

“Crisis Management from within: Governing Chaotic Situations”

Second Global Conference on Public Policy and Administration in the Middle East

November 14 and 15, 2013
Ankara, Turkey

Thursday-November 14th, 2013

Place: Faculty of Engineering Auditorium (Kemal Zaim Sunel)

09:00 – 10:00	Registration
10:00 – 10:45	Opening Speeches Conference Chair Dean of Faculty of Management AMEPPA President Rector of Atilim University
10:45 – 11:00	Turkish Classical Music Concert
11:00 – 12:00	Keynote Speakers Prof. Dr. İsmail Bircan (Atilim University) Dr. Gary Hickey (Long-term Advisor to European Council) Prof. Dr. Muhittin Acar (Hacettepe University)
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch at University Restaurant Kuşkonmaz
13:30 – 15:30	Sessions I-II (2 Parallel)
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 18:00	Sessions III-IV (2 Parallel)
20:00	Welcome Dinner

Friday-November 15th, 2013

09:00 – 11:00	Sessions V-VI-VII (3 Parallel)
11:00 – 13:30	Lunch
13:30 – 15:30	Sessions VIII-IX-X (3 Parallel)
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee Break
16:00 – 18:00	Sessions XI- XII (2 Parallel)
18:00	Closing Remarks

CONFERENCE TRACKS

TRACK A: SETTING THE SCENE (Sessions I-II-III-IV-IX)

TRACK B: CRISIS CLOSELY EXAMINED (Sessions V-VI-X-XI)

TRACK C: RESPONSES TO THE CRISIS AND EMERGENT PRACTICES
(VII-VIII-XII)

SESSIONS

Session I: Theoretical Reflections on Government, History and Public Administration

Discussant: Alexander Dawoody

Nazmul Ahsan Kalimullah and M. M. Ashaduzzaman Nour: "Public Administration and Civilization: Past, Present and Future"

Waleed Ali: "Governance and Public Policy in the Middle East: Global Assimilation or Preserving Historical Identity"

Qahtan. Khairallah. Athab: "Reinventing Government: Attitudes And Potentials Of Top And Middle Managements At the Public organization"

Inas Ahmed Ismail: "عبي أنشراكة انسياسية عبر أنجال انعاو الافتراضي تأثير تسويق الأفكار" (The Impact of Promoting Ideas with a Hypothesis Sphere on Political Participation)

Session II: Coping with Various forms of Crisis in the Middle East

Discussant: Mustafa Kemal Bayırbağ

Mahmudur Rahman: "Towards a Security Policy on Terrorism and Counterterrorism Issues"

Gökhan Orhan: "The Role of External Shocks, Crises, Disasters and Extraordinary Circumstances in Legitimizing Policy Change: The Case of Turkey"

Darci Pauser: "Averting the Crisis of Sustainability Amid the East-West Pull: Turkey's Sustainable Development Initiatives"

Richard Khan and Shamshad Ahmed: "Acculturation, Posttraumatic Stress, and the Mediating Role of Coping Strategies among Muslim Trauma Victims".

Session III: Nation, Democracy and System

Discussant: Savaş Zafer Şahin

Samir Rihani: "Nations as living systems: mix of order and chaos"

Hüseyin Gül: "What Kind of a Public Administration for Turkey"

Abdalhadi M. Aljila: "The Road to Division: How Public Administration Fragments the Palestinians"

Sabuhi Khalili: "Non-economic Factors in the Middle East Uprisings-Internet and Media"

Session IV: The Arab Spring

Discussant: Mete Yıldız

Michiel S. de Vries: "The ethics involved in the Arab spring"

Fadel al-Kifae and Mohammed Talabani: "The Iraqi Arab Spring"

Nassef Manabilang Adiong: "A Comparative Study on the Concept of Nation-State in International Relations and Islamic Studies: The Case of Nation States Involved in the Arab Spring Process"

Stefanie Slaoui-Zirpins: "The EU and the MENA region after the Arab Spring: Intensifying Dialogue between practitioners to overcome ongoing Instabilities?"

Session V: The Turkish Model

Discussant: Çağkan Sayın

Zhu Xiaoning, Zhao Shurong and Zhang Mengmeng: "Sino-Turkey Comparative Study on Recent Governance Reform ----Based on Case Studies of Governments Responsiveness to Group Events"

Savaş Zafer Şahin: "Do models work in the Middle East?: "Bureaucracy vs Democracy" under the Single Party Government Practice in Turkey since 2002"

Vadim Atnashev: "The Turkish Citizenship Legislation and Statelessness Issue in the Modern Context"

Session VI: Perpetual Crisis: Policy Making in the Republic of Lebanon

Chair: Thomas W. Haase

Discussant: Hiba Khodr

Wen-Jiun Wang: "Lebanon and the Syrian Refugee Crisis: A Humanitarian Response Network in Action"

Anna Nersesyants: "Setting the Policy Agenda: Disaster Management in the Republic of Lebanon"

Melissa Ajamian: "Lebanese Nongovernmental Organizations: Towards a Preliminary Taxonomy"

Hiba Khodr: "Energy Policy in Lebanon: When Research, Politics and Policy Fail to Interact"

Carmen Geha: "Civil Society and Policy Making in a Consociational Democracy: Towards a Policy Intervention Model"

Session VII: Role of Education in the Middle East's Public Reform

Discussant: Betül Bulut Şahin

Yasmin Khodary: "Towards Good Governance in Education"

Anıl Çekiç: "Computer Aided Education System Framework for Turkey"

Heba Abdel Megeed: "Effectiveness of Community Participation in Education"

Session VIII: E-Slolutions to the Problems of the Middle East

Discussant: Anıl Çekiç

Mete Yıldız and Kamil Demirhan: “What Can E-Government Studies Learn From Crises: The Case of 2011 Van Earthquake”

Shahjahan H. Bhuiyan: "People's Revolution, e-Government and the Building of a Transparent and Open Government in the "New" Egypt"

Tawfik Elkheshen: “The Role of Information Technology in Local Government Reform in Egypt”

Salma El Tanany: “Moving Towards a Knowledge-Based Economy: What is Needed to Enable Science, Technology and Innovation in Post-Revolutionary Egypt”

Session IX: Ortadoğuda Kriz ve Devlet (Crisis and State in the Middle East)

Discussant: Halil İbrahim Ülker

Sıddık Ekici, Hatice Altunok, Gülcan Şahin: “Krizleri İçerden Yönetememek:Yabancı Uzman Raporlarıyla Devlet İnşası”

Mustafa Altunok ve Can Umut Çiner: “Kamu Politikaları ve Devlette Reform Takıntısı”

Bashar Al-Bayati ve Cenay Babaoğlu: “التأثيرات الدولية في ظل الحكم المحلي في العراق في ظل التغيرات الدولية” (Küresel Etkenlerin Yamacında Irak'ta Yerel Yönetimler)”

Özkan Leblebici: “Ortadoğuda İstikrarsızlık, Kaos ve Otorite”

Session X

Discussant: Savaş Zafer Şahin

Moosa Elayah: “Public Sector Administrative Reform: The Yemeni Experience (1995-2005)”

Amna.H.Muhammed: “The Impact Of Administrative Development In Attracting Foreign Investment From The Standpoint Of Workers at (Ministry Of Industry and Commerce, Investment Promotion Corporation, JSC) In the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan: A field Study”

Khalid Moustafa Hassan: “The use of Early warning system network and electronic warfare in securing the safety of nuclear plants from terrorist attacks”

Khalifa Chater: “The Democratic Transition in Tunisia, Challenges”

Hamid E. Ali and Omnia A. Abdellatif: “Military Spending and Natural Resource: Evidence from Rentiers' States in The Middle East and North Africa”

Ahmed A. Alzahrani and Alberto Asquer: “A new model of providing public services: the case of Public –Business Centers”

Session XI: Social Inclusion and Governance in Post-Revolutionary Egypt

Discussant: Alexander Dawoody

Ahmed Alaa Fayed: “Case-studies on petty corruption in post revolutionary Egypt”

Ashraf Numair: “How to Boost Citizens’ Trust in Government The Case of Post-Revolution Egypt”

Jenifer Bremer: “Zakat and the Egyptian Diaspora: Philanthropic Linkages Between the Egyptian-American Community in Washington and Marginalized Communities in Egypt as a Tool for Inclusive Growth Strategies”

Eissa Abou Omar: “Empowering Professional Syndicates in Egypt to Achieve Good Governance (An Application to the Egyptian Medical Syndicate)”

Session XII: Public Service in the Middle East

Discussant: Mete Yıldız

Lucky Benson and Bulila N. Daniel: “Public Service Reforms and the achievements of Millennium Development Goals in Nigeria”

Noura Wahby: “Community self-help initiatives in Infrastructure Upgrading in Informal Areas: Reshaping Local Governance”

Amira Abdel Latif: “Improving the Quality of Public Health Services in lower income areas in Cairo, Egypt”

*Mona Salem El Rassass: “The Determinants of Citizens' Satisfaction in the Water Public Service: the Case Study of The Governorate of Fayoum”

Alexandre Munoz: “Issues of a new governance of public policies to develop sustainable regional investment in the Mediterranean”

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