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Social Movements in Theory and Practice

Concepts and Experiences from Different Regional Contexts

Workshop, Zurich, October 24–25, 2014

Day 1 Friday, 24 October 2014

09:15–09:30 Welcoming the participants

09:30–09:45 David Chiavacci / Yasmine Berriane / Joschka Philipps

Introduction and exposition of the workshop topic

Chair: David Chiavacci

09:45–10:30 Hanspeter Kriesi (European University Institute, Florence)

Overview over the main approaches in social movement research

10:30–10:45 Coffee break

Chair: Benedikt Korf

10:45–11:30 AbdouMaliq Simone (Goldsmiths, University of London)

The future remains: Endurance and the expendable in urban Southeast Asia

11:30–12:15 Koichi Hasegawa (Tohoku University, Sendai)

Japan's environmental movements: The history, the structure and the limits

12:15–13:30 Lunch

Chair: Bettina Dennerlein

13:30–14:15 Hamidou Magassa (SERNES / University of Bamako)

The birth of the 3rd Republic of Mali: From the insurrectional school movement to the coup of the 26th of March 1991

14:15–15:00 Marie Duboc (University of Tübingen)

Beyond 'contentious politics'? The dynamics of labour protests in Egypt

15:00–15:30 Coffee break

Chair: Yasmine Berriane and Joschka Philipps

15:30–17:00 Discussion of first day

Day 2 Saturday, 25 October 2014

Ongoing Research Projects

Session 1 Individuals, Leaders, Groups (Chair: Yasmine Berriane)

09:30–10:00 Silva Lieberherr (University of Zurich)

“Movement leaders” in politics

10:00–10:30 Joschka Philipps (University of Basel / CASB)

Social movements, protests, and riots as crystallization processes

10:30–11:00 Julia Obinger (University of Zurich)

Consumer boycotts and political consumerism in Japan

11:00–11:30 Coffee break

Session 2 New Social Movements (Chair: David Chiavacci)

11:30–12:00 Ayaka Löschke (University of Zurich / URPP Asia and Europe)

Applying concepts of social movement theories to the Japanese anti-nuclear movement after Fukushima

12:00–12:30 Bobby Luthra Sinha (University of Basel / CASB)

Accessing the silences of protest action in India and South Africa – before, after and beyond the public manifestation of collective action

12:30–13:00 Simona Alba Grano (University of Zurich)

Newly born “Tree-hugging” phenomenon in China and Taiwan: the increasing use of rules-based participatory approaches on part of activists

13:30 Lunch

General Information

Location	University of Zurich URPP Asia and Europe Room WIE F-07 Wiesenstrasse 7/9 CH-8008 Zurich
Date	Friday, October 24, 09:15–17:00 Saturday, October 25, 09:30–13:00
Convenors	Dr. Veit Arlt Dr. Yasmine Berriane Prof. Dr. David Chiavacci Prof. Dr. Bettina Dennerlein Prof. Dr. Benedikt Korf Prof. Dr. Elísio Macamo Joschka Philipps, M. A.
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