

– The Neutrals and the Bomb – Conference on the N+N States and Nonproliferation

International Conference
National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies, GRIPS
December 14 & 15

(Draft Conference Program as per 2019/09/27)

Overview

Saturday

09.00 - 09.30	Arrival & Registration at GRIPS
09.30 - 10.00	Introductory Remarks & Inauguration of the Conference
10.00 - 10.45	Keynote
	Break
11.15 - 13.00	Panel 1: Neutrality, Nonalignment, and Nonproliferation
	Lunch
14.15 - 16.00	Panel 2: Northern and Eastern European Neutrals and Nonproliferation
	Break
16.30 - 18.15	Panel 3: Central European Neutrals and Nonproliferation
20.15	Conference Dinner

Sunday

09.00 - 10.45	Panel 6: Africa, NAM, and Nonproliferation
	Break
11.15 - 13.00	Panel 5: South Asia, NAM, and Nonproliferation
	Lunch
14.15 - 16.00	Panel 6: NAM-Observers, NAM-Outsiders, and Nonproliferation
	Break
16.30 - 18.15	Panel 7: East Asia and Nonproliferation
	Final Remarks
	Casual End-of-Conference Dinner (tbd)

Detailed Program

Saturday

09.00 - 09.30

Arrival & Registration at GRIPS

09.30 - 10.00

Introductory Remarks & Inauguration of the Conference

10.00 - 10.45

Keynote		
Speaker	Mervyn O' Driscoll	Frank Aiken, the Irish, and the NPT

(Coffee Break: 10.45 - 11.15)

11.15 - 13.00

Panel 1: Neutrality, Nonalignment, and Nonproliferation		
Chair	Yoko Iwama	
Speaker 1	Jonathan Hunt	Between colonialism and community: Neutral and Nonaligned Nations in the Making of a Postcolonial Nuclear Order
Speaker 2	Pascal Lottaz	The 'Neutral Idea' after the Second World War
Speaker 3	Leyatt Betre	The Nonaligned Movement and Nuclear Disarmament
Speaker 4	Herbert Reginbogin	European Neutrals and Nuclear Non-Proliferation

(Lunch: 12.45 -14.15)

14.15 - 16.00

Panel 2: Northern and Eastern European Neutrals and Nonproliferation		
Chair	TBD	
Speaker 1	John Noble	Casaroli and the Kremlin: Contextualizing the Holy See's Accession to the NPT
Speaker 2	Yuji Suzuki	Pressures on nuclear states. The Proposal for a Non-Atom Club and Swedish Diplomatic Effort for the Creation of the NPT Regime
Speaker 3	Ken Shimizu	Swedish Nuclear Plans and Tactics during the Cold War – The Path to an Active Antinuclear Actor
Speaker 4	Thomas Jonter	Negotiating a New Nuclear Non-Proliferation World Order. The Emergence of the Swedish Disarmament Policy and the Making of the NPT Regime

(Coffee Break: 16.00 - 16.30)

16.30 - 18.15

Panel 3: Central European Neutrals and Nonproliferation		
Chair	Pascal Lottaz	
Speaker 1	Benno Zogg and Andreas Wenger	Switzerland and the Bomb
Speaker 2	Heinz Gaertner	Austria, the Neutrals, and the way from the NPT to the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons
Speaker 3	Marko Miljkovic	A Love and Hate Relationship: Yugoslavia and the NPT
Speaker 4	Aryo Makko	The Role of Nuclear Proliferation in Neutral Cooperation: Austria, Finland, Sweden, and Switzerland

Conference Reception: 19.00

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Sunday

09.00 - 10.45

Panel 6: Africa, NAM, and Nonproliferation		
Chair	Herbert Reginbogin	
Speaker 1	Anna-Mart van Wyk	South Africa and the NPT
Speaker 2	Robin Moeser	Unlikely supporters of non-proliferation: Apartheid South Africa's impact on the NPT and the African-wide Nuclear Weapons Free Zone, 1988-91
Speaker 3	Hassan Elbahtinmy	Egypt, NAM, and the NPT

(Coffee Break: 10.45 - 11.15)

11.15 - 13.00

Panel 5: South Asia, NAM, and Nonproliferation		
Chair	Pascal Lottaz	
Speaker 1	Joshi Yogesh	India and the NPT: Hostile Opposition or Grudging Acceptance
Speaker 2	Kanica Rakhra	India's Role in NAM and the NPT
Speaker 3	Nidhi Parasad	India and Japan: Nuclear Choices and the International Security
Speaker 4	Manasi Pritam	Neutrality, Non-Alignment and the NPT: A comparative study of Sweden and India

(Lunch: 13.00 - 14.15)

14.15 - 16.00

Panel 6: NAM-Observers, NAM-Outsiders, and Nonproliferation		
Chair	Masakatsu Ota	
Speaker 1	Carlo Patti	Brazil in the Global Nuclear Order (1945-2018)
Speaker 2	Andrey Edemskiy	Neutrals and the Soviet resumption of nuclear tests in 1961: between trust and suspicion (1960-1961)
Speaker 3	Mariana Budjeryn	Neutrality, Security, and the Bomb: Lessons from Ukraine
Speaker 4	Exequiel Lacovsky	The role of Nuclear Weapons Free Zones in the formulation and development of the Non-Proliferation Treaty

(Coffee Break: 16.00 - 16.30)

16.30 - 18.15

Panel 7: East Asia and Nonproliferation		
Chair	TBD	
Speaker 1	Yoko Iwama	Japan and the enlargement of Eighteen Nation Committee on Disarmament
Speaker 2	Yu Takeda	Japan on the Fault line: Confrontation between Nuclear suppliers and N+N States at the International Nuclear Fuel Cycle Evaluation, 1977-1980
Speaker 3	Xin Zhan	Partial Participation: China and the International Nuclear Non-Proliferation Regime (1978-1992)

18.15 - 18.30

Final Remarks

End of Conference

Farewell Dinner: 19.00

Place TBD