



World Politics Research Seminar, Spring 2020

All times at 11:00 a.m. in the Elinor Ostrom Conference Room (Woodburn Hall 218) unless otherwise noted.

- January 31, W. Travis Selmier II (IUB POLS) – “Are Chinese Leaders Reading Their Mackinder? Infrastructural Investment and Geopolitics in ‘the Heartland’.”
- February 21, Jessica Steinberg (IUB HL-SGIS) – “Common Pool Resources and Behavioral Spillovers: A ‘Games theory’ framework.”
- March 6, Ore Koren (IUB POLS) – “The Political Origins of Rebellion.”
- March 27, Fathima Musthaq (IUB POLS) – “The Other Side of Macroprudentialism: Accommodation of Global Finance in Emerging Economies.”
- April 3, Jana Morgan (University of Tennessee) – “Title TK.”
- April 8, Beth Simmons (University of Pennsylvania) – “Strengthening Borders.” *Room and time TBD.*
- April 24, *Second-year paper session:*
 - Brittney Koehnlein (IUB POLS) – “The Impact of Third-Party Strength and Motivation on Civil Conflict Duration.”
 - Jeffrey Wang (IUB POLS & CNS) – “Network Influence on Collaboration within Intergovernmental Organizations: A Case Study of the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation.”
- May 1, Armando Razo (IUB POLS) – “Political Economy of Institutional Systems.”