

**Topologies of security:  
Critical security studies in postcolonial and postsocialist scenes**

Online Workshop Event at the Collaborative Research Centre/Transregio 138  
“Dynamics of Security”, Subproject C05 “Political Security and Economized  
Infrastructures”

**Workshop Programme (all times CET):**

**10:00 SLOT 1: (2 consecutive panels, max. 1 hour each)**

**Panel 1: Knowledge and practice transfer** (Chair: Philipp Lottholz)

**Transferring EU’s security factory beyond its borders: Outsourcing technologies and knowledge in the neighbourhood(s)**, Alessandra Russo, University of Trento (co-authored with Chiara Loschi)

**Coptic misfits of the Egyptian prisons: A theological, political, and social inquiry**  
Mina Ibrahim, Graduate Cluster for the Study of Culture Giessen & CRC/TRR 138

**Panel 2: Contesting state violence** (Chair: Andrew Dwyer)

**‘The state killed my son’: Spacetaking politics and affective entanglements in the European periphery**, Danijela Majstorovic, JLU Giessen

**Contemporary resistance, internet blackouts and activist ‘cyber-terrorists’**, Amber Murrey, University of Oxford

**Break**

**14:00 SLOT 2: (1 hour parallel panels + 45 mins. plenary exchange)**

**Panel 3: Socio-technological and medical imaginaries** (Chair: Carola Westermeier)

**Can the computer speak?: The implications for more-than-human futures**, Andrew Dwyer, University of Bristol

**Targeting from a distance: Formatting social relations in data-driven warfare**, Jutta Weber, University of Paderborn

**Securitization of HIV/AIDS and social practices in Tajikistan**, Karolina Kluczevska, CRC/TRR 138

**Panel 4: Urban in/security, infrastructures and technologies** (Chair.: Andreas Langenohl)

**Commercial versus illegal security: The contrasting experiences of those who can and cannot pay**, Gideon van Riet, North-West University (South Africa)

**The historical emergence and discontents of “Safe City” projects**, Philipp Lottholz & Amina Nolte, CRC/TRR 138

**Bad debt: Women's mobilization against the financial industry in Kyrgyzstan,**  
Elmira Satybaldieva, University of Kent

**Making improperly: Understanding income extraction and rentier activities in the housing market in Kyrgyzstan,** Balihar Sanghera, University of Kent

**15:45 SLOT 3: Discussion of further plans** (directly after SLOT 2 plenary)

**Break**

**17:00 SLOT 4: Dual Keynote: Non-western perspectives in security studies**

**Changing scenes of security in the time of Corona**

Alexandra Gheciu, University of Ottawa

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Samer Abboud, The Beirut Forum

Chair: Prof. Regina Kreide, CRC/TRR 138 "Dynamics of Security"

Workshop Organizers: Professor Andreas Langenohl, Dr Philipp Lottholz (both CRC/TRR 138 "Dynamics of Security") and Dr Andrew Dwyer (University of Bristol)

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