

6<sup>th</sup> EWIS, Krakow, June 2019

**The next Hundred Years' Crisis -  
The Realist Tradition in IR as *(the) Enlightenment?***

**Workshop Convenor:**

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**Final Programme**

**Wednesday, 26 June**

09.00 - Registration

14.00 - 15.45 EWIS Plenary Session 1

15.45 - 16.15 Coffee Break

16.15 - 18.00 EWIS Plenary Session 2

18.00 - 20.00 EWIS Opening Reception

**Thursday, 27 June**

**09.00 - 10.30 Workshop Session 1 – Legal Realism and (International) Law**

**Opening (09:00 – 09:15)**

Welcome words, providing the scene & arguing the rationale of the Workshop:

**by Alex Reichwein**

**Philip Liste** (Käthe-Hamburger Kolleg, University Duisburg-Essen)

*Legal Realism*

**Olivier Zajec** (University Lyon)

*Legal Realism in the US in the Interwar Period*

**Discussants:** Olivier ZAJEC (Liste paper) & Keith SMITH (Zajec paper)

**Time frame:** Paper presentation 15 min. each, discussants 5 min. each, discussion 35 min.

10.30 - 11.00 Coffee Break

**11.00 - 12.30 Workshop Session 2 – Classical Realism: Key figures and thought**

**Matteo Casiraghi & Francesco Testini** (University of Milan / University of Milan)

*Intellectuals, politicians and rhetorical political analysis: Machiavelli à la carte in the Italian Parliament 1861-1994*

**Alex Reichwein** (Justus-Liebig-University Gießen)

*Morgenthau as a 'conscious pariah'? Realism, power politics, and the responsibility of the intellectuals*

**Christoph Rohde** (University Munich)

*Bringing theology back into IR – How continental theology shaped Reinhold Niebuhr's Christian Realism*

**Disc.:** Fra. TESTINI (Reichwein), Chr. ROHDE (Casiraghi/Testini), P. LISTE (Rohde)

Paper presentation 15 min. each max., each discussant 5 min., discussion 30 min.

12.30 - 14.00 Lunch break (lunch not provided by EISA)

**14.00 - 15.30 Workshop Session 3 – Neo-Realism, Polarity, and the BoP revisited**

**Carlo Catapano** (Department of Political Science, University of Roma Tre)

*The World after Unipolarity. What is New for the Periphery? A Tentative Answer from the Realist Field.*

**Mateusz Filary-Szczepanik** (University of Krakow)

*Power and Policy – a Preliminary for (Another) Realist Theory of International Politics*

**Kazushige Kobayashi** (Geneva Graduate Institute)

*Absolute Morality Collapses Absolutely? Revisiting the Enlightenment Origin of the Balance of Power Ethics*

**Disc.:** L. CERIOLI (Catapano), P. HAROCHE (Kobayashi), L. GRONICH (Filary-Szcz.)

15.30 - 15.50 Coffee Break

**15.50 - 17.20 Workshop Session 4 – Neo-Realism and Europe(ean Integration)**

**Dominik Giese** (University of Hamburg)

*Re-debating Regional Security Governance with Hans J. Morgenthau: the Prospects and Pitfalls of EU Maritime Security Strategy in Southeast Asia*

**Pierre Haroche** (Institute for Strategic Research, Paris)

*Balancing or Integrating? Neorealism and European integration*

**Keith Smith** (King's College, London)

*Like Units, Structural Realisms and the European Union*

**Discussants:** R. PEDI (Smith), D. GIESE (Haroche), H. KARKOUR (Giese)

17.30 - 19.30 *EWIS Happy Hour (Reduced Price Drinks)*

19.30 - *Workshop Conveners' Dinner (By Invitation)*

**Friday, 28 June**

**09.00 - 10.30 Workshop Session 5 – Neoclassical Realism: Theoretical Innovations**

**Lori Gronich** (George Washington University)

*Prospect Theory, Foreign Policy Change, and Domestic Political Leadership: How the Issue at Hand and the Distribution of Power at Home Influence the Course of Behavior Abroad*

**Gustav Meibauer** (LSE)

*Melos, Munich, Mogadishu: Conceptualizing History in Realist Foreign Policy Analysis*

**Revecca Pedi & Anders Wivel** (University of Macedonia / University of Copenhagen)

*The Power (Politics) of the Weak Revisited: Realism and the Study of Small State Foreign Policy*

**Disc.:** C. CATAPANO (Pedi/Wivel), G. MEIBAUER (Gronich), C. SÖRENSEN (Meibauer)

10.30 - 11.00 Coffee Break

**11.00 - 12.30 Workshop Session 6 – Explaining Foreign Policy: Neoclassical Realism I.**

**Haro Karkour** (University of Leicester)

*Hans J. Morgenthau, Donald J. Trump and the Persistence of Irrationality in US Foreign Policy*

**Luiza Cerioli** (Philipps-University Marburg)

*The Twin Pillar Diplomacy reconsidered: a neoclassical realist perspective to the triangular moment between the USA, Iran and Saudi Arabia*

**Discussants:** M. FILARY-SZCZEPANIK (Karkour), P. GHALEHDAR (Cerioli)

12.30 - 14.00 Lunch break (lunch not provided by EISA)

**14.00 - 15.30 Workshop Session 7 – Explaining Foreign Policy: Neoclassical Realism II.**

**Camilla Sorensen / Mikkel Runge Olesen** (Royal Danish Defence College / Danish Institute of International Studies)

*Norway and Denmark Confront Intensified Great Power Politics in the Arctic – Neoclassical Realist Explanation of their Different Strategic Responses*

**Jørgen Staun** (Royal Defence College, Copenhagen)

*Neoclassical realism and strategic culture: the case of the 2008 Russian-Georgian war*

**Discussants:** K. KOBAYASHI (Staun), M. CASIRAGHI (Soerensen/Runge)

15.30 - 16.00 Coffee Break

16.00 - 17.30 Workshop Session 8 – **Roundtable: The Progressivism and Relevance of (backward-oriented?) Realism today**

**Payam Ghalehdar** (Harvard University)

*Saving Realism From Itself* - Progressivism and Realism in the 21st Century (**Disc.:** J. Staun)

**Philip Liste** (Critical Voice)

**All participants**

19.00 - *Workshop Participants' Dinner*