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**InIIS-BIGSSS Colloquium**

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Monday 16-18

InIIS, Mary-Somerville-Str. 7, room 7.2210

The InIIS-BIGSSS-Colloquium brings together researchers from InIIS, doctoral and post-doctoral fellows from BIGSSS field A, and other people interested in its topics. It offers an opportunity to present and discuss current research in the areas of International Relations, Political Theory, and European Studies.

There are two basic formats (including the possibility of hybrid forms):

- “Papers” are circulated to the participants approximately one week before the session, which is introduced by a discussant’s summary and comments (up to 20 minutes). There is no additional summary by the paper-giver, who may, however, briefly describe the context of the paper at the beginning of the meeting (no more than five minutes, no slides).
- “Talks” may or may not be based on a paper distributed prior to the session. The expected length is about 30 minutes, and there will be no discussant.

Papers should be sent to the two coordinators: Klaus Schlichte (klaus.schlichte@uni-bremen.de); Martin Nonhoff (martin.nonhoff@uni-bremen.de), who will make them available to participants. As indicated above, presenters are asked to provide their papers at least one week in advance to give the discussants a realistic chance to read the paper thoroughly.

**Schedule**

Date	Paper/Talk*	Discussant/Remarks
16 Oct 2017	<i>Marlin Téllez Pedroza</i> : Mass Hysteria in Colombia: From ‘magical realism’ to ‘new materialism’	Paper and comment Comment: Klaus Schlichte
23 Oct 2017	<u>Dissertation Proposal Defenses</u> <i>Ivan Bakalov</i> : Soft Power Revisited: Tracing the Mechanisms of Russian Soft Power in Ukraine  <i>Thuy Dung Le</i> : Global Governance of Labor Rights - the Intermediaries in Transnational and State Regulation Process	Please note: This session will be for a full two hours (16:00 sharp until 18:00 sharp); one full hour per defense!

30 Oct 2017	<p><u>Dissertation Proposal Defenses</u></p> <p><i>Hawa Noor:</i> Religious Radicalization and Political Violence in the Eastern and Horn of Africa: The Case of al-Shabaab</p> <p><i>Alexander Meland:</i> The World Economic Forum: A Contemporary Study of Global Interaction and Agenda-setting</p>	Please note: This session will be for a full two hours (16:00 sharp until 18:00 sharp); one full hour per defense!
6 Nov 2017	<i>Elizaveta Gaufman</i> (Universität Bremen): Performing Foreign Policy on Social Networks	Paper and comment Comment: Uli Franke
13 Nov 2017		
20 Nov 2017	<i>Klaus Schlichte:</i> Why there is no global order. On the forgotten historicity of international politics	Paper and comment Comment: Anna Wolkenhauer
27 Nov 2017	<i>Antje Wiener</i> (Universität Hamburg): Constitution and Contestation of Norms in Global International Relations	Guest lecture on new book
4 Dec 2017	<i>Alex Veit</i> (Universität Bremen): The political economy of interventions against sexual violence in the Democratic Republic of Congo	Talk
11 Dec 2017	<i>Stefan Wallaschek</i> (BIGSSS): 'Solidarity is not a one-way street': Discourse networks on Europe's financial and migration crisis in Germany	Paper and comment Comment: Raphael Heiberger
18 Dec 2017	<i>Karsten Schubert</i> (BIGSSS): [Radikale Rechtskritik und Migration]	
8 Jan 2018	<i>Uli Franke</i> (Universität Bremen): Disruptor of the European Union or leader of the West?	Paper and comment Comment: Roy Karadag
15 Jan 2018	<i>Florian Wittmann</i> (BIGSSS): Is one euro always one euro? Different goods and vote-seeking in EU fund allocation	Paper and comment Comment: open
22 Jan 2018	<i>Roy Karadag</i> (Universität Bremen): 25 years of 'The Clash of Civilizations' – Was Huntington right?	Talk

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Time: Mo 4-6 p.m. – Place: [InIIS](#) 2210 – Projector and laptop are supplied if you ask for it in advance.

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