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#### WELCOME

Welcome to the 13<sup>th</sup> meeting of the International Association of Genocide Scholars, held at the St Lucia campus of the University of Queensland, 9–13 July 2017.

We pay our respects to the traditional owners of the land on which this event is taking place, and respectfully acknowledge Elders past, present and emerging. In particular, we pay our respects to the Jagara nation, whose lands lie south of the Brisbane river, and to the Turrbal nation, whose lands lie north of the Brisbane river

The conference theme is justice and the prevention of genocide. This year's conference brings together a broad range of papers, many of which revisit the two core components of the UN Convention: justice for acts of genocide, and prevention of future genocides.

We welcome survivors, academics, professionals, students, artists and members of the community to this year's conference and we look forward to engaging in open debate and the respectful exchange of ideas. And we welcome reflection on our collective history of genocide, so that we may work together, as a community, to uphold the promise of never again.

Dr Melanie O'Brien and Dr Annie Pohlman Co-convenors



#### THANK YOU

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the team of professional staff at the TC Beirne School of Law for their unflagging support, and to our dedicated TCB Law and Asia Pacific Centre for the Responsibility to Protect student volunteers, Ameera Ismail, Nicola Farguhar, and Anna John.

We also wish to thank the members of the Australiabased organising committee:

Ms Arna Chancellor, Manager of the Asia Pacific Centre for the Responsibility to Protect;

Dr Kirril Shields, School of Communication and Arts, the University of Queensland;

Dr Phil Orchard, Senior Lecturer in Peace and Conflict Studies and International Relations, Research Director of the Asia Pacific Centre for the Responsibility to Protect;

Dr Deborah Mayersen, University of Wollongong; and

Associate Professor Andrew Bonnell, School of Historical and Philosophical Inquiry, the University of Queensland.

Lastly, thank you to all the volunteers for their enthusiastic support!



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#### 1400-1700, REGISTRATION

King's College

## 1600-1745, WELCOME EVENT CANAPÉS AND DRINKS

King's College

#### 1745-1900, PRESENTATIONS AND DINNER

Acknowledgement of Country

Aunty Valda Coolwell

UQ Welcome

Convenors' Welcome

Melanie O'Brien & Annie Pohlman. University of Queensland

President's Welcome

Andrew Woolford. University of Manitoba

Presentation of Sponsors & Scholarship Recipients

Presentation of New IAGS Boards

#### 1900-2030, KEYNOTE

## Aboriginal Peoples' Hearings on Truth and Conciliation for Justice

Lilla Watson, The BlackCard

#### **2030. FINISH**

#### 0800-1700, REGISTRATION

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### **0830-1015, KEYNOTE**

Abel Smith Lecture Theatre

Chair: Simon Bronitt, University of Queensland

Conference Welcome

Genocide Studies and Prevention Presentation

GSP Editorial Board

## Holding Back the Tide? Human Protection and Genocide Prevention in our More Violent World

Alex Bellamy, University of Queensland

#### 1015-1045, MORNING TEA

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### <u>1045-1215, SESSION 1</u>

#### Genocide Prevention I

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Jess Gifkins, Leeds Beckett University

Exploring Resilience to Genocide

Deborah Mayersen, University of Wollongong

Genocide and Mass Atrocity Prevention: Overcoming the Gap

Between Research and Practice

Ernesto Verdeja, University of Notre Dame

Causal Model of Genocide Prevention

Mark Kielsgard, City University of Hong Kong

#### Genocide in Their Best Interests

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Kirril Shields, University of Queensland

Child Removal: Genocide with Good Intent?

Colin Tatz, Australian National University

Dispositions of Destruction: Genocidal Intent and Symbolic Violence in North American Indigenous Boarding/Residential Schools

Andrew Woolford, University of Manitoba

Gnadentod - The National Socialist Krankenmorde the Myth of the "Good Death"

Michael Robertson, University of Sydney

#### The Holocaust Across Europe

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Donna-Lee Frieze, Deakin University

Defiance and Protest: Forgotten Jewish resistance in Nazi Germany Wolf Gruner, *University of Southern California, Los Angeles* 

Legal Theft of Property Rights: The Gradual Hellenization of Jewish-Owned Businesses, 1937-1943

Orly Meron, Bar-Ilan University

Civilian Participation in An

Civilian Participation in Anti-Jewish Violence within Romania's Borderlands Post-July 1941

Mihai Poliec, Clark University

#### International Law and Transitional Justice

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Olivera Simić, Griffith University

"Vertical Inconsistency" of International Sentencing: Case Study of Bosnia and Rwanda

Barbora Hola, VU University Amsterdam

Ending Impunity and Prevention of Atrocity Crimes: Does Transitional Justice Reduce Violence in Post-Conflict Societies? Susanne Karstedt, School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Griffith University

The Legal Status of the Shared Responsibility to Protect Luke Glanville, *Australian National University* 

#### **Digital Art Installation**

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Beyond Genocide: Silent Power Point Exhibition Amy Fagin, Beyond Genocide Centre for Prevention

#### 1215-1330, LUNCH

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1230-1330, IAGS BUSINESS MEETING

E302, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1330-1500, SESSION 2

#### Genocide Prevention II

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Deborah Mayersen, University of Wollongong

Climate Change and Mass Atrocity Prevention

Stephen McLoughlin. Liverpool Hope University

Pedram Rashidi, University of Queensland

Can Genocide Survivors' Organizations Play a Central Role in Prevention Efforts?

Ferdinand Ndayiragije, Association for the Struggle against Genocide AC Genocide-Cirimoso

Building Capacity for Responding to and Preventing Mass Atrocities in Indonesia: Challenges and Opportunities

Ririn Tri Nurhayati, *University of Queensland* 

#### Genocide of Indigenous Peoples in Australia

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Dirk Moses, University of Sydney

'Just a little sacred site': Memorialising Tasmanian Aboriginal Trauma at Wybalenna and Oyster Cove

Celeste Thorn, Deakin University

Sorry Seemed to be the Hardest Word: Public Opinion of the Apology to the Stolen Generations and its Effect on Transitional Justice

Eliott Hull, University of Amsterdam

#### Understanding and Recognition of Genocide

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Ahmed Ziauddin, International Crimes Strategy Forum

Political Accountability over US Inaction on Genocide: A 'Sold' Game?

Eyal Mayroz, University of Sydney

Understanding 'Genocide': Contribution of the International Crimes Tribunals of Bangladesh

M Sanieeb Hossain. University of Warwick

'Genocide Recognition' within the Framework of the UN: Meaning, Purpose, and Consequences

Rayhan Rashid, International Crimes Strategy Forum

#### Challenges Facing the ECCC

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Rebecca Gidley, Australian National University

Forced Marriage, International Criminal Law and Genocide in Cambodia

Melanie O'Brien, University of Queensland

Gendering Mass Atrocity: The Progress and Challenges of Prosecuting Sexual and Gender-based Violence of the Khmer Rouge Era

Theresa de Langis, American University

The Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia: An Assessment

Gregory Stanton, George Mason University

#### Film Session A

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Night and Fog (Nuit et brouillard) (1955)

Director: Alain Resnais, 31 minutes

A Secret Genocide (2008)

Director: Alexandre Dereims, 53 minutes

#### 1500-1530, AFTERNOON TEA

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1530-1700, SESSION 3

#### Genocide Prevention III

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Tibi Galis, Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation

The erga omnes Duty to Prevent Genocide: Naming and Shaming Past Situations to Prevent Future Acts of Genocide

Biörn Schiffbauer, University of Cologne

Legislative Engagement for the Prevention of Genocide and other Atrocity Crimes: Understanding and Expanding the Legislative Role in Supporting Domestic and International Atrocity Prevention Policy

Jack Maverhofer, Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation

Religion and Genocide Prevention

Kate Temonev. Montclair State University

#### Sites of Indigenous Genocide

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Andrew Woolford, University of Manitoba

State Crime, Settler Colonialism and Colonial Genocide

Michael Grewcock. University of New South Wales

Re-Tracing the Trail: The Ambivalent Embodiment of Genocidal Memory on the Trail of Tears National Historic Trail

Kerry Whigham, Center for the Study of Genocide and Human Rights. Rutgers University

#### Definitions of Genocide I

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Robert Cribb. Australian National University

The Many Faces of Genocide - An Empirical Typology

Timothy Williams, Marburg University

Chomsky and Genocide

Adam Jones, University of British Colombia

Biopower and Genocide: The Limits of Biopower as an Explanatory Concept

Henry Theriault, Worcester State University

## Prosecutorial Roadblocks in International Criminal Courts & Tribunals

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Melanie O'Brien, University of Queensland

Victim-Perpetrators in Comparative Perspective

Kjell Anderson, Leiden University

Genocide and Superior Responsibility - Special Intent for Omission?

Michala Chadimova, Amsterdam University; Palacky University Olomouc

The Question of Perpetrator's Reach and Control in Assessing the Substantiality Requirement: The Letter of the Law versus the Inherent Nature of Genocide

Onur Uraz, University of Southampton

#### Film Session B

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Introduction to the film by Rubina Peroomian

Enemy of the People, Armenians Look Back at the Stalin Terror (1988)

Director: Zareh Tieknavorian. 60 minutes

#### 1730-1930, KEYNOTE

Abel Smith Lecture Theatre

Chair: Tim Dunne, University of Queensland

## The International Criminal Court: An Essential Instrument to Render Justice

Gloria Atiba Davies, *International Criminal Court* Followed by canapés

## 0730-0815, EMERGING SCHOLARS BREAKFAST MEETING

King's College

Chair: Timothy Williams. Marbura University

#### 0830-1700. REGISTRATION

Tower Fover, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 0900-1030, SESSION 4

#### Genocide Prevention IV

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Stephen McLoughlin, Liverpool Hope University

How to Implement Responsibility to Protect in Practice – an Assessment of the Global R2P Focal Point Initiative

Martin Mennecke, University of Southern Denmark

Genocide as Securitization: Constructing Threat and Identity in the Holocaust

Camilo Torres, University of Calgary

'Cyber-Intervention' as a Means for the Prevention and Mitigation of Genocide in the 21st Century?

Rhiannon Neilsen, University of New South Wales

#### Mass Atrocities in Burma/Myanmar

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Sarah Teitt, University of Queensland

"There we are nothing, here we are nothing!" – The Enduring Effects of Rohingya Persecution in Burma on Their Lives in the Diaspora

Melanie O'Brien, *University of Queensland* 

Gerhard Hoffstaedter, University of Queensland

ASEAN, Myanmar, and the Crisis in Rakhine: From Non-Interference to Non-Indifference?

Noel Morada, University of Queensland

#### **Definitions of Genocide II**

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Peg LeVine. Monash University

The Contours of Justice: Guatemala and Genocide

Regina Paulose, Independent researcher

Discourses of De-Civilizing and De-Humanizing: The Case of Post-2011 Revolution Egypt

Liina Mustonen, European University Institute

ISIS and the Interaction between the Destruction of Cultural Property and Genocide

Jadranka Petrovic, Monash University

#### Victims and the ECCC

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: William Smith, Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia

Justice as Prevention? Minorities and the Dynamics of Identity Politics at the Khmer Rouge Trials

Christoph Sperfeldt, Australian National University

Past Present, Present Passed: Justice and Time Beyond the Khmer Rouge Regime

Caroline Bennett, Victoria University of Wellington

NGOs as Transitional Justice Actors: Qualitative Insights into the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia's Victim Participation Scheme

James Nakis, La Trobe University

#### **Digital Art Installation**

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Beyond Genocide: Silent Power Point Exhibition Amy Fagin, Beyond Genocide Centre for Prevention

#### 1030-1100, MORNING TEA

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1100-1230, SESSION 5

#### **Creative Representations of Genocide Experiences**

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Donna-Lee Frieze. Deakin University

Journalisms of Post-Conflict: Commentary, Resistance and Memory in Owen Maseko's Banned Zimbabwean Genocide Exhibition

Shepherd Mpofu, University of Johannesburg

'My body; a war zone': Documenting Stories on Wartime Sexual Violence in Bosnia and Nepal

Olivera Simić, Griffith University

Continuity of the Kurdish Genocide: An Artist's Account Osman Ahmed, *University of Sulaimani* 

#### The Indonesian post-1965 genocide: reflections on the International People's tribunal on the 1965 crimes against humanity in Indonesia

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Akihisa Matsuno. Osaka University

The Indonesian Killings of 1965 and the International People's Tribunal

Saskia E. Wieringa, University of Amsterdam

IPT Findings on Genocide in Indonesia in 1965

Helen Jarvis, Independent scholar

Symbolic Violence During the Mass Killings of 1965-1966 in Indonesia and the Occupation of Timor Leste (1975–1999)

Annie Pohlman, University of Queensland

#### **Definitions of Genocide III**

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Samantha A. Capicotto, *Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation* 

A Genocide Analysis of the August 1998 Massacre of Shia Hazaras by the Taliban in Mazar-e Sharif, Northern Afghanistan

Dallas Mazoori, Independent researcher

Investigating the Correlation between Genocide and Slavery Ashley Greene, *Keene State College* 

Why the Philippine "War on Drugs" is an Act of Genocide Dahlia Simangan. *Australian National University* 

#### The Role of Historians at Trial

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Deborah Mayersen, University of Wollongong

The Historian at Trial

Rebecca Gidlev. Australian National University

A "Blueprint" for History? Prosecutors, Historians, and the Frankfurt Auschwitz Trial

Mathew Turner, Deakin University

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Amy Fagin, Beyond Genocide Centre for Prevention

#### 1230-1330, LUNCH

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1330-1430, KEYNOTE

Abel Smith Lecture Theatre

Chair: Annie Pohlman, University of Queensland

#### Reckoning with Histories of Acute Violence in Asia

Robert Cribb, Australian National University

#### 1430-1600, SESSION 6

#### **National Mechanisms for Atrocity Crimes Prevention**

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Susan Braden, Cardozo Law Institute

National Mechanisms for Atrocity Crimes Prevention

Samantha A. Capicotto, Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation

The Tanzanian National Committee for Genocide Prevention

Miraji Magai, Tanzanian National Committee for the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide, War Crimes, Crimes Against Humanity and All Forms of Discrimination

The Legal Reparations Program of Ecuador

José Luis Guerra Mayorga, Office of the Ombudsman of Ecuador

## Peace, Justice and Atrocity Prevention in the African Great Lakes Region

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Judith Herrmann, James Cook University

Peace Talks and Peace Agreements: Tools to Prevent or Trigger a Genocide and Mass Atrocities? Case of Burundi

Raphael Manirakiza, University of Sydney

Transitional Justice, Peacebuilding and Mass Atrocity Prevention in Burundi

Wendy Lambourne, University of Sydney

Violent Conflicts, Mass Atrocities and Attempts for Withdrawal from the ICC: Crises of Post-Coloniality or Failure of Peacebuilding Norms? The Case of Burundi and the Democratic Republic of Congo

Aime Saba, University of Sydney

#### **Definitions of Genocide IV**

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Wolf Gruner, University of Southern California, Los Angeles

Genocide Studies and Its Discontents: Lessons from the Field of Peace Studies

Kristina Hook, University of Notre Dame

Genocide and Its Political Use: A Conceptual History

Renato Sabbagh Bahia, *Pontificia Universidade Católica do Rio de Janeiro* 

Prevention Not Intervention: Social Justice and the Empowerment of the Grassroots

Elisa von Joeden-Forgey, Stockton University

Irene Victoria Massimino. Universidad Nacional de Tres de Febrero

#### Justice Across Generational and Territorial Borders

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Rachel Killean, Queen's University Belfast

Justice for the Victims of Stalin's Reign of Terror (The Armenians)

Rubina Peroomian, University of California, Los Angeles

Justice Delayed and the Second-Generation after Genocide: Young Cambodian Perspectives on Justice and Healing in Contemporary Experience.

Kenneth Finis, Macquarie University

A Refugee Truth Commission: Doing justice and creating accountability for genocide

Jennifer Balint, University of Melbourne

#### Film Session C

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Romper Stomper (1992)

Director: Geoffrey Wright, 89 minutes

#### **1600-1630, AFTERNOON TEA**

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1630-1800, SESSION 7

## Critical Genocide Studies and Prevention: Complexity and Everyday Prevention

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Ernesto Verdeja, University of Notre Dame

What is 'Genocide Prevention'? The Case of Sudan and the Implications of Complexity

Louise Wise, Queen Mary University of London

Risky Times and Spaces: Settler Colonialism and the Everyday Ethics of Genocide Prevention through a Virtual Indian Residential School

Adam Muller, *University of Manitoba*Andrew Woolford, *University of Manitoba*Struan Sinclair, *University of Manitoba* 

#### Genocide in the African Great Lakes Region

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Stephanie Wolfe, Weber State University

1972 Hutu Genocide: Breaking the Silence in View to Preventing Further Genocide in Burundi

Peter Taratara, *Burundian Survivors of the 1972 Hutu Genocide*Frederic Nzevimana. *Burundian Survivors of the 1972 Hutu Genocide* 

Intimacy in Silence: The Process of "Family" Reconfiguration in Southwestern Rwanda

Yukiko Kondo, *Kyoto University* 

#### Film and Genocide I

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Mark Drumbl, *Transnational Law Institute, Washington and Lee University* 

Film and the Khmer Rouge Tribunal: Proof and Prevention

Emma Palmer, University of New South Wales

Sarah Williams, University of New South Wales

The Look of Silence, the 1965-66 Indonesian Genocide, and the Ethics of Atonement

Marguerite La Caze, University of Queensland

#### **Curating Memories of Genocide**

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Adam Muller. University of Manitoba

Voices from the Ashes: Survivor Testimony and the Possibility of Education Playing a Role in Genocide Prevention

Ari Lander, Sydney Jewish Museum

What's in a Place? Revisiting Memorial Museums Located on Former Sites of Atrocities

Jessica Heidrich, University of Queensland

#### Film Session D

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Island of Lies (1991)

Director: Gillian Coote, 56 minutes

Road to Justice (2016)

Director: Ferry Putra, 23 minutes

#### 1830-1930, EXHIBITION OPENING

The Innes Room, Level 4, Union Building (#21A)

Drinks and canapés will be served.

#### Culture Under Attack - Opening of Photographic Exhibition

Hosted by the Australian Red Cross and Asia Pacific Centre for the Responsibility to Protect

#### 0830-1700, REGISTRATION

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 0900-1030, SESSION 8

#### Genocide Prevention V

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Deborah Mayersen, University of Wollongong

Organising Governmental Structures for Atrocity Prevention

Tibi Galis, Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation

Preventing Genocide: The Policy Value of Atrocity Forecasting with

Quantitative Models

Sascha Nanlohy, *University of Sydney* 

Benjamin Goldsmith, University of Sydney

Charles Butcher, Norwegian University of Science and Technology

Implementing the 'Peace-Continuum': An Assessment of the Emerging UN Reform Agenda

Cecilia Jacob. Australian National University

#### Genocide of the Yazidi and Kurds

W349. Level 3. Forgan Smith

Chair: JoAnn DiGeorgio-Lutz, Texas A&M University at Galveston

Defying Genocide: Acts of Resistance by Armenian and Yazidi Women

Nikki Marczak, Australian Institute for Holocaust and Genocide Studies

Humanitarian Intervention at Mt. Sinjar, Iraq: A Complex Adaptive Systems Analysis

Trevor C. Jones, Lynx Global Intelligence

#### Film and Genocide II

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Kirril Shields, University of Queensland

The Kapo on Film: Tragic Perpetrators and Imperfect Victims

Mark Drumbl. Transnational Law Institute. Washington and Lee University.

The Polish and Their Shifting Representations in the Holocaust

Genre

Theresa McMackin, Stockton University

## Cambodian Genocide Case Study: Cambodian Association of Greater Philadelphia Oral History

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Caroline Bennett, Victoria University of Wellington

Witness to Genocide - First-Generation Survivors Brenda Gaydosh, West Chester University of Pennsylvania

Bearing Witness to Genocide: The "1½" Generation Story

Jenna Fagan, West Chester University of Pennsylvania Growing up with Genocide: The 2nd Generation Gabrielle Flamm. West Chester University of Pennsylvania

#### **Digital Art Installation**

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#### 1030-1100, MORNING TEA

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1100-1230, SESSION 9

## Implementing the Responsibility to Protect: Future Challenges

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Alex Bellamy, University of Queensland

China, Syria and the Politics of Atrocities Prevention

Sarah Teitt. University of Queensland

Implementing Protections for Internally Displaced Persons: The

Gulf between Legal and Physical Protection

Phil Orchard, University of Queensland

R2P in a Time of Trump

Alex Bellamy, University of Queensland

#### Cross-National Experiences of Genocide Memorialisation

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Daniel Feierstein, Universidad Nacional de Tres de Febrero

Nunca Más? Gender and Genocide Memorialization in Guatemala

JoAnn DiGeorgio-Lutz, Texas A&M University at Galveston

Ella McIntire, Texas A&M University at Galveston

Human Rights and Genocide Prevention in Latin America

María Eugenia Carbone, Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation; Latin American Network for Genocide and Mass Atrocity Prevention

Memory, Testimony, and Pedagogy in Genocide Museums and Related Sites of Conscience

Donna-Lee Frieze, *Deakin University* 

Adam Muller, *University of Manitoba* 

Steven Cooke, Deakin University

#### Japanese Atrocities in the Second World War

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Robert Cribb, Australian National University

The Victimization of Okinawa: A Professor Involved in Structural

Evil

Akio Kimura, Kitami Institute of Technology

Anti-Guerrilla Warfare and Genocidal Violence: Creating

'uninhabitable zones' in the Japanese Empire, 1937-1945

Kelly Maddox, Daiwa Anglo-Japanese Foundation

#### Transitional Justice in Rwanda

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Wendy Lambourne. University of Sydney

Memorializing Genocide within Rwanda

Stephanie Wolfe, Weber State University

Michael Ballif, Weber State University

"We are judges now": The Elected Lay Jurists of Rwanda's Gacaca Courts

Hollie Nyseth Brehm, The Ohio State University

"I wanted them to be punished or at least ask us for forgiveness": Justice Needs of Rwandan Survivors of Sexual-violence and their Experiences with Gacaca

Judith Herrmann, James Cook University

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#### 1330-1430, KEYNOTE

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Chair: Kirril Shields. University of Queensland

## The Trouble with Genocide in Tasmania: A Review of Recent Debates

Lyndall Ryan, University of Newcastle

#### 1430-1600, SESSION 10

#### The UN Security Council and Mass Atrocities

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Phil Orchard, University of Queensland

R2P and the Last Resort Requirement

Maartje Weerdesteijn, Utrecht University

The Role of the UNSC in Preventing Genocide

Jess Gifkins, Leeds Beckett University

The Politicisation of the Genocide Label: A Discourse Analysis of Genocide Rhetoric by the United Nations Security Council Permanent Five

Michelle Ringrose, Queensland University of Technology

#### Memory and the Holocaust

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Adam Muller, University of Manitoba

Memorialization as an Expression of Democracy

Karen Frostig, The Vienna Project

Through German Eyes: German Amateur Photos and Trans-Generational Renegotiations of the Holocaust

Kirril Shields, University of Queensland

Strangers in a Strange Land: Post-WWII Jewish Refugees and the Creation of a Community Holocaust Museum

Emily Sample, Holocaust Museum Houston

#### **Culture and Genocide**

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Henry Theriault, Worcester State University

Erosion or Reclamation: The Ruins of Ani and Armenian Turkish Post-Genocide Reconciliation

Peter Balakian, Colgate University

Arabization as Genocide: The Case of the Disputed Territories in Iraq

Mohammed Ihsan, International University of Erbil

Genocide and the Destruction of Cultural Property: Exploring the Possibilities of Justice for the Cham

Rachel Killean, Queen's University Belfast

#### Representations of Genocide

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Lyndall Ryan, University of Newcastle

Echoes of Persecution: The Case of Indonesia, 1965-68

Christian Gerlach, University of Bern

Reading the Law of Genocide through the Lens of Literature Clotilde Pégorier, *University of Essex* 

The Representation of Genocide in the Years of Postmodernity Theodoros Pelekanidis, *Humboldt University, Berlin* 

#### Film Session E

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

The Look of Silence (2014)

Director: Joshua Oppenheimer, 103 minutes

#### <u>1600-1630, AFTERNOON TEA</u>

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1630-1800, SESSION 11

## Critical Genocide Studies and Prevention: Risks of the Genocide Concept

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Donna-Lee Frieze, Deakin University

Critical Genocide Studies and the End of the Genocide Concept

Dirk Moses, *University of Sydney* 

Human Rights? What a Good Idea! From Universal Jurisdiction to Preventive Criminology

Daniel Feierstein. Universidad Nacional de Tres de Febrero

Convention on Genocide Approaching 70

Ewelina Urszula Ochab, University of Kent

#### Genocide Memory in Archives, Records and Museums

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Adam Jones, University of British Colombia

Three Museums of Suffering - Memory, Education and National Identity

Katarzyna Jarosz, International University of Logistics and Transport

Witnessing Argentina's 40 Year Legacy of Truth, Justice and Memory: A Conversation

Amy Fagin, Beyond Genocide Centre for Prevention

Johann Peiris, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

Justice, Genocide Memory and Access to Records

Tricia Logan, Royal Holloway, University of London

#### Genocide Recognition and Denial

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Rubina Peroomian, University of California, Los Angeles

The Presencing of Absence: Art as a Strategy for Overcoming Armenian Genocide Denial in Turkey Today

Armen Marsoobian, Southern Connecticut State University

The Recognition of Armenian Genocide by the German Bundestag Ani Hambardzumyan, *Yerevan State University* 

Apology as an Act of Denial: Diplomatic State Craft and Genocide in the Turkish Context

Tunç Aybak, Middlesex University

#### Genocidal Symbolic Violence I

W426, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Caroline Bennett, Victoria University of Wellington

Ritualcide as Priming to Genocide: The Case of the Khmer Rouge in Cambodia

Peg LeVine, Monash University

The Body at the Centre of Genocide: Beheadings and Affective Responses to Horrific Crimes

Constance Duncombe, University of Queensland

#### Film Session F

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Naked Among Wolves (Nackt unter Wölfen) (1963)

Director: Frank Beyer, 119 minutes

#### 1815-1850, PIZZA DINNER

Pizza Caffe, Union Building

#### 1900-2100, FILM SCREENING: "DENIAL" (2016)

Schonell Theatre

Director: Mick Jackson, 109 minutes Gold Coin Donation

#### 0830-0900, REGISTRATION

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 0900-1015, KEYNOTE

Abel Smith Lecture Theatre

Chair: Melanie O'Brien, University of Queensland

### Justice for Genocide in Cambodia - The Case of the Prosecution at the ECCC

William Smith, Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia

#### 1030-1100, MORNING TEA

Tower Fover, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1100-1230, SESSION 12

#### Issues of Justice and Impunity in the Armenian Genocide

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Henry Theriault. Worcester State University

Justice: The Case of the Armenian Genocide

Tamar Ankeshian. Independent scholar

Richard Serop Aslanian, Independent scholar

Theories of Naturalisation and the Struggle for Recognition: Armenian-Americans and the American-Turkish Claims Commission

Juliet Davis, Queensland University of Technology

Impunity and Victimization of Ottoman Armenians as Supportive Condition for the Genocide

Suren Manukyan, Armenian Genocide Museum-Institute

#### Teaching Secondary and Tertiary Students about Genocide

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Ashley Greene, Keene State College

Interweaving Histories: Genocide in the Australian Curriculum

Panayiotis Diamadis, Australian Institute for Holocaust and Genocide Studies; University of Technology, Sydney

"We have such a sad history": Armenian Students' Perceptions of Historical Events Affecting Cultural Identity

Doris Melkonian, University of California, Los Angeles

Teaching Genocide by Engaging Undergraduates in Research Arda Melkonian, *University of California*, *Los Angeles* 

#### Genocidal Symbolic Violence II

W431, Level 4, Forgan Smith

Chair: Lvndall Rvan. University of Newcastle

My body is no longer mine, but my soul will be mine forever': Women and Sexual Violence During the Indonesian Occupation of East Timor (1975-99)

Hannah Lonev. University of Melbourne

The Language of Revolutionary Violence: Killing and Take Over in the Making of Modern Indonesia

Robbie Peters, University of Sydney

Nudity as a Vehicle of Symbolic Violence in the Nazi Camps Bieke Van Camp, *Université Paul-Valéry* 

#### **Digital Art Installation**

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Beyond Genocide: Silent Power Point Exhibition Amy Fagin, Beyond Genocide Centre for Prevention

#### 1230-1330, BBQ AND GELATO LUNCH

Alumni Court

BBQ at participants' own cost; BBQ run by the R2P Student Coalition. Gelato complimentary.

#### 1330-1500, SESSION 13

## Genocide in the Ancient World: Iron Age Levant and Roman Empire

W332, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Robbie Peters, University of Sydney

Genocidal Texts and Interethnic Violence in the Iron Age Levant Tracy Lemos. *University of Western Ontario* 

Between Clemency and Genocide: The Representation of Mass-

Violence in Praise of the Roman Emperors Tristan Taylor, *University of New England* 

Julius Caesar and Roman Laws of War

Jane Bellemore, University of Newcastle

#### Teaching the Genocide Experience in Different Contexts

W349, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Brenda Gaydosh, West Chester University of Pennsylvania

Prevention of Genocide and Mass Atrocities: Educating Future Military Planners

Michael Weaver, U.S. Army Command & General Staff College

Teaching Genocide Education in Tasmanian Schools

Jordana Schmidt, St James Catholic College

How Can Education Help Prevent Mass Atrocities?
Clara Ramírez Barat, Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation

#### Film Session G

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Sweet Dreams (2012)

Director: Lisa Fruchtman and Rob Fruchtman, 84 minutes

#### Early Career Scholars Workshop: Career Development

E302, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Phil Orchard, University of Queensland

Introduction and Facilitated Discussion of Participants' Current Research Projects

**Publication Strategies** 

Looking for Funding

#### <u>1500-1530, AFTERNOON TEA</u>

Tower Foyer, Level 3, Forgan Smith

#### 1530-1700, SESSION 14

#### Film Session H

Moot Court W237, Level 2, Forgan Smith

Once My Mother (2014)

Director: Sophia Turkiewicz, 73 minutes

#### Early Career Scholars Workshop: Research Skills

E302, Level 3, Forgan Smith

Chair: Phil Orchard, University of Queensland

Research at the United Nations

Fieldwork in Dangerous Places

Issues with Fieldwork Transcription



## Call for Papers Justice and the Prevention of Genocide

(Special issue to be published in 2018)

The editors of *Genocide Studies and Prevention: An International Journal* are presently soliciting papers for an upcoming special issue of the journal on the theme of **Justice and the Prevention of Genocide**.

This special issue follows the IAGS2017 conference theme and revisits the two core components of the Convention: justice for acts of genocide and prevention of future genocides. The editors welcome the submission of manuscripts in any of the categories below:

- Application of international and domestic law for justice, accountability and prevention
- Theories and methods of prevention of genocide and mass atrocities
- Indigenous experiences of and responses to genocide, in particular Australian Aborigines and Torres Strait Islanders
- · Cases of genocidal violence in the Asia Pacific region
- · Sexual and gender-based violence
- · Genocide and disability
- Justice and prevention in the context of refugees of genocide
- · Representations of genocide in culture, art and museum studies
- Genocide education
- Genocide and human rights

Papers need to be formatted according to GSP guidelines and submitted electronically through the GSP website via the "Submit Article" link at <a href="http://scholarcommons.usf.edu/gsp/">http://scholarcommons.usf.edu/gsp/</a>.

Submissions must be received by 31 October 2017. Queries: Dr. Melanie O'Brien, guest editor for the special edition at <a href="mailto:mobrien@genocidescholars.org">mobrien@genocidescholars.org</a>.

## GENOCIDE STUDIES INTERNATIONAL

New from *Genocide Studies International...*Non-State Aspects of Genocide
http://bit.ly/GSI102

The Islamic State's Êzîdî Genocide in Iraq: The Sinjār Operations by Fazil Moradi & Kjell Anderson

Why Was Benghazi "Saved," but Sinjar Allowed to Be Lost? New Failures of Genocide Prevention, 2007–2015 by Hannibal Travis

What Could Not Be Written: A Study of the Oral Transmission of Sayfo Genocide Memory Among Assyrians by Naures Atto

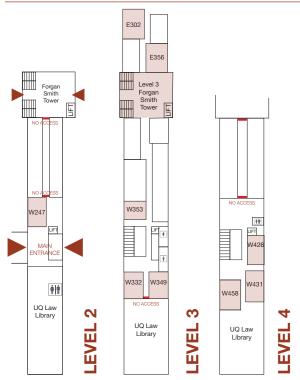
Holocaust Denial and Holocaust Memory: The Case of Ernst Zündel by Jason Tingler

**Reshaping Gender Norms in Post-Genocide Rwanda** by Sara E. Brown

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