Olympia 2010 Summer School
Advanced Research Methods in Conflict-Affected Countries

PROGRAMME

Sunday, July 11:
Evening: Arrival in Olympia

Monday, July 12:
9-12: Students give a brief presentation (prepared) on their ongoing research, with a focus on the research methods they want to use/are using and why. On Friday you present the same topic in another manner and with potentially other methods. All guest professors attend.

13.30-14.45: Survey Design I, Jeremy Seekings
15.00-16.15: Survey Design II, Jeremy Seekings

Tuesday, July 13
8.30 -10.15: Impact Evaluation I, Richard Akresh
10.30-12.00: Impact Evaluation II, Richard Akresh
13.30 -14.45: Group exercise: How to develop a conflict module in a survey? Group-based exercise with 3 to 4 students in each group, Philip Verwimp
15.00-16.15: A Generic Conflict Module to be Added to Large Scale Household Surveys, Philip Verwimp

Wednesday, July 14
8.30 - 10.15: Intra-Household Issues in Surveys I, Ana Maria Ibanez
10.30-12.00: Intra-Household Issues in Surveys II, Ana Maria Ibanez
Afternoon: Planned leisure activity
Evening
19.30- 21.00: “Conflict as Redistribution of Wealth: Insights from the micro-level”, Dinner Lecture by Philip Verwimp. Discussant: Stathis Kalyvas (Joint with cycle A)

Thursday, July 15
8.30.-10.15: Life Histories as a Qualitative Research Instrument I Teodora Karamelska
10.30-12.00: Life Histories as a Qualitative Research Instrument II Teodora Karamelska
13.30-14.45: Archival Research with an Application to the Greek Civil War, Stathis Kalyvas
15.00-16.15: Designing Research to Capture Conflict in India, Patricia Justino
Friday, July 16
8.30-10.15: Research Ethics, Consent Form and Ethical Conduct in the Field, Jeremy Seekings
10.30.-12.00: Students prepare their afternoon presentation.
Afternoon: Students present the application of what they learned to their own research proposal that they presented on Monday. All guest professors attend this final session.

Saturday, July 17:
All day: Planned leisure activities

Sunday, July 18:
Morning: Departure