



Centre for
**Global
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Research**

New Fellows at the Centre

Upcoming Fellows in October 2017



Prof Dr Anja Jetschke

Joint Fellow GCR21 / In-EAST, October 2017 – March 2018

Research Project: *Diffusion and the Institutional Design of Asian International Organizations*

Anja Jetschke is the Chair of International Relations at the Department of Political Science, University of Göttingen since April 2012. She is also head of Research Programme 4 on "Power, Norms and Governance in International Relations" at the German Institute of Global and Area Studies in Hamburg (www.gigahamburg.de). Until 2012, Anja Jetschke was the Academic Director of the Hamburg International Graduate School for the Study of Regional Powers at the GIGA.

Anja Jetschke received her PhD in 2001 from the European University Institute in Florence. Her dissertation dealt with the effects of international human rights norms on state behavior (Human Rights and State Security: The Philippines and Indonesia, University of Pennsylvania Press). From 2001 to 2008 she held the position of an Assistant Professor at the Department of Political Science of the University of Freiburg.

Research Interests: Comparative Regional Studies
 Transitional Justice
 International Human Rights Standards

More information: <https://www.uni-goettingen.de/en/219114.html>



Dr Peter Finkenbusch

Postdoc Fellow, October 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *Governance in an Age of Unknowability: Facilitating Urban Resilience in the Americas*

Peter Finkenbusch obtained his PhD at the Free University Berlin in 2014 with a thesis on "The Knowledge Paradox of Statebuilding". His research focuses on international policy discourse and practices of intervention, particularly in Latin America. Before joining the KHK, Peter worked as a Researcher at the Institute for Development and Peace (INEF) at the University of Duisburg-Essen.

Research Interests: Resilience
 Neo-Liberalism
 International Intervention
 Security Governance
 Latin America
 Statebuilding

More information: https://inef.uni-due.de/?article_id=42&clang=1&user=pfinkenbusch



Current Fellows at the Centre



Dr Stephen Adaawen

Postdoc Fellow, April 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *The Challenges of Regional Migration and Cooperation: The Case of Ghana and Nigeria'*

Dr Stephen Adaawen holds a PhD in Geography from the University of Bonn. He currently works at the Center for Development Research at the University of Bonn. He specializes on Migration and Climate Change impact in Ghana and West Africa.

Research Interests: Migration Studies
Resource Governance
Food Security
Population Studies
Climate Change Adaptation
Rural Development

More Information: <https://www.qcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-3/stephen-adaawen/>



Dr Ayşe Çavdar

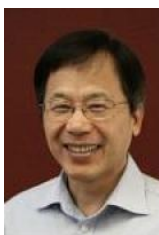
Postdoc Fellow, January – December 2017

Research Project: *Religiosity and Political Islam in Turkey*

Ayşe Çavdar studied journalism at Ankara University and holds a master in History from Boğaziçi University. She holds a PhD from Viadrina University Frankfurt (Oder), title: "Loss of Modesty: The Adventure of a Muslim Family from a Mahalle to a Gated Community". She was a visiting fellow at the Department of Politics of the Near and Middle East at Philipps University Marburg, and at the Centre of Modern Oriental Studies in Berlin. From 2009 to 2013 she was a fellow at Metro Zones Berlin, researching on "Global Prayers: Redemption and Liberation in the City".

Research Interests: Anthropology of Religion
Urban Studies
Cultural and Social Anthropology
History
Media and Communication Studies

More Information: <https://www.qcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-2/ayse-cavdar/>



Prof. Dr Gerald Chan

Joint Fellow GCR21 / In-EAST, September 2017 – February 2018

Research Project: *Silk Roads and Bullet Trains: Assessing China's New Diplomacy*

Gerald Chan obtained his PhD in Chinese politics and history at Griffith University in Australia and his MA in International Relations at the University of Kent, U.K. Gerald has taught international relations and Asian politics for 15 years at Victoria University of Wellington. He has held visiting or short-term positions at many universities, including the Chinese University of Hong Kong, Cambridge University, the National University of Singapore, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, and Kobe-Gakuin University in Japan. He is a Life Member of Clare Hall, Cambridge. Before he joined the University of Auckland in 2009, he was Professor of East Asian Politics and Director of the Centre for Contemporary Chinese Studies at Durham University, UK.

Research Interests: Chinese Politics and International Relations
Globalisation and Global Governance
International Organisations and Cooperation
East Asian Politics

More Information: <http://www.arts.auckland.ac.nz/people/qcha052>



Dr Eric Grynawiski

Senior Fellow, July – December 2017

Research Project: *The Problem of Social Integration in International Politics*

Eric Grynawiski is an Associate Professor of Political Science and International Affairs at George Washington University. His research interests focus on sociological and ethical approaches to international cooperation, as well as the philosophy of science. He earned his Ph.D. at Ohio State University in 2010.

Research Interests: International Relations
 International Cooperation
 Political Culture
 Cold War
 Constructivism
 Conflict

More information: <http://www.ericgrynawiski.com/>
<https://www.gcr21.org/de/fellows/forschungsbereich-2/eric-grynawiski/>



Dr Petra Gümplová

Fellow, April 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *(Dis)Illusions of the Empowered: Moral Psychology of Resistance in Postdemocratic Age*

Dr Petra Gümplová holds a PhD from The New School for Social Research, New York, USA. She specializes in political and legal theory and her research fields include natural resources, territorial rights, human rights, constitutionalism, democracy, and global justice. Her book *Sovereignty and Constitutional Democracy* was published in 2011 with Nomos. Currently, Petra Gümplová works on a book on natural resources and justice.

Research Interests: International Political Theory and Global Justice
 Theory and Practice of State Sovereignty and Constitutionalism
 Theories of Globalization, Global Justice, International Law, Human Rights, Territorial Rights, and Rights to Natural Resources

More Information: <https://www.gcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-4/petra-guemplova/>



Prof. Dr Gunther Hellmann

Senior Fellow, August 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *Scenario Building and Future Narratives*

Prof. Dr Gunther Hellmann is Professor of Political Sciences at Goethe University Frankfurt/Main, Germany. He was visiting professor at the SAIS Bologna Center of the John Hopkins University, at the Dartmouth College and a Senior Fellow in the programme “The Future of the Western Liberal Order” at Transatlantic Academy, Washington, D.C. He is a member of the editorial board of the “Review of International Studies”.

Research Interests: International Relations Theory
 Foreign Policy Analysis
 Transatlantic and European Security
 European Integration
 Democracy and International Relations

More information: <http://www.fb03.uni-frankfurt.de/42427960/hellmann>



Dr Pablo Holmes

Fellow, August 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *Global Changes and Transnational Polities: Does Fragmented Post-Democratic Constitutionalization Foster Global Social Exclusion?*

Pablo Holmes is adjunct professor at the Institute for Political Sciences at the University of Brasília and a PostDoc of the Faculty of Law at the same university. He holds a Bachelor and a Master in Law from the University of Recife, Brasil, and a doctor of Sociology from the University of Flensburg, Germany. He is coordinator of the postgraduate programme in Political Sciences from the University of Brasília. He is author of the book "Verfassungsevolution in der Weltgesellschaft" (Nomos).

Research Interests: Political Theory
Political Sociology
Theory of Law
Constitutional Theory

More information: <https://www.qcr21.org/de/fellows/forschungsbereich-2/pablo-holmes/>



Dr Joe Hoover

Fellow, May 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *Justice and the Global City*

Joe Hoover is a lecturer in Political Theory in the School of Politics and International Politics at Queen Mary University of London. He has worked previously at City University London, Royal Holloway and the London School of Economics and Political Science, where he also received his PhD.

Research Interests: Political Theory
Global Ethics
Human Rights and International Law
The Right to Housing
The Right to the City

More Information: <https://joe-hoover.org/>
<https://www.qcr21.org/de/fellows/forschungsbereich-3/joe-hoover/>



Dr Yannis Kallianos

Fellow, February 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *Crisis, Legitimacy, and Social Contestation: The Everyday Politics of (De)Legitimation Processes and the Predicament of Democracy in Southern Europe*

Yannis Kallianos completed his PhD in social anthropology at St Andrews University. His work has focused on non-institutionalized politics, grassroots practices, political imaginaries and social contestation in Greece. He has also published on the production of public space, infrastructures and the city from an interdisciplinary context. His research is also concerned with crisis and political legitimacy.

Research Interests: Non-Institutionalized Politics
Grassroots Practices
Political Imaginaries and Social Contestation in Greece

More Information: <https://www.qcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-4/yannis-kallianos/>



Charmaine Misalucha-Willoughby, Ph.D.

Joint Research Fellow GCR21 / In-EAST, September 2017 – February 2018

Research Project: *How to change the Game of Security Cooperation: The Case of the ASEAN-China Strategic Partnership*

Charmaine Misalucha-Willoughby is Associate Professor in the International Studies Department of De La Salle University in Manila, Philippines. Her areas of specialization are US-Southeast Asia relations, ASEAN, and alliances. She was an Advanced Security Cooperation Fellow (ASC15-2) at the Daniel K. Inouye Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies in Honolulu, a Visiting Research Fellow under a Japan Foundation grant in the Osaka School of International Public Policy at Osaka University in Japan, and a recipient of the inaugural US-ASEAN Fulbright Program. She did her fellowship in the School of International Service at American



University in Washington, DC. She received her PhD from the S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies at the Nanyang Technological University in Singapore.

Research Interests: Theories of International Relations
Security Cooperation
Foreign Policy
Southeast Asia
ASEAN

More Information:

http://www.dlsu.edu.ph/faculty/fis/faculty_info.asp?fac_id=10397791



Dr. Mariana Nardone

Postdoc-Fellow, April 2016 – August 2017 (in Duisburg until January 2018)

Research project: *UNHCR-NGO cooperation in “traditional”, “emerging” and “new” refugee resettlement countries from a neo-institutionalism perspective*

Currently Nardone is working as consultant for the InterAmerican Heart Foundation on the Research project on “Child and youth obesity in Argentina (funded by UNICEF). From 2013 until spring 2015 Nardone was a Research Fellow at the Queensland University of Technology in Brisbane. Before working in Brisbane Nardone finished her PhD in Social Sciences at FLACSO- Argentina in Buenos Aires in 2013 and worked as Lecturer at the Del Salvador University in Buenos Aires.

Research Interests: Migration and refugees
Social capital
Urbanization
Civil society in Latin America

More Information: <http://www.gcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-2/mariana-nardone/>



Dr James Nyomakwa-Obimpeh

Postdoc Fellow, July – December 2018

Research Project: *Exploring the Role of Culture in EU-Africa Regional Trade Relations*

James Nyomakwa-Obimpeh has spent most of his professional career working on the external policies of the European Union. He has been a consultant to European Parliament, European Universities Association (EUA), Association of African Universities (AAU) and Marie Curie Fellow at the Universities of Cologne (Germany) and Edinburgh (Scotland) in recent years. His research interests border on trade and development cooperation policies of the European Union towards the African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) Group of States, EU-Africa political and economic relations, European Union governance and political institutions, aid effectiveness, global governance, and international trade negotiations. Mr Nyomakwa-Obimpeh holds Masters in Public Policy and Masters in Public Administration from Central European University (Hungary) and University of York (UK) respectively under the Erasmus Mundus Master's programmes sponsored by the European Commission. He is a graduate of the University of Ghana.

Research Interests: International Trade Policies and Negotiations
EU External Policies
Culture and International Cooperation/Negotiations
EU-Africa Political Cooperation and Partnership
Global Development Aid Policies and Aid Effectiveness
European Union Political and Governance Systems
Internationalisation of Higher Education Policies

More information: <https://www.gcr21.org/de/fellows/forschungsbereich-2/james-nyomakwa-obimpeh/>



Dr Deepshikha Shahi

Fellow, April 2017 – January 2018

Research Project: *Indian Philosophical Contribution to Post-Western International Relations Theory: Introducing Advaita as an Alternative Epistemological Resource for Understanding World Politics*

Deepshikha Shahi is Assistant Professor of Political Science at University of Delhi, India. She is also affiliated with International Democracy Watch in Italy and Transnational Institute in Amsterdam. Her recent publications include 'Engaging with the post-secular moment in post-9/11 Afghanistan: the search for a "humanist" political discourse', Cambridge Review of International Affairs and 'Rethinking the absence of post-Western International Relations theory in India: "Advaitic monism" as an alternative epistemological resource', European Journal of International Relations.

Research Interests: World Politics from an Indian Philosophical Standpoint
Advaitic Monism
Indian Theoretical and Policy-Related Discourses

More Information: <https://www.qcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-3/deepshikha-shahi/>



Dr rer. pol. Winfried Veit

Senior Expert Fellow, February – December 2017

Research Project: *Prospective Migration Policy - Scenario Construction on the Relations between Europe and West Africa*

Dr Winfried Veit is a political scientist and lecturer for International Relations at the University of Freiburg. Until 2011, he worked for the Friedrich Ebert Foundation as a head of division for Eastern Europe and Central Asia as well as head of office in South Africa, Israel, Paris, and Geneva.

Research Interests: European Foreign and Security Policy
Future Research and Scenario Methodology
EU-Africa Relations

More Information: <https://www.qcr21.org/fellows/research-unit-3/winfried-veit/>