

ABS World Conference 2018 Global Track

Organizer: Fellner, Astrid/Venken, Machteld

Africa – Eselebor, Willie

From Barriers to Bridges: The Evolution of African Borders and Borderlands Since World War I

Chair: *Kraler, Albert*

Discussant: *Zeller, Wolfgang*

Presentations:

Albert, Isaac O.: The Crisis of Borders Management in the Boko Haram Crisis in the Lake Chad Region

Akanji, T. A.: The Impact of Cultural Integration in the Promotion of Cross-Border Business Enterprises in Nigeria and Benin Republic

Eselebor, Willie: Multilateralism in Integration and the Policy Choice of Morocco of Join ECOWAS

Asia – Organizer: Boyle, Edward/Tripathi, Dhananjay/Iwashita, Akihiro

Borders and Boundaries in Asia: Borders in South Asia

Chair: *Boyle, Edward*

Discussant: *Vandenhelsken, Melanie*

Presentations:

Tripathi, Dhananjay: Border As A Factor in Bilateral Ties: Studying India-Nepal Relations Post Madheshi Movement

Boruah, Uddipta Ranjan: Towards a Historical Sociology of Borders in South Asia

Jiten, Nongthombam: Marginality in Borderland of Myanmar and North East India

Meena, Krishnendra: Borders and Bordering Practices: Case study of Jaisalmer, India-Pakistan Border

North America – Organizer: *Trautman, Laurie*

Border-Making and its Consequences: North America/Canada - U.S. Border

Chair: *Collins, Kimberly*

Discussant: *Collins, Kimberly*

Presentations:

Trautman, Laurie: Cross-Border Collaboration in the Cascadia Region

Friedman, Kathryn: International Diplomacy and Urban Planning in the Great Lakes St. Lawrence River Region: A Case Study of Cross-Border Collaboration

Nicol, Heather: Regional and Continental Security: Must it Remain an Uncomfortable Fit?

Richardson, Katherine: Knowledge Borders: Temporary Labor Mobility and the Canada-US Border Region

Latin America – Organizer: LOC

Borders in Latin America

Chair: *Barajas Escamilla, María del Rosío*

Discussant: *Barajas Escamilla, María del Rosío*

Presentations:

Rückert, Aldomar: Territorial policies and infrastructures. Current trends of South American integration peripheral borders regions

Biazzi Couto, Alessandro: Bolívia-Brasil-Peru Border Region: Disputed and Uneven Development in the South American Regional Integration

Tirrell, Andrew: Politics and the Environment at the Mexico/United States Border

Middle East – Organizer: *Newman, David*

Rethinking Borders and Territory in the Middle East

Chair: *Newman, David/Meier, Daniel*

Discussant: *Meier, Daniel/Newman, David*

Presentations:

Merabti, Sara: Governing without government: Border management in Libya after the fall of Qadhafi

Rijke, Alexandra: Checkpoint 300: rethinking checkpoint materialities in the Occupied Palestinian Territories

Miles, William: The divided Druze: Legacies of colonial partition for an historically persecuted minority

Grichting Solder, Anna: Qatar: From Disputed Boundaries to Blockade. New Paradigms and Border Geographies in the Gulf

Newman, David: Rethinking Borders and Territory in the Middle East

Eastern Europe – Organizer: *Liikanen, Ilkka*

Eastern Dimension of EU Actorness I

Chair: *Liikanen, Ilkka*

Discussant: *Konrad, Victor*

Presentations:

Scott, James: Neighbourhood Beyond Geopolitics: The EU and Reflective Actorness

Duleba, Alexander: The Potential and Limits of Ukraine's Association with the EU

Virkkunen, Joni: Northern Dimension and Local/Regional Dynamics of the Evolving EU's Neighbourhood

Dogangun, Gökten/Karadag, Yelda: Potentials and Limitations of Conflict Resolution in the Turkish-Armenian Border

Western Europe – Organizer: *Wille, Christian/Fellner, Astrid*

Border Textures: Interwoven Practices and Discursive Fabrics of Borders I

Chair: *Wille, Christian*

Discussant: *Wille, Christian*

Presentations:

Fellner, Astrid: Corporeal Cartography, Textured Images, and the Materiality of Borders

Dorbolò, Chiara: The Seven Follies of Lampedusa: deconstructing the borderline through architecture

Haller, Dieter: Transborder relationships – the case of Tangier and Gibraltar

Schimanski, Johan: Border Traumas, Aesthetics and Memory in Migration Literature