula Drumond (Rio/Geneva), Jan Pospisil (Vienna) and Priyal Singh (Pretoria)

Chair: Andrea Warnecke (Stadtschlaining/Vienna)

Reception held at the Diplomatic Academy of Vienna and hosted by the City of Vienna

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