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True Love and Cunning Love: Negotiating Intimacy, Deception and Belonging in Touristic Cuba

Valerio Simoni, ANSO and GMC Research Fellow, has contributed to Intimate Mobilities: Sexual Economies, Marriage and Migration in a Disparate World (eds. Ch. Groes and N. Fernandez, Berghahn, 2018), which argues that intimacy-related mobilities constitute variations of cross-border movements shaped by and deeply entwined with issues of gender, kinship, race, and sexuality. Publisher's page

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RESEARCH DOCUMENTARY

Bubbling up: Solidarities, Feminisms and Social Reproduction in Latin America and India

This film presents findings of a SNIS-funded research project coordinated by Christine Verschuur, retired Senior Lecturer at the Gender Centre. More information

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Governance
EDITED BOOK CHAPTER

From a Community of States towards a Universal Community?

Pierre-Marie Dupuy discusses the concept of “international community”, which deals with its identity and its legal nature, and then with the problem of protecting and defending the interests of this community (in Global Justice, Human Rights and the Modernization of International Law, eds. R. Pisillo Mazzeschi and P. De Sena P., Springer, July 2018).

Access ›

Democracy and Civil Society

ARTICLE

“There Was A Third Man...“: Tales from a Global Policy Consultation on Indicators for the Sustainable Development Goals

Deval Desai, Research Fellow at the Albert Hirschman Centre and Visiting Lecturer, and Mareike Schomerus argue that the democratic deficits of technocratic global governance are much more complex than they appear, and cannot simply be tackled by calls for more democratically accountable expertise (in Development and Change, January 2018).

Access ›
Les yeux de Chávez: populisme et post-vérité au Venezuela

Rafael Sánchez soutient que loin d’être de hasard, le mépris du gouvernement vénézuélien pour les «faits» est en soi-même révélateur d’une logique inhérente au type de populisme que représente le chavisme (in Les Temps modernes, mars 2018). Article »

From Reconstruction to Development: The Early Years of the Food and Agriculture Organization, 1945–1955

Amalia Ribi Forclaz explores the shift, between 1945 and 1955, from FAO’s low-modernist understanding of rural welfare to increasingly technical development programmes (in International History Review, June 2018). Interview »

The State, Business, and Education: Public-Private Partnerships Revisited

Using case studies from both the developing and developed world, this book edited by NORRAG Director and Institute Professor Gita Steiner-Khamsi and Alexandra Draxler illustrates the variety of ways in which private actors have expanded their involvement in education as a business (Edward Elgar, October 2018). More information »
Culture, Identity and Religion

PORTRAIT
Dennis Rodgers, Gang Researcher
Newly arrived ANSO Professor Rodgers speaks about his ERC comparative research project “Gangs, Gangsters, and Ganglands”, the safety challenges entailed in his investigation theme, the academic books that have inspired him, and his love for “fiction of all sort”. Interview ▶

MONOGRAPH
Azan on the Moon: Entangling Modernity along Tajikistan’s Pamir Highway
Till Mostowlansky, Ambizione Research Fellow at the ANSO Department, speaks on his in-depth study of people’s lives amidst projects of modernity along the Pamir Highway in the borderlands of Tajikistan, China and Afghanistan (University of Pittsburgh Press, 2017). Interview ▶

CHAPITRE D’OUVRAGE
Religion et cours de natation

ARTICLE
Ethnographier les affects: captures, résistances, attachements
Carine Plancke et Valerio Simoni, chercheur au Département ANSO et au GMC, introduisent un dossier qui s’intéresse aux imbrications multiples entre expériences affectives et réalités néolibérales dans des contextes bien définis (in Tsansta: Journal of the Swiss Anthropological Association, no. 23, 2018). Accès ▶
WORKING PAPER

Customs Unions in International Law: From Concept to Practice

Customs unions (CUs) have been neglected in international law scholarship, despite the fact that they are by no means a recent phenomenon. Michal Ovádek and Ines Willemynsa (visiting fellow at CTEI in 2017) fill this gap by conducting a scoping analysis of the concept of customs union and identifying key issues in CU designs (CTEI Working Paper CTEI-2018-05). Access ›

Environment and Natural Resource

EDITED BOOK CHAPTER

The Influence of Environmental Protection on the Fabric of International Law


ARTICLE

Foreign Aid and Political Instability in Resource-Rich Countries

Chiara Ravetti, Mare Sarr and Tim Swanson examine whether foreign aid and natural resources can act as a double curse on developing countries with poor governance (in Resources Policy, October 2018). Access ›
For multiple decades, activists have sought to institute an international legal regime that limits the ability of despotic governments to borrow money and then shift those obligations onto more democratic successor governments. Mitu Gulati and Ugo Panizza raise the possibility of an alternate legal path to raising the costs of borrowing for despotic regimes (International Economics Department Working Paper No. HEIDWP12-2018, September 2018).

### Agenda

**Lectures and Seminars**

- **To Which Victor Go the Spoils: Explaining Which Factions Take Power after Regime Change**
  - Dep. of International Relations/Political Science Colloquium with Peter Krause, Boston College. [Contact for enquiry](#)
  - Tuesday 16 October 12:15-13:30 Petal 2, Room S8

- **Brazilian 2018 Elections: Dilemmas of an Unequal Democracy**
  - Lunch Briefing with Graziella Moraes Silva. [Register here](#)
  - Tuesday 16 October 12:30 - 13:30 Auditorium A1B
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| Tuesday 16 October | 14:15 - 15:45     | Petal 1, Room S5 | **Vilfredo Pareto Research Seminar**  
An event of the International Economics Department with Lant Pritchett, Harvard University. |
| Tuesday 16 October | 16:15 - 18:00     | Petal 1, Room S5 | **Is there an "Urban Latin America"?**  
ANSO Seminar with Bianca Medeiros. [More information](#) |
| Tuesday 16 October | 18:30 - 20:00     | Auditorium Ivan Pictet | **Does Totalitarianism Exist? The Czechoslovak Experience**  
Conference organised with Muriel Blaive, EURIAS Senior Fellow at the IWM. [Register here](#) |
| Thursday 18 October| 12:15 - 13:30     | Petal 1, Room 847  | **Power Dynamics and Integration in the Water-Energy-Food Nexus**  
CIES Lunch seminar with Christian Bréthaut, Institute for Environmental Sciences, University of Geneva. Lunch is provided so please [register here](#) |
| Thursday 18 October| 16:15 - 18:00     | Petal 2, S1 | **Oil and the Gender Wage Gap: Evidence from Norway**  
CIES ECON Seminar with Chiara Ravetti, Visiting Fellow at the Department of Management Engineering of the Polytechnic of Torino (IT). |
| Thursday 18 October| 18:15 - 19:45     | Auditorium Ivan Pictet B | **Toward a New Social Contract: Taking on Distributional Tensions in Europe and Central Asia**  
Sixth event of the CFD-WB Series on Financing for Development in Action, with Maurizio Bussolo, Lead Economist in the Chief Economist Office for Europe and Central Asia, World Bank, to launch and discuss the new 2018 WB report. [Register here](#) |
| Monday 22 October  | 12:15 - 13:45     | Petal 2, S1 | **Cognition and Household Wealth: Evidence from CHARLS**  
International Economics Department’s Brown Bag Lunch, with Rong Dai. |
| Tuesday 23 October | 12:30 - 13:30     | Auditorium A1A | **Does the World Still Need Its Parliaments?**  
Lunch Briefing with Martin Chungong, IPU Secretary General. [Register here](#) |
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Vilfredo Pareto Research Seminar
An event of the International Economics Department with Swati Dhingra, London School of Economics.

Tuesday 23 October
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Memorial at the Margins: Stolpersteine and Grievability in Norway and Beyond
ANSO Seminar with Ruth Mandel, University College London. More information ›

Tuesday 23 October
18:30 - 19:45
Petal 2, Room S8
As part of the CFD-IFIs Series, launch of the report with Mico Mrkaic, Senior Economist in the IMF’s Research Department. Register here ›

Mardi 23 octobre
18:30 - 20:00
Auditorium Ivan Pictet
Quand la religion entre en révolution
Conférence organisée par la Chaire Yves Oltramare, avec Marcel Gauchet. S’inscrire ici ›

Thursday 25 October
16:15 - 18:00
Petal 2, Room S4
Book Presentation – Homo itinerans: la planète des Afghans
ANSO Seminar with Alessandro Monsutti. More information ›

Thursday 25 October
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Ebola and State Legitimacy
CIES ECON Seminar with Markus Ludwig, Postdoctoral Researcher at University of Beyreuth (DE).

Thursday 25 October
18:15 - 19:45
Auditorium Ivan Pictet B
UNCTAD WIF 2018 – The Future of Corporate Income Taxes: Lessons for the Emerging and Low Income Countries
CFD and UNCTAD event, part of the UNCTAD World Investment Forum 2018, with Jeffrey Owens, Director, WU Global Tax Policy Center at the Institute of Austrian and International Tax Law. Register here ›

Monday 29 October
12:15 - 13:45
Petal 2, Room S1
Migration and Economics of Family Reunification
International Economics Department’s Brown Bag Lunch, with Rémi Pierre Viné.
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The Rule of Law in East Africa and Beyond
An event organised by the Albert Hirschman Centre on Democracy, with Willy Mutunga, Former Chief Justice/President, Supreme Court of Kenya, and Shalini Randeria. Register here ›

China’s Future: Democracy or Dictatorship, Rule of Law or Rule by Law?
An event organised by the Albert Hirschman Centre on Democracy in collaboration with the University of Geneva, with Jean-Pierre Cabestan, Hong Kong Baptist University. Register here ›

The State of Democracy in Latin America
An event organised by the Department of International History in collaboration with the Albert Hirschman Centre on Democracy, with Jeremy Adelman, Henry Charles Lea Professor of History and Director of the Global History Lab at Princeton University. Register here ›

New Dynamics for Climate Action
CIES Geneva Dialogue with Matthew Hoffmann, Professor in the Department of Political Science at the University of Toronto. Register here ›

Local Innovators in Uganda: Experimenting with Improved Seeds in a Low Adoption Environment
International Economics Department’s Brown Bag Lunch with Nicholas Brown Tyack.

Varieties of Global Governance
Global Governance Colloquium with Timothy Sinclair, University of Warwick.

Democracy Centre Fall 2018 PhD Colloquium
With Grégoire Mallard. An opportunity for post-MPT doctoral students to present work in progress and receive constructive feedback from colleagues from different departments. Open to students at any stage of their PhD. Enquiries and registration ›
**World Ordering: A Social Theory of Cognitive Evolution**

Dep. of International Relations/Political Science Colloquium with Emanuel Adler, University of Toronto. [Contact for enquiry](#)

**Vilfredo Pareto Research Seminar**

An event of the International Economics Department with Davide Suverato, LMU Munich.

**Timework: Living amidst a Politics of Allochrony in Bolivia**

ANSO Seminar with Mark Goodale. [More information](#)

**IDB 2018 Latin American and Caribbean Macro Report - A Mandate to Grow**

As part of the CFD-IFIs Series, with Andrew Powell, Principal Advisor in the Research Department of the Inter-American Development Bank (IDB) in Washington DC. [Register here](#)

**International Conference on Blended Development Finance and the New Industrial Policy**

Jointly organised by the Center for Global Development, the CDC Group, and the Centre for Finance and Development. [Register here](#)

**Spatial Diffusion of Economic Shocks in Networks**

CIES ECON Seminar with Roland Hodler, Professor of Economics, University of St. Gallen (CH).

**Electrifying Nigeria: The Household-Level Impact of Access to Electricity on Consumption, Education and Employment**

International Economics Department’s Brown Bag Lunch, with Enrico Nano.
Globalizing Cities and Migration
Assemblages in the Global South: Some Insights from Mexico
Dep. of International Relations/Political Science
Colloquium with Marianne Marchand, Universidad de las Americas Puebla. Contact for enquiry

The Humanitarian Crisis in Syria: How political Challenges for WHO and the UN Exacerbate the Public Health Crisis
Global Health Research Seminar with Annie Sparrow, Assistant Professor, Icahn School of Medicine. Bring your lunch! Register here

Vilfredo Pareto Research Seminar
An event of the International Economics Department with Sarah Lein, University of Basel.

CIES Lunch Seminar
With Benjamin Simmons, Founding Head of the Green Growth Knowledge Platform (GGKP), Geneva. Lunch is provided so please register here

Who Are the Clandestine Sex Workers? On Some of the Dilemmas Experienced by Brokers of Global Health in Mali
Gender Centre Seminar with Julie Castro, École des hautes études en sciences sociales, Paris. More information

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<td>Automated Interpretation of Political and Economic Policy Documents: Machine Learning Using Semantic and Syntactic Information</td>
<td>David Sylvan and Jean-Louis Arcand, together with James Henderson, Senior Researcher at Idiap Research Institute, have been granted CHF 2,3 million by the SNSF to work on a four-year Sinergia project starting in January 2019.</td>
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<td>Accountability of International Organizations: Is What Structure, Salience and Exercise of Power Make Out of It</td>
<td>Liliana Andonova has been granted CHF 862,453 by the SNSF to lead this four-year project. More information ›</td>
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<td>15 October 2018</td>
<td>Migration and Labor Market Inequality: The Role of Skills, Gender and Trade</td>
<td>Martina Viarengo has won a SNSF-NCCR grant (CHF 675,000) to work on this project from October 2018 till May 2022.</td>
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<td>Financial Inclusion in Rural Bangladesh</td>
<td>Lore Vandewalle has been awarded CHF 419,033 from the SNSF to carry out this 44-month project.</td>
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<td>Understanding the Norms and Practices of Pathogen-Sharing to Improve Global Health Security</td>
<td>Suerie Moon and Gian Luca Burci have won CHF 234,424 for this two-year SNIS project starting 15 October.</td>
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<td>Accomplissement personnel et moralités locales en Afrique de l’Est</td>
<td>Yvan Droz a obtenu 508’088 CHF du FNS pour ce projet de 41 mois qu’il coordonnera avec Henri Médard, du CNRS.</td>
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2018 Edgar de Picciotto International Prize Awarded to Joan Wallach Scott

Joan Wallach Scott, Professor Emerita in the School of Social Science at the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton, is rewarded for her internationally acclaimed work theorising the concept of gender. More information ›

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