Workshop Programme:

Resource Sector Reforms and Policy Change: Creating Inclusive Growth?

Date: 19-20 May 2016

Venue: University of Koblenz Landau
Conference Room (Building C I)
Fortstr. 7
76829 Landau

Organised by: Nina Engwicht, Peace Academy Rhineland-Palatinate
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Thursday, 19 May 2016

13:30 – 13:45 Welcome

13:45 PANEL 1: Industrial Policy Reforms, Economic Diversification and Inclusive Growth?

13:45 – 14:20 Industrial Policy in Resource-Rich Countries
Prof. Dr. Helmut Asche, University of Mainz
Discussant: Christina Wolf

14:20 – 14:55 Natural Resource Endowment and Industrial Development in Sub-Saharan Africa
Elvis Melia, Deutsches Institut für Entwicklungspolitik (DIE)
Discussant: Prof. Dr. Helmut Asche

Christina Saulich, University of Koblenz-Landau
Discussant: Elvis Melia

15:30 – 16:05 Chinese Resource-backed Construction Projects and Economic Diversification in Angola and Ethiopia
Christina Wolf, SOAS, University of London
Discussant: Christina Saulich

16:05 – 16:30 Tea Break
16:30 \textbf{PANEL 2: Resource Sector Reform, Inclusive Governance and Contestation in Conflict-Affected Societies}

16:30 – 17:05 What Happens to War-Economies when War Ends? Change and Continuity of Natural Resource Markets in Post-Conflict Societies  
\textit{Dr. des. Nina Engwicht, Peace Academy Rhineland-Palatinate}  
Discussant: Janpeter Schilling

17:05 – 17:40 For Better or Worse: Major Developments Affecting Resource and Conflict Dynamics in Northwest Kenya  
\textit{Janpeter Schilling, University of Hamburg}  
Discussant: Linda Walbott

17:40 – 18:15 Prospects of transforming war economies in Latin America: The relevance of natural resource governance for conflicts and peace processes in Colombia and Peru  
\textit{Linda Walbott}  
Discussant: Nina Engwicht

19:30 \textit{Dinner with workshop participants}  
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10:00 \textbf{PANEL 3: Power Relations and Paper Tigers: National and International Actors and Natural Resource Politics}

10:00 – 10:35 Theoretical Approaches to the Relations Between PDVSA and the Venezuelan State  
\textit{Ivan Capriles, Humboldt-University Berlin}  
Discussant: Yann Wernert

10:35 – 11:10 The (international) politics of natural resources: A Latin American Perspective  
\textit{Fabrizio Rodriguez, University of Freiburg & Arnold Bergstraesser Institute for Socio-Cultural Research}  
Discussant: Ivan Capriles

11:10 – 11:45 European Initiatives in the Raw Materials Sector: Better Governance through International Standards?  
\textit{Yann Wernert, University of Potsdam}  
Discussant: Fabrizio Rodriguez

11:45 – 12:15 \textit{Tea Break}

12:15 – 13:00 Summary of Discussion; Possibilities of Future Collaboration and Publication Opportunities

13:00 – 13:30 Update on the Working Group “Nature, Resources and Conflicts”  
\textit{Louisa Prause, Co-founder of the Working Group}

13:30 Closing Remarks