
First SDSU Conference on Social Movements and Protest: Nonviolent Strategies and the State

FINAL PROGRAM

Friday, May 5

8:00 Registration, Second floor, Conrad Prebys Aztec Student Union (Templo Mayor, 2nd floor)
Coffee, Tea, Juice, Pastries, Fruit

8:45 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. Plenary Session 1. Resistance and State Repression. Theater (2nd floor)

[Nonviolence in the Long Civil Rights Movement: Strategic Development and Tactical Adaptation to Repression](#)

Larry W. Isaac, Vanderbilt University

[Protest Waves under Authoritarian Regimes: Repression and Protest Outcomes](#)

James C. Franklin, Ohio Wesleyan University

[Bound by the Red Lines? The Perils and Promises of Moderate Mobilization under Authoritarianism.](#)

Dana M. Moss, University of Pittsburgh

10:30-10:45 Patio: Coffee, Tea, Juice, Pastries, and Fruit (Templo Mayor, 2nd floor)

10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. Paper Sessions (Room) * denotes facilitator

Session 1: Resistance (Atzlan-2nd floor)

“Finding Ways to Fight Back: Forms of Resistance, Biographical Availability, Ideology, and Threat in the Nazi Concentration Camps”

*Thomas V. Maher, *University of Arizona*

[“Graffiti, Vandalism, Protest and Nonviolence”](#)

Guillaume Marche, *Université of Paris-Est Créteil*

[“The Spirit of Resistance: Explaining Lower Clergy and Laity Activism in the Creation of Témoignage Chrétien”](#)

Aliza Luft, *University of California Los Angeles*

“Beyond the Armed Struggle: Hezbollah and the Making of the Resistance Society”

Fouad Gehad, *Orient-Institute Beirut (OIB)*

Friday, May 5 ☞☞ **10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. (Paper Sessions, cont'd)** * denotes facilitator

Session 2: State and Citizen Challenges in China (Metzli- 2nd floor)

["Preventing Protest One Person at a Time: Psychological Coercion and Relational Repression in China"](#)

Kevin O'Brien, *University of California, Berkeley*

"Deadly Decisions: Elite Politics during the Tiananmen Square Protest in 1989"

Yang Su, *University of California, Irvine*

"Mobilization Legalism: The Fusion of Law and Politics in China"

Lei Guang SDSU, and Yue Xie, *Shanghai Jiaotong University*

"Mass Disturbance in China: In a Hostile Mood about the Government"

Geping Qiu, *East Chinese University of Political Science and Law*

Session 3: Ethnic and Racial Resistance (Tehuanco-2nd floor)

["Youth Activism and Inequality: Transformations in Collective Identity"](#)

Sarah Gaby, *University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*

["Beyond Ethnonationalism: Mobilizing around Minority in Kashmir's Freedom Movement"](#)

Dustie Spencer, *University of Edinburgh*

["Black Protests in the Doldrums"](#)

*Pamela Oliver, *University of Wisconsin – Madison*; Alex Hanna, *University of Toronto*; and Chaeyoon Lim, *University of Wisconsin – Madison*

"Framing Murder: Black Lives Matter as Reproductive Justice"

Anna H. Chatillon, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

Session 4: Repression and Protest (Legacy Suite-3rd floor)

["The Paradox of Repression"](#)

*Lee A. Smithey, *Swarthmore College*, and Lester R. Kurtz, *George Mason University*

["The Predation-Repression Paradox: The Incidence of Nonviolent Movements in Africa and \(Lack of\) Systematic and Widespread Repression of Sudan's Successful 1964 and 1985 Nonviolent Rebellions"](#)

Benjamin R. Naimark-Rowse, *Tufts University*

["The Emergence and Consolidation of Opposition to Authoritarian Rule"](#)

Consuelo Amat, *Yale University*

["The Stages of Social Movements: A Process Tracing Methodology."](#)

Doron Shultziner, *Hadassah Academic College Jerusalem*

Friday, May 5 ☞☞ 10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. (Paper Sessions, cont'd) * denotes facilitator

Session 5: Cybernetworks and Media (Visionary Suite 3rd floor)

“Do Technologies Matter to Social Movements? A Materialist Possibility”

*Austin Choi-Fitzpatrick, *University of San Diego*

“Anti-austerity Movement in Greece: Cyberconflict, Networks and Discourse”

Ioanna Ferra, *University of Leicester*

[“Collective Identity in the Digital Age”](#)

Deana A. Rohlinger, *Florida State University*

[“From Facebook to Fundraisers: Small and Local Social Movement Organizations on the Internet and Social Media”](#)

Samantha Scovill, *University of Arizona*

Session 6: Nonviolent Protest: Latin American Perspectives (Presidential Suite- 3rd floor)

[“How Should We Fight? The effect of Decentralization on Strategies of Contention”](#)

Pauline Moore, *University of Denver*

[“Protest Against Criminal Violations in Mexico: Repertoires and Organizations”](#)

Daniela Serrano Campos, *CIDE, Mexico*

“Some Places, Vandals; Elsewhere pacifists? How Urban Spaces Shapes Repertoires of Contention in the Political Cycle of June 2013, Brazil”

Rafael de Souza, *Universidade de São Paulo*

“The Policy and Political Impact of Student Protests and Progressive Reform in Chile”

*Indira Palacios, *Missouri State University* and Gabriel Ondetti, *Missouri State University*

12:30 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. Luncheon Sessions

Pick up your boxed lunch at Templo Mayor (2nd floor) or Patio (3rd floor) and munch at the group session of your choice. * denotes facilitator

Session 1: Party Politics and Contentious Politics (Atzlan-2nd floor) “Barricades

or Ballots: Kurdish Movement in Turkey, 1989-1999”

Cem Emrence, *Binghamton University*

“Iraq Veterans Against the War in the Obama Era: How Political Allies Stimulate Organizational Decline”

Megan Brooker, *University of California, Irvine*

“The Life after Square: The Gezi Park Uprising, Contradictions of Common Sense, and Limits of Political Articulation”

Onur Kapdan, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

“Understanding Policy Shortcomings of Movements: A Look Inside the 'Black Box' of the Legislative Process”

*Joshua A. Basseches and Brayden G. King, *Northwestern University*

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Session 2: Theory Building (Metzli- 2nd floor)

["Bridging Framing, Political, Opportunity, and Strategic Imperitive in the Immigrant Rights Movement of 2006"](#)

*Chris Hardnack, *California State University, San Marcos*

"The Role of Strategic Necessity: Constitutional Reform as a Social Movement Response to Structural Adjustment"

Ben Manski, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

"Rethinking and Resituating Bourdieu in Social Movement Theory"

Colin P. Arnold, *University of Virginia*

["Humor as a Strategy of Mobilization"](#)

Ernst Henning Peters, *Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen*

Session 3: Protest Participation and Emotions (Legacy Suite-3rd floor)

["Emotions, Cultural Trauma and Mobilization in a Repressive Context: The Mexican Ayotzinapa Movement"](#)

Jorge Cadena-Roa, *LAOMS, CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico*; Alice Poma, *LAOMS, CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico*; and Tommaso Gravante, *LAOMS, CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico*

["Emotions in Social Movement Studies: Trends, Definitions, and New Directions"](#)

Alex Kulick, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

["Beyond Organizational Ties: Sustained Activist Commitment."](#)

*Daniel Driscoll, *University of California, San Diego*

["Bodies in Collective Actions: Street Protests in Taiwan \(1997-2008\)"](#)

Yin-Zu Chen, *National Taipei University*

Session 4: Moral Discourse and Defining the Question (Visionary Suite 3rd floor)

"Political Violence and Persons with Mental Illness"

Jennifer Tillman, *San Diego State University*

"Dancing the Carceral Creep: The Feminist Anti-Violence Movement and the Pursuit of Criminalization, 1973 to 1986"

Mimi E. Kim, *California State University, Long Beach*

"Violence, Morality and Mobilization: Everyday Conformity and Resistance in Social Life of Garments Workers in Bangladesh"

Mohammad Tareq Hansan, *University of Bergen and University of Dhaka*

"Effects of Movements? The Limitations of Anti-Lynching Historiography"

*Charlie Seguin, *University of Arizona*

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Session 5: Student and Youth Movements (Presidential Suite- 3rd floor)

"Interpreting Protest: ASL-English Interpreters in the Deaf President Now Protest"
Mark Halley, *Gallaudet University*

"Indifference and the Ivory Tower: A Comparison of Harvard and Columbia's South African Divestment Movements"

*Farris Peale, *Harvard University*

["A Student Movement under Mosaic"](#)

Bolun Zhang, *UC San Diego*

["Girlhood Studies on Nonviolence"](#)

Christina Ong, *University of California, Irvine*

Session 6: Theory Building through Case Studies (State Suite- 3rd floor)

"Globalization and the Rise of Militant Islamic Social Movement Organizations: The Case of UAMSHO (Awakening) Group in Zanzibar"

Deogratus S. Mshigeni, *University of Nevada, Las Vegas*

["Creating Consent in Stateg Socialist E. Europe: The Cosmopolitan Nationalism of the Weak"](#)

*Ana Velitchkova, *University of Mississippi*

["The Case of Alianza Federal de Mercedes, 1963-1967: A Tool for Exploring Social Movement Theory"](#)

Kaye Brown, *Boston University*

"Climate Change as a Security Issue in the Case of Greece"

Charis Gerosideris, *Kelee University*

Session 7: Gendered Mobilization Processes (Tehuanco-2nd floor)

"What Women Want? Women in Protest in Central Asia"

Malika Tukmadiyeva, *Paper Lab, Kazakhstan* and Natalia Zakharchenko, *George Washington University*

"Legal Activism and Strategic Choices: How Lawyers Shaped the LGBT's Movement Agenda and Internal Dynamics"

Carlos Arturo Martinez Carmona, *Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México*

"The Patriarchal Burden: (Mis)Conceptions of Gender, Race, & "Intersectionality" in Social Change & Activist-Oriented Spaces"

Sahar D. Sattarzadeh, *University of the Free State*

"Shifting Visibilities, Power, and Mobilization: Women in Black, Serbia, 1991- Today"

*Selina Gallo-Cruz, *College of the Holy Cross*

2:00-2:15 Coffee, Tea, Dessert Templo Mayor (2nd Fl)

**Friday, May 5 2:15 P.M. to 3:30 P.M. Plenary Sessions. Movement Strategies and Tactics
(Theater 2nd floor)**

Tactics, Favorability, and Issue Salience of U.S. Movements

Neal Caren, *University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*, Jenn Earl, *University of Arizona*, Edwin Amenta, *University of California, Irvine*, Sarah Soule, *Stanford University*

[Asserting Land Rights: Rural Land Struggles in India and Brazil](#)

Kurt Schock, *Rutgers University*

[From “No” Against Violence to “Yeses” Beyond Violence: Zapatista Autonomy & Commons](#)

Stellan Vinthagen, *University of Massachusetts, Amherst*, and Sean Chabot, *Eastern Washington University*

3:30-3:45 Patio: Coffee, Tea, Pastries, and Fruit (Templo Mayor 2nd floor)

3:45 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. (Paper Sessions) * denotes facilitator

Session 1: Defining Movements and Their Issues (Atzlan-2nd floor)

[“The Structure of Protest Cycles: Contagion and Cohesion in S. Korea's Democracy Movement”](#)

*Paul Y. Chang, *Harvard University* and Kangsan Lee, *Northwestern University*

“Republican Realignment Reconsidered: Abortion and the Remaking of American Politics”

Ziad Munson, *Lehigh University*

“What Explains the Quality of the News Coverage of U.S. Radical Right-Wing Movement

Organizations in the 1960s?” Edwin Amenta, *University of California, Irvine*; Thomas Alan Elliott, *California State University, Channel Islands*; Nicole Shortt, *University of California, Irvine*; and Didem Turkoglu, *University of North Carolina*

“Foundations, Nonprofitations, and Reification of Social Movements and SM Actors”

Felipe Vargas, *FIRME.org* and Michael Young, *University of Texas, Austin*

Session 2: Social Movement Organizations (Metzli- 2nd floor)

“The Situation Room: Social Movements, Stigma Management, and the Claims-making of Contested Industry Groups”

*Edward T. Walker, *University of California, Los Angeles* and Bogdan Vasi, *University of Iowa*

[“Political Institutions and Medical Alliances in the Abortion Rights Movements of the United States and Britain”](#)

Drew Halfmann, *University of California, Davis*

[“Social Movement Organizations of the Unemployed in France: Do they Matter Any More?”](#)

Frédéric Royall, *University of Limerick*

“What Do Social Movement Organizations do? Repertoires of Strategies, Tactics, and Organizational Form within the Environmental Movement”

Laura K. Nelson, *University of California, Berkeley* and *Northwestern University* and Brayden King, *Northwestern University*

Friday, May 5 ☕☕ 3:45 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. (Paper Sessions, cont'd) * denotes facilitator

Session 3: Motivations for Activism (Tehuanco-2nd floor)

["Social Movement Schools: Sites for Consciousness Transformation, Training, and Future Social Development"](#)

*Larry W. Isaac, Anna W. Jacobs, Jamie Kucinkas, & Allison McGrath, *Vanderbilt University*

"A Cross-National Analysis of the Motivations for Pro- and Anti-Refugee Protests"

Alex Braithwaite, *University of Arizona*

["'Building a Wall of Resistance': The Consequences of Activists' Repression-Management Strategies"](#)

Heidi Reynolds-Stenson, *University of Arizona*

"Patterns of Social Movement Participation: Protest Frequency, Protest Diversity and Protest Repertoire: The case of 2003 Peace Protests against the Iraq War in Eight Countries"

Hanning Wang, *University of Victoria*

Session 4: Identity Frames & Culture (Legacy Suite-3rd floor)

"Radical Flank Effect on Collective Identity in an Authoritarian Regime: The Chilean Case"

Felipe Sanchez-Barria, *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*

"The Marijuana Movement, Discourse and Legalization"

Burrell Vann, *University of California, Irvine*

"When Critical Events are an Opportunity: How Gun Control Groups Responded Strategically to the Sandy Hook Shooting"

Eulalie Laschever, *University of California, Irvine*

["Culture and Cross-National Differences in Repertoires of Political Activism"](#)

*Anna Slavina, *University of Toronto*

Session 5: Gendered Mobilization Processes (Visionary Suite 3rd floor)

"Breaking the Silences, Breaking the Frames: A Gendered Diasporic Analysis of Sexual Violence in the DR Congo"

Marie Godin, *University of Oxford*

"Mobilizing Millions: Engendering Protest Across the Globe"

Zakiya Luna, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

"Women's Movements and Nonviolent Strategies for Policy Change"

*Cheryl O'Brien, *San Diego State University*

"Resonance between Non-violent Principle and Personal Gender Identity: Female Activists in Hong Kong Umbrella Movement"

Eliz Wong Miu Yin, *University of Cambridge*

Friday, May 5 ☞ 5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Adult refreshments at Scripps Cottage Patio, no-host bar. See map on page 17.

Friday, May 5 ☞ 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Informal Reception at Scripps Cottage Patio



Saturday, May 6

**8:30 Registration, Second floor Conrad Prebys Aztec Student Union (Templo Mayor (2nd Fl))
Coffee, Tea, Juice, Pastries, Fruit**

9:00 A.M. to 10:30 A.M. Plenary Session 3. Nonviolent Strategies (Theater 2nd floor)

[Defections or Disobedience? Assessing the Consequences of Security Force Collaboration or Disengagement in Nonviolent Movements](#)

Sharon Erickson Nepstad, University of New Mexico

[Why Civil Resistance Still Works](#)

By Erica Chenoweth, University of Denver and PRIO, Oslo, Norway

How the Effectiveness of Nonviolent Action is the Wrong Question for Activists, Academics, and Everyone Else

David S. Meyer, University of California, Irvine

10:30-10:45 Patio: Coffee, Tea, Juice, Pastries, and Fruit (Templo Mayor 2nd Fl)

10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. (Paper Sessions) * denotes facilitator

Session 1: Nonviolent Strategies (Atzlan-2nd floor)

“Nonviolence in a Violent Country: Mexico in the XXI Century”

*Jorge Cadena-Roa, *Universidad Nacional Autónoma de Mexico (UNAM)*

[“Riots as Civil Resistance? Re-Thinking the Dynamics of Nonviolent Struggle”](#)

Ben Case, *University of Pittsburgh*

“‘Those Eager to Use Violence Are Rabble-Rousers!’ How do anonymous digital interactions foster nonviolent popular protest?”

Eunkyung Song, *Rutgers University*

“Hurrah-words and Grand Narratives- a Critical Reflection on Nonviolent Resistance”

Astrid H. Simonsen, *University of Canterbury*

Saturday, May 6 10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. (Paper Sessions, cont'd) * denotes facilitator

Session 2: Grassroots and Local Movements (Metzli- 2nd floor)

“Grassroots Populism as a Vehicle for Political Domination: A Typology of Outcomes”

*Paris Aslanidis, *Yale University*

“Grassroots Globalism: Class and the Politics of ‘Grounding’ Anti-Globalization”

Eric Larson, *University of Massachusetts Dartmouth*

“Protest Episodes and the Dynamics of Local Movements”

Kenneth (Andy) Andrews, *University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill* & Sarah Gaby,
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

“Advocacy Organizations and Direct Democracy”

Isaac William Martin, *University of California, San Diego*

Session 3: Media (Tehuanco-2nd floor)

[“Retweeting in an Echo Chamber: A Social Network Analysis of the #NeverTrump and #NeverHillary Movements across Twitter”](#)

Shawn Gauden, *Florida State University*

[“Overcoming the Costs of Social Media Activism: A Comparison of the Differential Barriers for Non-activists, Social Media Activists and Protest Participants”](#)

Ione Corbeel, *University of Antwerp*

[“Changing Audiences: Extreme Rhetoric from Direct Mail to Social Media”](#)

Alex DiBranco, *Yale University*

[“Mega Protests meet Big Data”](#)

*Michael Shalev, *University of California, Berkeley* and Assaf Rotman, *Tel Aviv University*

Session 4: Repressive State II (Legacy Suite-3rd floor)

[“Understanding Frame Legitimacy in China: Environmental Protest Strategies and the Emergence of a ‘Science Frame’”](#)

Jean Yen-chun Lin, *Stanford University*

“Benevolent Authoritarianism and Global Governance: Human Trafficking and Labor Politics in China”

Elena Shih, *Brown University*

[“Between Riots and Protests: A Hybrid Approach to Environmental Contention in China”](#)

Zi Zhu, *City University of Hong Kong*

[“Assessing Policy and Threats Effects: Nonviolent Resistance in the Palestinian Territories, 2003-Present”](#)

*Akram Al-Turk, *University of North Carolina*

Saturday, May 6 ☞☞ 10:45 A.M. to 12:15 P.M. (Paper Sessions, cont'd) * denotes facilitator

Session 5: Protest Tactics and Nonviolence (Visionary Suite 3rd floor)

“Opportunity, Threat, and Tactics: Collaboration and Confrontation by Latino Immigrant Challengers”

Greg Prieto, *University of San Diego*

[“Memory in Action: Social Movements, Media and Narratives of the Past in Italy and Spain”](#)

Lorenzo Zamponi, *Scuola Normale Superiore*

“Turning Some Plowshares Back into Swords?: How Occupy Anarchists Negotiate Violence and Non-violence”

Marie Skoczylas, *University of Pittsburgh*

“The Prolonged Diffusion of Social Movements”

*Jeff Haydu, *University of California, San Diego*

Saturday May 6 ☞☞ 12:30 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. Luncheon Sessions

Pick up your boxed lunch (two locations, Templo Mayor, 2nd floor and Patio on 3rd floor) and munch at the group of your choice * denotes facilitator

Session 1: Indigenous Movements: Mexico and U.S. (Atzlan-2nd floor)

“Participation of the Rural Poor in Mass Mobilization: Evidence from Ecuador’s Indigenous Movement”

*Rachel Soper, *CSU Channel Islands*

“Resisting Racism, Globalization, and the State: The Indigenous Struggle for Water, Life, and Land at Standing Rock”

Edwin López, *California State University, Fullerton*

“Tácticas no Violentas del Frente Ampilop Opositor contra Minera San Xavier en San Luis Potosí, México (1996-2014)”

Ulises Pavel Martínez Romero, *FLASCO, Mexico*

[“Petro-hegemony and the Struggle for Climate Justice: What can Standing Rock teach us about Contemporary Social Movement Theory and Strategy?”](#)

Theo LeQuesne, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

Session 2: Peace Building (Metzli- 2nd floor)

“The ‘Ripple Group’ as a New Vehicle for Religious Transformation and Social Change”

Maureen Day, *Franciscan School of Theology*

“An Examination of Adolescent-Accessible, Informal Peace Education in the Los Angeles Region of California, USA (2004 -2016)”

Gregory B. Foisie, *California State University, Los Angeles*

“Preventing Violent Extremism through Education”

*Marilee Bresciani Ludvik, *San Diego State University*

Saturday, May 6 ☞☞ 12:30 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. (Luncheon Sessions, cont'd) * denotes facilitator

Session 3: Critical Perspectives (Tehuanco-2nd floor)

["Theorizing the General Strike as a Socialist-Pacifist-Nonviolent Resistance"](#)

Sabujkoli Bandopadhyay, *University of Regina*

"Adorno in Gloves: The Critical Toolbox of Post-Autonomous Rebels"

Bob Kurik, *Charles University, Prague*

"Indigenous Resistance in Guãhan: Decolonizing America's Empire"

Sylvia Frain, *University of Otago* and Samantha Marley Barnett

"Why it started in Wisconsin: The Role of Movement Building in Producing Uprisings"

*Ben Manski, *University of California, Santa Barbara*

Session 4: Social Media and Mass Media (Legacy Suite-3rd floor)

"Internet Mobilization and the Hybridization of E-Tactics: A social Media Analysis of Two Campaigns of the Anonymous Movement"

Jared M. Wright, *Purdue University*

"South Africa's Fees Must Fall: What is the Impact of Tweeting this Revolution?"

Tshepho Mokwele, *Human Sciences Research Council (HSRC) in South Africa*

[Influence of Protest Tactics on Media Coverage of the 1971 Spring Peace Offensive](#)

*Hailey Grace Steele, *University of Alabama*

"The Political Spectacle of Virtual Protests: Hologram for Freedom Event in South Korea"

Joohyun Park, *University of California, Berkeley*

Session 5: Local Mobilization and Grassroots (Visionary Suite 3rd floor)

"Local Mobilizations: Explaining the Outcomes of Immigrant Organizing in Four Central Valley Cities in California"

Marie De Jesus Mora, *University of California, Merced*

["Community Organizing after the Good Jobs Are Gone: Latin American Social Movements and the Global Politics of Blue-Collar Decline"](#)

Marcos Perez, *Colby College*

"Covertness as an Organizational Strategy: The Case of Mattachine"

*Molly S. Jacobs, *University of California, Los Angeles*

"Creative Strategies: Frau Fiber's Sewing Rebellion"

Carole Frances Lung, *California State University, Los Angeles*

Saturday, May 6 ☞☞

2:00-2:30 Coffee, Tea, Desserts (Templo Mayor 2nd Fl)

2:30 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. (Paper Sessions) * denotes facilitator

Session 1: Bodies/ Emotions/Identity (Visionary Suite 3rd floor)

["The Political Distinctiveness of Gays and Lesbians: Explaining Protest actions across Sexual Identities"](#)

Eric Swank, Arizona State University

["Toward a Proposal for the Radicalization of Identity Processes: Relational Reiterations and Emotional Activations in the Spanish Feminist Movement"](#)

Maria Martinez, *UC Santa Barbara* and *University of the Basque Country (Spain)*

"An Offering of the Body, an Act Against the State: Tibetan Buddhist Self-Immolation and the Question of Violence"

Alana Vehaba, *Arizona State University*

"Environmental High-risk Activism and Emotions in Mexico"

Alice Poma, *CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico* and Tommaso Gravante, *CEIICH-UNAM, Mexico*

Session 2: Resistance in the Repressive State (Metzli- 2nd floor)

["Anti-war Protests and State Repression in Russia"](#)

Olena Nikolayenko, *Fordham University*

["Chilling Activism in the Surveillance State's Shadow"](#)

David A. Reilly, *Niagara University*

["Political Survival and Social Movements: Defining Success or Failure"](#)

Young Sokphea, *University College of London*

"State Terrorism and the Intergenerational Transmission of Traumatic Memories: Lessons from Four Decades of Uruguayan Transition"

*Gabriela Fried Amilivia, *California State University, Los Angeles*

Session 3: Mobilization Processes and Tactics (Legacy Suite 3rd floor)

["The Aesthetics of Protest: Visual Culture and Social Media During the Gezi Park Protests"](#)

Olu Jenzen and Aidan McGarry, *University of Brighton*

"Occupy Tahrir, Repertoires and the Paradoxical Limits of "Democracy": Uses and Abuses and Lessons from the Egyptian Revolution"

Atef Said, *University of Illinois at Chicago*

["Mobilizing Threat: Measuring Discursive Changes in Frame Articulation in a Group of Early Tea Party Supporters"](#)

Joseph Crane, *University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*

"Things Aren't Right Here": 1994 Stanford Hunger Strike, Spectacular Speech and the Struggle for Dignity"

*Ralph Armbruster-Sandoval, *UC Santa Barbara*

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Session 4: Nonviolent Resistance in the Middle East (Tehuanco-2nd floor)

“Resistance under the Junta: Forms of Violent and Nonviolent Mobilization in Egypt after the Coup of 2013”

Khalil al-Anani, *Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, Qatar*

“Days of Protest, Fridays of Revolution: Temporality and Mass Mobilization in Egypt and Tunisia”

Neil Ketchley, *King’s College London* and Christopher Barrie, *University of Oxford*

[“Asymmetric Networks and the Breakdown of Civil Resistance: Evidence from Syria”](#)

*Ches Thurber, *Northern Illinois University*

“The Minefield of Nonviolence in Palestine-Israel”

Anne de Jong, *University of Amsterdam*

Session 5: Revolutions and Nonviolence (Atzlan-2nd floor)

[“Between Liberation and Freedom: Challenges of Transition in Nonviolent Revolutions”](#)

Jonathan Pinckney, *University of Denver*

“Unarmed Revolutions or Revolutions of the Unarmed: How Much Can Revolution Theory Tell Us about Nonviolent Regime Change?”

Daniel Ritter, *Stockholm University*

“Trends of Social Movements in Iran and Changes in the Dynamics of Contention”

*Reza Mohajerinejad, *University of Hawai’i at Manoa*



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