EISA European Workshops in International Studies 2021
Workshop D: "Democratic Security: Concepts, Practices and Consequences"

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Thursday, 01 July (all times in CEST)

09:00 – 09:30   Welcome and Introduction

09:30 – 10:30   Panel 1: Politicisation and Democratic Security

Andrew Neal (University of Edinburgh)
Democratisation, Security Sector Reform, and NATO Accession 1989-2004: Rethinking (De)Politicization and (De)Securitization Dynamics

Christian Opitz (University of the Federal Armed Forces Hamburg), Anna Geis (University of the Federal Armed Forces Hamburg), Hanna Pfeiffer (University of Frankfurt/Peace Research Institute Frankfurt):
The Citizens' Turn in Security Policy: Promises and Pitfalls of a New Role for Citizens in Democratic Security

11:00-12:00   Panel 2: Democratisation and its Consequences for Democratic Security

Philipp Lottholz (University of Giessen)
Democratising Security, Taming the Beast? The Ambiguous Outcomes of Politicisation and Reform of the Security Sector in Kyrgyzstan

Audrey Pluta (Institute of Political Studies Aix-en-Provence)
A Ministry Impossible to Reform? (Resistance to) Change in the Tunisian Security Sector post-2011

Friday, 02 July (all times in CEST)

09:00 – 10:00   Panel 3: Parliaments and Democratic Security

James Strong (Queen Mary – University of London)
Democracy and Security in the UK. Why Parliament Matters

Tara Mc Cormack (Leicester University)
'We need to Talk about Cyber-Security': Who Authorises Cyber-War?

10:30 – 11:30   Panel 4: Democratic Security and the Challenge of Counter-Terrorism

Keith Spiller (Birmingham City University)
Examining the Prevent Duty within UK Higher Education: Safeguarding or Surveillance?

Teodora Tea Ristevska, Iztok Prezelj (University of Ljubljana)
The Consequences of Democratic Security. The Case of the War on Terrorism

11:45 – 12:15   Wrap-Up and Final remarks (incl. potential next steps)