

**KUBEC IR Research Seminar 2014: A Follow-up of Kobe Sakura Mtg.**  
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**DAY1 June 22<sup>nd</sup> (Sun)**

PS01 12:15-13:00

*Tom Scotto*

“Playing tough?: British and American Attitudes towards China's Economic and Military Power”

PS02 13:00-13:45

*Graeme Davis, Robert Johns, Maki Ikeda and Atsushi Tago*

“Population Dynamics of Escalation: A Survey Experiment from Japan-China Territorial Dispute”

PS03 13:45-14:30

*Shoko Kohama and Kazuto Ohtsuki*

“The Logic of Mass Destruction”

PS04 14:50-15:35

*Erik Gartzke and Atsushi Tago*

“Strategy and International Regime Complexity: Alliances, the NPT and Nuclear Weapons Free Zones as Cross-Cutting Commitments”

PS05 15:35-16:20

*Tobias Heinrich, Daina Chiba, and Adam Cox*

“Why Do Colonies Get More Foreign Aid? Disentangling Behavioral and Observable Effects”

PS06 16:20-17:05

*Jun Koga*

“The Manner of Entering and Losing Office in Dictatorships”

PS07 17:05-17:50

*Yoshiharu Kobayashi*

“The Individual Sources of Foreign Aid Cuts in Financial Crises: Experimental Approach”

**DAY2 June 23<sup>rd</sup> (Mon)**

PS08 9:30-10:15

*Kaisa Hinkkainen, and Steve Pickering*

“Land for Rebels: Forestation and Vegetation in Armed Conflicts”

PS09 10:15-11:00

*Alex Braithwaite, Matthew Lane, and Jessica Maves Braithwaite*

“When in Rome: Strategic Emulation and the Contagion of Intrastate Conflict”

PS10 11:00-11:45

***Jun Koga and Jessica Maves Braithwaite***

“When Good Coups Go Bad: Coup Attempts and the Onset of Civil War”

PS11 11:45-12:30

***Zorzeta Bakaki***

“Severe Conflicts under special treatment”

PS12 13:30-14:15

***Tobias Böhmelt, Andrea Ruggeri, and Ulrich Pilster***

“Bullet-Proof? Coup-Proofing, Spatial Dependencies, and Peer-Group Effects”

PS13 14:15-15:00

***Vincenzo Bove and Andrea Ruggeri***

“Diversity in U.N. Peacekeeping Missions and Civilian Protection”

PS14 15:30-16:15

***Abbey Steele***

“Elections and Violence during Civil Wars”

PS15 16:15-17:00

***Ismene Gizelis, Steve Pickering, and Henrik Urdal***

“I Predict a Riot: Spatial and Temporal Variation in African Riots and Protests”

PS16 17:00-17:45

***Kristian Skrede Gleditsch, and Sara M. T. Polo***

“Terrorism and Civil War”

17:50-19:30

Poster Session

***Daisuke Madokoro*** “How International Commissions Promote Normative Change: A Case of the ICISS”

***Sho Akahoshi*** “Internally Displaced Persons and Global Governance”

***Haru Utsumi and Atsushi Tago*** “Japanese Public Opinion and Foreign Relations: Effects of Study Abroad”

***Sara M. T. Polo*** “Fear of Weak Ties. Explaining the logic of selective and indiscriminate terrorist violence”

***Katerina Tkacova*** “Ethnic Groups' Access to Political Power and Domestic Terrorism”

***Atsushi Tago, Maki Ikeda, Robert Johns and Graeme Davis*** “Legality and Economic Ties: Factors Affecting Audience Costs at a Sino-Japanese Territorial Crisis”

**NOTE: This seminar is invitation only due to the space limit.**