Young Scholars Workshop

CHANGING GOVERNANCE IN ASIA

Programme

26-27 November 2009
Gravensteen (room 111), Pieterskerkhof 6, Leiden

Organisers: IIAS Centre for Regulation and Governance
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9:00-9:15 Registration

9:15-9:30 Opening
Henk Schulte Nordholt (Chairman of IIAS Board)
Tak-Wing Ngo (IIAS Centre for Regulation and Governance)

9:30-11:00 Keynote Address
*Rebuilding Government for the 21st Century: Can China Incrementally Reform the Public Sector?*
Christine Wong (Senior Fellow, School of Interdisciplinary and Area Studies and Said Business School, University of Oxford, UK)

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-12:45 Session 1
Chair and Discussant: Isa Baud (University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands)

*The Centralised Operating and Budgeting System: A Game-Changer in Relations between SOE's and the Chinese Government?*
Mikael Mattlin (University of Helsinki, Finland)

*Role of Media in Institution Building: The Case of Pakistan*
Muhammad Atif Khan (Institute D'Études Politiques Grenoble, France)

12:45-14:00 Lunch

14:00-15:15 Session 2
Chair and Discussant: Masae Kato (IIAS, the Netherlands)

*Illiberal Biopolitics? Embryonic Life and the Governance of Human Embryonic Stem Cell Research in China*
Kersten Klein (London School of Economics, UK)

*Collaborative policy networks and inter-organizational determinates of policy templates. Evidence from China’s Life Science Sector*
Johannes Meuer (Erasmus University Rotterdam, the Netherlands)

15:15-15:30 Coffee break
15:30-17:15  **Session 3**

Chair and Discussant: Max Spoor (Institute of Social Studies, the Netherlands)

*Mapping Asian Actors in the Contemporary Global Health Governance Landscape*
Carey Scheerer Stanley (Graduate Institute of International & Development Studies, Switzerland)

*The Performance of Hybrid Actors in Environmental Governance in China: Lessons Learned from Promotional Centres for the Clean Development Mechanism*
Miriam Schröder (Potsdam University, Germany)

*Adapting Central Environmental Policies to Local Conditions in China: Multiple Levels of Interactions between Various Players*
Simona Alba Grano (Zurich University, Switzerland)
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9:15-11:00  Session 4

Chair and Discussant: Leo van Grunsven (Utrecht University, the Netherlands)

Neopatrimonial Politics and Public Administration Reforms in Southeast Asia
Nina Natalia Korte (GIGA German Institute of Global and Area Studies, Germany)

Europeization or “Russianization”? Dilemmas over Reforming the Philippines Political System
Franciszek Czech (Jagiellonian University, Poland)

Why corruption is “endemic” in China’s courts? · Decision-making in the context of power and law
Ling Li (Leiden University, the Netherlands)

11:00-11:15  Coffee break

11:15-12:30  Session 5

Chair and Discussant: Leo Douw (University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands)

Contemporary Understandings of Sovereignty: The Case of Central Asia
Ikboljon Qoraboyev (University of Toulouse 1 Capitole, France / UNU-CRIS, Belgium)

Ecological and Economical Dimensions of Cultural Politics in the Garo Hills (Meghalaya, India)
Timour Claquin (Université Lumière Lyon II, France)

12:30-14:00  Lunch

14:00-15:45  Session 6

Chair and Discussant: Meine Pieter van Dijk (UNESCO-IHE Institute for Water Education, the Netherlands)

Institutional Innovations for Governance of Electricity Service in India: Reconciling the Need of Electricity Service Expansion and Tackling Climate Change
Ashwini Kumar Swain (University of York, UK)

Private Education with Chinese Characteristics? Governance of Education and Its Transnational Dynamics in the People’s Republic of China
Barbara Schulte (Lund University, Sweden)

The Rise of Risks: Can Indonesia Incrementally Reduce Disaster Risks?
Jonatan A. Lassa (United Nations University / University of Bonn, Germany)