

5TH GSIPE Mini-Conference: Concept of Economic Statecraft

Each paper has a maximum of 15 minutes for presentation, 5 minutes for discussion, and 10 minutes for Q&A with the audience. Should you have any questions about the conference, please contact us (gsipe.planning@gmail.com).

I. 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM

New Tools in Economic Statecraft

Chair: Katharina Kuhn

Zoom: <https://lse.zoom.us/j/87017755572?pwd=dVVmRnN3Y1BoZjdYYXVmaUNCbXcxdz09>

Katharina Fleiner (University of Geneva) "Sovereign wealth management as tool for economic statecraft? What SWF governance reveals about political motives"

Discussant: Harry Oppenheimer

Sanghyun Han (Georgia Institute of Technology) "Data and Statecraft: Why and How States Weaponize Data"

Discussant: Katharina Fleiner

Harry Oppenheimer (Harvard University) "Weaponized Interdependence and Deglobalization: How the Snowden Leaks Shaped the Internet's Structure"

Discussant: Lauren Barden-Hair

II. 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Aid and Security

Chair: Pengshan Pan and Sojun Park

Zoom link: <https://princeton.zoom.us/j/93682166538>

Zenobia Chan (Princeton University) "Affluence with Influence: The Inducement Dilemma in Economic Statecraft"

Discussant: Tingxuan Zhu

Rodrigo Moura (University of Essex) "Profit or power: determinants of Chinese overseas development financing"

Discussant: Zenobia Chan

Tingxuan Zhu (Massachusetts Institute of Technology) "The Not So Humble Brag: Foreign Aid Propaganda and Donor Image"

Discussant: Rodrigo Moura

III. 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM EST

Security and Economics

Chair: Rio Park and Ishana Ratan

Zoom link: <https://berkeley.zoom.us/j/96407942217>

Zhizhen Lu (The University of Texas, Austin) “Signalling Legitimacy: Strategic Decoupling of Sanction Compliance Programs in Global Firms”

Discussant: Nicola Nones

Atharva Deshmukh (University of Melbourne) “The Geoeconomics of Investment Screening”

Discussant: Zhizhen Lu

Muhammad Osama Iqbal (Max Planck Institute for the Study of Societies (MPIfG)) “Beyond ‘financing constraints versus national security’: A Geoeconomic account of Chinese capital in Germany”

Discussant: Atharva Deshmukh

Nicola Nones (University of Virginia) “The Deployment of Nuclear Weapons Abroad and Military Spending”

Discussant: Muhammad Osama Iqbal