

Challenges and New Directions in Multi-Level Governance: IPSA 75th Anniversary Conference 25-26 April 2024 | Montreal, Canada

PROGRAM

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Venue

Concordia University
Department of Political Science (Located on the 12th floor)
Henry F. Hall Building
1455 Blvd. De Maisonneuve Ouest
Montréal, Québec H3G 2E9
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Panel 1: The EU as an International Actor

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Chair/Discussant: Stephen Sawyer, American University of Paris

Exploring the Impacts of Technology in the EU Border Governance: A Multi-actor Perspective	Fatmanur Delioglu	Balsillie School of International Affairs (BSIA)
The Crisis of Multilateralism and the EU Strategy towards Latin America: Multilayered Cooperation?	Mayte Anais Dongo Sueiro	Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú
Divided Europe? EU Member States' Interests Behind Sanctions against Russia	Joanna Skrzypczyńska	Adam Mickiewicz University Poznań
Public Opinion and Role Theory: EU Member States' Foreign Behavior during the Ukrainian Crisis	Chen Chang	Tonji University

Panel 5: Federalism and Decentralization: A Recipe for Better Governance?

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Chair/Discussant: Carmelo Cattafi, Tecnologico de Monterrey

Governance of Scarce Energy and Cooperative Federalism in Lagos, Nigeria	Blessing Ajisafe	University of Wyoming, Laramie
Policy Design and Implementation in Multitiered Jurisdictions: Multi-Level Governance, Federalism and Democracy	Charles Conteh	Brock University
The Challenges of Territorial Decentralization in Cameroon a Way Forward	Enow Clinton Enowachuo	Cyprus international University
Political Power of SSE for Its Market Protection in Social Care Area: Comparison Between South Korea and Quebec, Canada	Yewon Kang Euiyoung Kim	Seoul National University

Panel 21. Multi-level Governance - The Indigenous Experience

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Chair/Discussant: Daniel Salée, Concordia University

Negotiating Political Differences Otherwise: First Nations Political Practices, Embeddedness, Mutuality and Fluidity	Yann Allard- Tremblay	McGill University
The Red River Treaty: Reimagining Governance as an Intergenerational Commitment	Janique Dubois	University of Ottawa
Market-based Housing as Settler-Colonial Governance: On-Reserve Housing, Indigenous Jurisdiction, & the Canadian Logic of Elimination	Yutaka Dirks	York University
Can Multi-Level Water Governance Reduce Water	Luke Boal	University of Ottawa
Insecurity for Indigenous Peoples in Canada?	Eric Champagne	University of Ottawa
Effectiveness of Citizens Participation and Factors Influencing the Functioning, a Study of Suburban India	Riya Bhattacharya	Institution for Social and Economic Change



Panel 15. Multi-level Governance and Climate Policy

25 April 2024 | 09:45 - 11:15 | Room 1226

Chair/Discussant: Irasema Coronado, Arizona State University

Toward a Multi-Level Civil Sphere? The Political Performances of California and Quebec as Communicative Actors in Global Climate Conferences	Charles Berthelet	École des hautes études en sciences sociales / Université du Québec à Montréal
Climate and the Failed State: Correlates between Environmental Performance and State Stability	Nicolas Blasco	U.S. Army
Vertical Coexistence: China's Political Mechanism of Regional Governance Integration - A Case Study on the Demonstration Zone of Green and Integrated Ecological Development of the Yangtze River Delta	Yiwei Fang	Tongji University
Governance Arrangements of Local Climate Action and Urban Planning in Brazil and Mexico	Alexandre Fontenelle-Weber	Universidade de São Paulo

Panel 9. The War in Ukraine - A Failure of Multi-level Governance?

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Chair/Discussant: Charles Mitchell, Grambling State University

Could the War Have Been Prevented? US Lessons from the War in Ukraine	Andrzey Demczuk	Maria Curie Skłodowska University
Assessing the Efficacy of Russia's Memory Diplomacy in Ukraine: The Influence of Social Media	Olivia Howells	Queen's University
Russian Invasion into Ukraine and Lithuanian Public Agenda in 2022-2023: Victim and Persistent Issues	Vaidas Morkevicius	Kaunas University of Technology
Anonymous Discussion and Text Visualization: What is the Russian People's Worldview in the Ukrainian War?	Akira Sano	University of Tsukuba

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Panel 2. Internal and External Challenges to the EU

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Chair/Discussant: Joanna Skrzypczyńska, Adam Mickiewicz University Poznań

Challenges of the European Union in the Post- cold-war: Perspectives from the United Kingdom and Germany	Chun Ai Su	National Chung-Hsing University
European Union and Governance of the Yangambi Biosphere Reserve: Analysis of Collaboration Strategies between Stakeholders	Eric Abanati Gbadi	Université de Kisangani



Panel 6. Federalism and Decentralization: The Asian Experience

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Chair/Discussant: Serge Granger, Université de Sherbrooke

Exploring Nepal's Federalism: Promoting Good Governance within the Federal Structure	Ganga Thapa	Tribhuvan University, Kathmandu
Situating Federalism in the 21st Century: An	Vishavdeep Singh	Panjab University
Analysis of India's Political Paradigm		

Panel 22. Multi-Level Governance and Identity Politics

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Chair/Discussant: John Ishiyama, University of North Texas

Role of Identity in Governance: Taliban's Discriminatory Policies Towards Non-Pashtuns	Mithila Bagai	University of Delhi
Ethnic Barriers to Participating in Multi-Level Governance in Bosnia and Herzegovina	Michaela Nudo	University of Toronto
Territorial Homogenization Through Jurisdictional Partitioning: Indigeneity and the Farmer-Pastoralist Conflicts in the Benue-Nasarawa Border	Cletus Nwankwo	University of Leicester

Panel 16. Multi-Level Governance and Environmental Sustainability

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Chair/Discussant: Daniel Stockemer, University of Ottawa

Benefit Logic in International Carbon Politics: A Comparative Analysis Based on Related Policies from US and China	Chenhang Dai	Tongji University
Coordinated Action: Strategies and Challenges for Implementing the Paris Agreement within a Multi-Level Governance Framework	Yue Cai	Tongji University
The Impact of Networks of Transnational Corporations on Environmental Governance	Johnny Kallay	Universidade de São Paulo
Environmental Policy in Brazil as a Multi-Level Governance Challenge: Consolidation and Destruction of Environmental Policy Capacities?	Vanessa Elias de Oliveira	Universidade Federal do ABC

Panel 10. Present Day Conflicts and Conflict Resolution

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Chair/Discussant: Andrzey Demzuk, Maria Curie Skłodowska University

PRESENT-DAY WARS, Local and International Conflicts and Conflict Resolutions, Case Studies of Northern Ireland, Rwanda, Côte d'Ivoire and Ukraine	Ley Gregoire Ikpo	Stockholm University
Social Networking's Information Empowerment and Conflict Resolution	Charles Mitchell	Grambling State University
Living in Conflict Areas in Latin America: Hybrid Governance or Juxtaposition of Norms	Marcial Suarez	Universidade Federal Fluminense

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Panel 3. The EU - Trust, Democracy and Legitimacy

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Chair/Discussant: Emilia Palonen, University of Helsinki

Assessing the Effect of Intergovernmental Consultations on Citizens' Political Trust in Times of Crisis: A Comparison of Six EU Member States	Jakob Frateur	University of Antwerp
The Decline of Academic Liberty in EU Member States: Case Study of Hungary and Poland	Calvin Khalesi	Université de Montréal
Precursors of the European Multi-Level Polity	Madalena Meyer Resende	Universidade NOVA de Lisboa

Panel 7. Federalism - A Panacea for Better Policy Outcomes?

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Chair/Discussant: Daniel Stockemer, University of Ottawa

Ethnic Federalism and the Ethnification of Identity as a Precursor to Conflict: The Case of Ethiopia	John Ishiyama	University of North Texas
To What Extent Co-determination is a Crucial Part of a Multinational Federation?	Xavier Boileau	McGill University
How Federal Systems Endure: Dynamic Equilibrium and Its Challenges	James Gardner	State University of New York, University at Buffalo School of Law
Multi-Level Diplomacy in the Canadian Federation: Seeking Unity in Diversity in Global Environmental Governance	Marjolaine Lamontagne	McGill University
How Does the Territorial Organization of Power Affect the Configuration of Populist Parties? Populist Parties Characteristics and Challenges under Federal, Regional and Unitary Systems	Mara Liviu-Catalin	Universitat de Barcelona

Panel 24. Multi-Level Governance, Diplomacy and Citizens' Participation

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Chair/Discussant: Euiyoung Kim, Seoul National University

Shaping Paradiplomacy: The Impact of Citizens' Values and Attitudes on Sub-State Internationalization	Lucia Kovacikova	Concordia University
Democratic Deficit and Citizen Participation, New Challenges for Multi-Level Governance	Carmelo Cattafi	Tecnologico de Monterrey
Mind the Gap: The Correlates of Relative Confidence in Levels of Government in Canada	Christopher Yurris	McGill University



Panel 17. Multi-level Governance - The Canadian Experience in Comparative Perspective

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Chair/Discussant: Yann Allard-Tremblay, McGill University

Beyond the Ballot: Impacts and Legacies of Women's Suffrage in the Canadian Context	Virginie Vandewalle	Université de Montréal
Global Studies Programs in the Canadian Universities: From the Global South Perspectives	Hari KC	Toronto Metropolitan University
Mapping Multi-Level Governance Literature in Canada: The Case of Public Health Policy	Alexandra Hays- Alberstat	McGill University
International Norms as Ideological Battlegrounds: Value Debates and Foreign Policy Manoeuvering within the Global HIV/AIDS Response	Yolaine Frossard de Saugy	McGill University

Panel 11. Multi-Level Governance and International Security I

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Chair/Discussant: Stanislaw Czeslaw Kozlowski, SWPS University, Warsaw

The Consulting Firms: New Players in the Governance of Defense Policies?	Violette Larrieu	ENSTA Bretagne
Defending the Faith? Demilitarized Åland within NATO Finland	Hasan Akintug	University of Helsinki
Beyond Hegemonic Governance of Insecurity in Nigeria: Exploring the Opportunities and Risks of Multi-Level Governance of Small Arms Proliferation	Augustine Aboh	University of Massachusetts Boston

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Practitioners' Roundtable on Challenges and New Directions in Multi-Level Governance

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Chair: Pablo Oñate, Professor and Chair, Department of Political Science, Universitat de

València and IPSA President

Speakers:

Sara Veilleux	Director General, Africa, Francophonie and Multilateral Relations, Quebec Ministry of International Relations and Francophonie
Oumar Diallo	Director, Office of International Relations, City of Montreal
Ghislain Picard	Chief of the Assembly of First Nations Québec-Labrador and Expert-in-Residence, Concordia University
Micheline Ayoub	Executive Director, Future Earth, Concordia University
Norbert Eschborn	Director, Konrad Adenauer Foundation of Canada (KAS)

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Panel 4. Multi-Level Decision Making in the EU

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Chair/Discussant: Madalena Meyer Resende, Universidade NOVA de Lisboa

Policy Formulation through Multi-Level Governance: The Case of Quality Assurance Policies in the European Higher Education Area	Cecilia Bibbo	University at Albany, State University of New York (SUNY)
Multi-Level Political Communication Online: A Challenge Presented in the European Parliamentary Elections	Emilia Palonen	University of Helsinki

Panel 8. Federalism - The Brazilian Experience

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Chair/Discussant: Pablo Toral, Beloit College

Mechanisms and Pitfalls of Intersectoriality in Multi-Level Arrangements: The Case of the Brazilian Federation	Rogerio Schlege, Camila Nastari Fernandes	Federal University of São Paulo
The Principle of Federal Loyalty: A Study of Comparative Constitutional Law Between Brazil and Germany	Vinícius Henrique de Oliveira Borges	São Paulo State University (UNESP)
The Governance Gap between Corporate Social Responsibility and Business and Human Rights: Overcoming the Public and Private Debate	Leonardo Bortolozzo Rossi	São Paulo State University (UNESP)
Les trajectoires de la modernisation de la politique en Afrique : le cas des pays qui n'avaient pas besoin de la démocratie comme la Lybie.	Jean Désiré Gnambi, Huguette Flore Keutcha	Centre d'Étude et de Recherches en Sciences Sociales (CERESS)

Panel 23. Multi-Level Governance and the Electoral Arena

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Chair/Discussant: Daniel Stockemer, University of Ottawa

Choking Democracy? Examining the Impact of Election-Day Air Quality on Turnout in Poland	Jakub Jusko	Masaryk University
The Role of Visibility for the Social Pressure- Turnout Nexus	Maxime Coulombe	University of Western Ontario
Collective Political Institutional Settings, Actors and Behavior in Multi-Level Governance Political Systems	Pablo Oñate	Universitat de València



Panel 18. Multi-Level Governance - The Asian Experience

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Chair/Discussant: Charles Conteh, Brock University

Colonial Interpretation of Self-Determination: Impact on the Madheshi Claim to Autonomy in Nepal	Hari Jnawali, Bali Rai	Wilfrid Laurier University, Royal Roads University
Cultural Sources of Gender Gaps: Confucian Meritocracy Reduces Gender Inequalities in Political Participation	Baowen Liang	Université de Montréal, Shanghai International Studies University
A Return to the Cold War or Coping with Bipolarity? India Will Tell Us	Serge Granger	Université de Sherbrooke

Panel 12. Multi-Level Governance and International Security II

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Chair/Discussant: Irasema Coronado, Arizona State University

Today's Challenges in Governance of International Security: A Trans-Atlantic and East Asian Perspective	Stanislaw Czeslaw Kozlowski	SWPS University, Warsaw
Cyber Security Collaborations in Southeast Asia: Approaches of ASEAN-Centered Organizations	Chyungly Lee	National Chengchi University
Deep Blue Politics: Fishers, Coastal Communities, and Maritime Enforcement in the Philippines' South China Sea Littoral Areas	Rosalie Arcala Hall	University of the Philippines Visayas
Uncertain Shadows: Systemic Power Distribution Entropy and Rising Conflicts	Mehrdad Khakparaghi	Eötvös Loránd University (ELTE)

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Panel 13. Multi-Level Governance and the COVID-19 Pandemic

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Chair/Discussant: Daniel Stockemer, University of Ottawa

Non-Tariff Measures on Trade of Medical Products during the COVID-19 Pandemic	Areum Ryu	Waseda University
The Influence of Public Sentiment on Policy Preferences for COVID-19 Preventive Policy	Zhou Fang	Waseda University
Interpreting Science in Crisis: A Comparative Study of Evidence Framing in Quebec and Sweden's COVID-19 Response	Antoine Lemor	Université de Montréal
The Covid-19 as a Transboundary Crisis Affecting Precarious Migrants in Cities: Learning from Spanish Local Policy-Makers	Juan Carlos Triviño Salazar	Universitat Pompeu Fabra



Panel 25. Multi-Level Governance, Technology and the Digital World

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Chairs/Discussants: Chyungly Lee, National Chengchi University and Michèle

Rioux, Université du Québec à Montréal

Fragmentation of Digital Governance Within the Central-Local Relationship: Health Code System and Data Abuse in COVID-19 China	Duo Yi	University of Oxford
Multi-Level Internet Governance: A Critical Analysis from a Global Political Economy Perspective	Michèle Rioux	Université du Québec à Montréal
Strategies for Securing and Developing Digital Talent Within Municipal Governments in Japan	Go Nakagawa	Japan Municipal Research Center
Multi-Level Governance in the Global Chip Network: Focusing on Japan-Taiwan Semiconductor Cooperation in the Kumamoto Area	Seunghee Oh	Seoul National University

Panel 20. Multi-Level Governance and Migration

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Chair/Discussant: Annika Hinze, Fordham University

Multi-Level Governance in Governing Global Migration	Francesca Longo	Università di Catania
Narratives of an Intractable Policy Problem: Legitimation of Diverging Claims on Migration Governance in Italy	Dorothea Pozzato	Scuola Normale Superiore
Attitudes towards Immigration in Latin America: The Role of Trust	Héctor Mondragón	Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económica (CIDE)
Relocation of Palestinians Away from Gaza to a New Homeland	David Arthur Jones	Norwich University

Panel 14. Multi-Level Governance in Autocracies and Hybrid Regimes

26 April 2024 | 10:45 – 12:15 | Room 1230

Chair/Discussant: Yuko Kasuya, Keio University

Ruling Elite Dynamics and Religious Mobilization in Hybrid Regimes: Islamist Political Parties, Social Movements and Pakistan's Military (1947-2023)	Muhammad Bilal Shakir	McGill University
Populism as a Structural Effect of Low-quality Democracies in Latin America	Jesús Tovar	Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México
Migration, Foreign Aid, and the Rise of Populist Radical Right Parties	Hirotaka Fujibayashi	European University Institute

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Panel 27. Global Governance Challenges in the 21st Century: Learning from Comparative Practice in Multi-Level Countries

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Chair: Eric Champagne, University of Ottawa

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Speakers:

Rupak ChattopadhyayForum of FederationsDiana ChebenovaForum of FederationsLiam WhittingtonForum of FederationsJamie ThomasForum of Federations

Panel 26. Gender and Multi-Level Governance

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Chair/Discussant: Francesca Longo, Università di Catania

(Re)positioning Gender as an Inclusive Category of Analysis in Feminist Foreign Policies: Keys to the International Response Against Gender-Based Violence	Gabriela Rabello de Lima	Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM)
The Promises and Pitfalls of Feminist Local Politics: Egalitarian Redistribution of Time Uses, Reconfiguration of Public Spaces, and Democratization of Care	Paloma Caravantes	Complutense University of Madrid
45 Years of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women (CEDAW) and the Challenges of Global Governance on Gender Inequality	Tainah Thiago	Central University of Kashmir

Panel 19. Multi-Level Governance - The Latin American Experience

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Chair/Discussant: Jesús Tovar, Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México

Does Multi-Level Governance Protect Rights? A Living Case Study of Academic Free Expression in the American Context	John Williams	Principia College
Multi-Level Governance in Latin America's International Political Economy	Pablo Toral	Beloit College
The Right of Direct Recourse and the Clash with 'Fair and Equitable Treatment' under the Dominican Republic and Central America -US Free Trade Agreement	Felicia Grey	University of Detroit Mercy
Framing Illicit Economies: State Policy, Community Dynamics, and Local Governance in Coca-Dominated Regions of Peru and Bolivia	Charlotte Mines	McGill University
Mexican Political Change in the Context of Nearshoring: An Approach to the Relationship between the Federal Government and the Government of Nuevo Leon	Carlos Perez	York University



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Academics' Roundtable on Challenges and New Directions in Multi-Level Governance

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Chair: Yuko Kasuya, Professor, Department of Political Science Faculty of Law, Keio

University, Tokyo, Japan and IPSA President-Elect

Speakers:

Daniel Salée Professor and Chair, Department of Political Science, Concordia

University

Vanessa Elias de Oliveira Associate Professor of Political Science in Public Policy, Federal

University of ABC, São Paolo

Serge Granger Professor, School of Applied Politics, Université de Sherbrooke

Francesca Longo Professor of Political Science and International Relations and

Vice-Rector for International Relations, University of Catania

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