

Why is Gender Equality Good for Governance?

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Conference Seminaris CampusHotel (Takustraße 39, 14195 Berlin), Conference Room

Friday October, 31st

06:00-09:00 Breakfast (available for those who reside at Seminaris Hotel)

09:00-10:00 Registration (Conference Room)

10:00-10:30 Welcome and Introduction,
Speaker: Tanja Börzel (SFB 700) and Amy Alexander (Göttingen Univ.)

10:30-12:00 Panel A

“Implications of Gender Equality for Governance Effectiveness”, Speaker: Selma Husic (Univ. of Sarajevo),

“Assessing the Causal Impact of Women’s Representation in Government on Corruption”,
Speaker: Justin Esarey (Rice Univ. Texas),

Discussant: Jane Freedman (Univ. de Paris 8), Chair: Tanja Börzel (SFB 700).

12:00-01:30 Lunch

01:30-03:30 Panel B

“More women in politics and levels of corruption in Tanzania”, Speaker: Mi Yung Yoon (Hanover College),

“Gender and Decision-Making in Collective Action Dilemmas: Experimental Evidence from Four Russian Regions”, Speaker: Olga Avdeyeva (Loyola Univ. Chicago),

“The Marginality Advantage: Gender and Good Governance in Neopatrimonial States”,
Speaker: Michael Roll (Univ. of Wisconsin–Madison),

Discussant: Kristin Michelitch (Vanderbilt Univ.), Chair: Amy Alexander (Göttingen Univ.).

03:30-04:00 Coffee Break

04:00-06:00 Panel C

“Women’s Empowerment: The Necessary Precursor to Good Governance and Democratization in Fourth Wave Predominantly-Muslim States”, Speaker: Ginger Feather (Univ. of Kansas),

“Empowerment without Emancipation: Gender Equality, Good Governance and Non-State Advocacy in Morocco”, Speaker: Rachid Touhtou (The National School of Statistics and Applied Economics, Rabat),

Discussant: Milli Lake (Arizona State Univ.), Chair: Tanja Börzel (SFB 700).

- 06:00-06:15 Closing Remarks, Speakers: Tanja Börzel (SFB 700), Amy Alexander (Göttingen Univ.)
- 06:30 Dinner

Saturday November, 1st

06:00-09:00 Breakfast (available for those who reside at Seminaris Hotel)

09:30-10:00 Short Summary of the First Day and Introduction, Speaker: Tanja Börzel (SFB 700)

10:00-12:00 Panel D

“Sex Beyond The Internal Market: Governance of Gender and Sexuality in EU Law”,
Speaker: Ulad Belavusau (Vrije Univ. Amsterdam),
“Gendering Justice? Analyzing use of the courts by female victims of gender violence in areas of limited statehood”, Speaker: Milli Lake (Arizona State Univ),
“How can gender equality improve security sector governance in the DRC?”,
Speaker: Jane Freedman (Univ. de Paris 8),
Discussant: Mi Yung Yoon (Hanover College), Chair: Amy Alexander (Göttingen Univ.).

12:00-01:30 Lunch

01:30-03:30 Panel E

“Politician Performance and Representation: Evidence from Uganda’s Local Government gender Quota”, Speaker: Kristin Michelitch (Vanderbilt Univ.),
“Women Acting for Women? Reserved Seats and Women’s Substantive Representation in the Ugandan Parliament.”, Speaker: Amanda Clayton (Univ. Of Washington),
“And the role of men? A theoretical perspective on how patriarchal norms are related to poor governance, insecurity and violence.” Åsa Ekvall (Univ. of Antwerp),
Discussant: Olga Avdeyeva, Chair: Tanja Börzel (SFB 700).

03:30-04:00 Coffee Break

04:00-05:30 Final Presentation, Discussion and Closing Remarks

“Gender Equality and Good Governance: A Framework for Analysis”, Speaker: Amy Alexander (Göttingen Univ.), Chair: Tanja Börzel.

06:00 Dinner at Parkcafé (Fehrbelliner Platz 8, 10707 Berlin)