

KNAW Colloquium, Amsterdam  
25-27 September 2017

# **Securing the World. Global Perspectives on Security History in the Long Nineteenth Century**

DAY 1

**9:30 Registration and Coffee**

**9:50 Welcome** (Beatrice De Graaf and Ozan Ozavci)

**10:00 *Repertoires of Security***

Chair: Rachel Gillett

Ozan Ozavci (Utrecht): The Imperialism of 'Security': Conflict in Nineteenth Century Ottoman Syria

Cornel Zwierlein (Bochum): Mediterranean Transformations: From the security of mercantilist trading empires to a modern security regime

Shogo Suzuki (Manchester): Securitising 'Civilised' Identity in Asia: the case of Japanese imperialism in the nineteenth century

Discussant: Susan Legène

**12:00 Lunch**

**13:00 *Trajectories of Security: What's in a word – all over the world***

Chair: Seo-Hyun Park

Rudolph Ng (London): The Concepts of Security in Modern China

Melle Lyklema (Utrecht): Security in the 'Wider' Middle East

Davide Rodogno (Geneva): Nineteenth Century Discourses of Humanite and the Question of Responsibility

Discussant: Beatrice De Graaf

**15:00 Coffee break**

**15:30**

***Imperial Encounters***

Chair: Liesbeth van de Grift

David Anderson (Warwick): Imperial Security in Africa during the Nineteenth Century: British Military Expeditions, c. 1864-1884

David Silbey (Cornell): Creating Empire, Resisting Empire: The Boxer Rebellion in China, 1899-1901

Miquel De La Rosa (Science Po / EUI): 'Pour la sécurité des nos nationaux': European Powers and Inter-Imperial Competition in Mexico (1862-67)

Discussant: Remco Raben

**19:00**

**Dinner**

DAY 2

**10:00**

***In/securities in Europe and Beyond***

Chair: Susan Legène

Beatrice De Graaf (Utrecht): An allied, imperial machine: Inter-imperial cooperation in Europe and beyond

Glenda Sluga (Sydney): The Economic History of a Culture of European Security after the Napoleonic Wars

Eckart Conze (Marburg): The Long Nineteenth Century. The Ideas of Global (In)security at the Paris Peace Conference 1919

Discussant: David Anderson

**12:00**

**Lunch**

**13:00**

***Securing Open Waters***

Chair: Ozan Ozavci

Alexandra Ganser (Vienna): American Discourses of Piracy in the Nineteenth Century

Amedeo Policante (Warwick): International law and Imperial Discourses on Piracy in the Nineteenth Century

Erik de Lange (Utrecht): Ending or Extending Piracy? Security Practices and Imperial Interventions in the Barbary Regencies, 1816-1819

Discussant: Cornel Zwierlein

**15:00 Coffee break**

**15:30 *Securing the Environment, Forests and Rivers***

Chair: Glenda Sluga

Peter Hough (Middlesex): Environmental Security in the Nineteenth Century

Selcuk Dursun (METU): Forest Security in the Balkans in the Nineteenth Century

Constantin Ardeleanu (Utrecht / Galati): Imperial Cooperation at the Lower Danube: The European Commission of the Danube and the Financial Dimension of a Security Regime

Joep Schenk (Utrecht): From the Rhine to the Congo: The Principle of Freedom of Navigation as an Imperial Tool in the Nineteenth Century

Discussant: Liesbeth van de Grift

**17:45 Reception**

### DAY 3

**9:30 *Policing the World***

Chair: Beatrice De Graaf

Seo-Hyun Park (Lafayette): Modernization of Police Organizations in Japan and Korea

Ilkay Yilmaz (Istanbul): The Fight against Anarchism in the Ottoman Empire

Wouter Klem (Utrecht): Between National Politics and Transnational Action: Joint Police Efforts against the Anarchist Conspiracy, 1881-1914

Discussant: Eckart Conze

**11:30 Closing Remarks**

**13:00 Master Class for Doctoral Candidates**

**16:00 Reception for the Master Class**