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Course Manual

The Study of Civil Wars

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COURSE INSTRUCTIONS

Seminar, 2 SWS, 3 CP / 5 CP for final module examination, rooms according to syllabus.

Please be aware that after two introductory sessions on Tuesday, April 21 (2-4 pm) and Friday, May 8 (2-6 pm), the course will be held in full-day sessions on three Saturdays (May 9, May 30 and July 4). Due to this structure, participation at all sessions is mandatory.

You can obtain CP for the following modules:

IS-MA-1, IS-MA-3, PT-MA-4, PW-MA-2c, PW-MA-3c, PW-MA-4c, PW09-MA-5, PW09-MA-7, PW-BA-SP, HP, POWI-VP2

CONTENTS

For a long time, international peace and conflict research was focused mainly on interstate wars, but since the mid-nineties there has been an increase in publications on the causes and consequences of intrastate / civil wars. This academic development was preceded by a detectable change in international warfare: Since 1945, more than two-thirds of all wars are fought internally, whereas the number of civil wars has particularly risen after the end of the Cold War. The field of civil war research is characterized by case studies, comparative analyses and quantitative research projects, which relate relative little to each other. There is rather an abundance of different theoretical approaches, most of which investigate the influence of a particular factor on the onset and duration of civil wars, or on the subsequent peace.

The aim of this course is to provide an overview of these different research approaches for the study of civil wars and to take a closer look at several intensively discussed factors in order to understand the causes and conditions of violent conflicts. After an introduction to this research field and the competing conceptual approaches to civil wars and peacebuilding, the course examines two sectors around which theoretical debates are organized: we will first discuss those approaches dealing with the context factors of armed conflicts and civil wars (natural resources, ethnicity, war costs, types of civil war end), before we focus on the more proximate factors dealing with the dynamics of post-conflict peacebuilding (peace operations, DDR measures, reconciliation, capacity of the state). Additional case studies will allow us to study these approaches in more depth and to apply theoretical knowledge to empirical findings.

By the end of this course, the participants ...

- ... will be knowing the main approaches to civil war research and understand how these might be intersected with each other.
- ... will be able to explain, compare and question the different approaches.
- ... will be able to combine theoretical perspectives with empirical examples and form an opinion in form of a conflict analysis.
- ... will have improved their analytical skills when dealing with academic texts.
- ... will have improved their presentation and communication skills.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

The course is open to students of the political science master programs and advanced students of the political science bachelor program who have already obtained some knowledge in International Relations and are interested in the study of civil wars. The course will be held in English; therefore the ability to read, discuss and write in English is a prerequisite for participating. Since the individual sessions will be based on an interactive method of teaching, every student is expected to participate actively in working groups and discussions. Therefore, the participants are required to prepare the readings for each session thoroughly. A course manual including all mandatory readings and course instructions will be available at the beginning of the term at the copyshop “Kopierwerk”, Adalbertstraße 21a in Bockenheim.

Certificate of participation (Teilnahmenachweis)

- Regular and active participation
- Literature research and compilation of an annotated bibliography on a given topic

Certificate of final module examination (Leistungsnachweis)

- Regular and active participation
- One mid-term theoretical paper (literature review; 2,500 words; due on June 14, 2015, 6 pm)
- One final paper (combining the theoretical part with a conflict analysis; 7,000 words; due on September 30, 6 pm)

The course is limited to 40 participants. You are thus kindly asked to register for the course “The Study of Civil Wars” at the LSF from March 19 until April 8, 2015. Only registered participants will be admitted.

Detailed information on the course requirements

Regular participation:

Due to the full day structure of this course, it is mandatory to participate at all sessions. If it nevertheless happens that you have to miss parts of a session, please get in touch with me so we can agree on additional requirements.

Active participation:

The course will be held in English; therefore the ability to read, discuss and write in English is a prerequisite. Since the individual sessions will be based on an interactive method of teaching, every student is expected to participate actively in working groups and discussions. The working groups will present their results in form of presentations and written summaries. Therefore, a thorough preparation of the readings is required by all participants.

Annotated bibliography:

If you would like to obtain a certificate of participation (Teilnahmenachweis), you will have to research relevant literature and compile an annotated bibliography on one of the factors discussed in the course (the topics will be distributed in the first session). The following web resource provides information on how to write such a bibliography:

<http://www.writing.utoronto.ca/advice/specific-types-of-writing/annotated-bibliography>

- The annotated bibliography on context factors is due on May 10, 2015, 6 pm.
- The annotated bibliography on peacebuilding factors is due on May 31, 2015, 6 pm.

- Please send your annotated bibliography via e-mail to leib@soz.uni-frankfurt.de.

Written examination:

For a final module examination (Leistungsnachweis), you are required to write two papers:

- The theoretical paper (literature review; 2,500 words) is due on June 14, 2015, 6 pm. This grade counts 30%.
- The final paper / conflict analysis (combining the theoretical part with a case study; 7,000 words) is due on September 30, 2015, 6 pm. This grade counts 70%.
- Please send your papers via e-mail to leib@soz.uni-frankfurt.de and submit a printed version to the secretariat.

Feedback:

I will be happy to give you feedback on your performance in my consultation hours.

PLAGIARISM

I will check all papers on plagiarism. If I find out that not all of your quoted or paraphrased sources haven been referenced appropriately within your paper and in the annotated bibliography, the consequences will be as follows:

- You fail the exam (mark 5) with no possibility to repeat it within this course.
- The examination office (Prüfungsamt) will be notified.
- You will be excluded from any future courses that I or the team “International Institutions and Peace Processes” will offer.
- For more information, see the Faculty of Social Sciences’ plagiarism policy here: <http://www.fb03.uni-frankfurt.de/51549911/Umgang-mit-Plagiaten-am-Fachbereich-03.pdf>

I will only accept papers including the following statement with your (digital) signature:

Hiermit erkläre ich gegenüber dem Institut für Politikwissenschaft der Goethe-Universität, dass ich die vorliegende Arbeit mit dem Titel "XXX" selbständig angefertigt und alle verwendeten, d.h. zitierten und paraphrasierten, Quellen am jeweiligen Verwendungsort in den Literaturverweisen sowie im Literaturverzeichnis aufgeführt habe. Alle im Wortlaut aus anderen Werken übernommenen Satzteile, Sätze oder Absätze habe ich durch An- und Abführungszeichen als Zitate ausgewiesen.

Ferner erkläre ich, dass ich diese Arbeit für das Seminar „The Study of Civil Wars“ verfasst habe und sie nicht bereits zum Erbringen einer Prüfungsleistung in einem anderen Seminar oder in einem anderen Studiengang gedient hat.

E-LEARNING PLATFORM OLAT

All participants are expected to subscribe to this course on OLAT. All relevant information (like PowerPoint presentations, instructions on your papers and annotated bibliographies, handouts, web links and short-term announcements) will be posted there. You can also use the forum to ask me or your fellow students questions regarding the content or organization of the course. Especially questions that might be interesting to other course participants should be asked in the forum and not by e-mail, if possible.

COURSE MANUAL

All mandatory readings are included in the course manual which you can buy at the copy shop “Kopierwerk” (Adalbertstraße 21a, next to the Bockenheimer University Campus). The readings for the individual working groups will be made available on OLAT.

It is a prerequisite for an effective course that all participants prepare very well for each session. Therefore, you are expected to read the assigned texts for each session thoroughly (not just cross-reading!). In those sessions where we work in groups, it is sufficient if you prepare the mandatory readings plus the readings for your working group.

CONTACT

Consultation hours: Tuesday, 9 am – 11 am; PEG; room 3.G 095
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If you wish to have feedback on your performance in the course, please let me know that you are coming to my consultation hours in order to allow for some preparation.

BACKGROUND READING: SOME BASICS ON WAR AND PEACE

- Collier, Paul and Nicholas Sambanis (eds.) 2005: *Understanding Civil War: Evidence and Analysis*. 2 Volumes. Washington, D.C.: World Bank.
- Demmers, Jolle 2012: *Theories of Violent Conflict*. London: Routledge.
- Doyle, Michael W. and Nicholas Sambanis 2006: *Making War and Building Peace: United Nations Peace Operations*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.
- Holsti, Kalevi J. 1996: *The State, War, and the State of War*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Kalyvas, Stathis N. 2006: *The Logic of Violence in Civil War*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Lederach, John Paul 2005: *The Moral Imagination: The Art and Soul of Building Peace*. Oxford: Oxford University Press.
- Paris, Roland 2004: *At War's End: Building Peace After Civil Conflict*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.
- Ramsbotham, Oliver, Tom Woodhouse and Hugh Miall 2011: *Contemporary Conflict Resolution*. 3.ed. Cambridge: Polity Press.
- Toft, Monica Duffy 2010: *Securing the Peace: The Durable Settlement of Civil Wars*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.
- Walter, Barbara F. 2002: *Committing to Peace: The Successful Settlement of Civil Wars*. Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press.

THE STUDY OF CIVIL WARS – SYLLABUS (SHORT FORM)

1	21.04.2015 Tuesday	2.15 pm – 3.45 pm: Introduction – content and structure of the course
2	08.05.2015 Friday IG 0.251	2.00 pm – 6.00 pm: Civil War Research – an overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What counts as civil war? Definitions and concepts • The greed and grievance debate: Looking at the studies by Collier and Hoeffler (2004) and Fearon and Laitin (2003) • Results of the first wave of quantitative civil war studies
3	09.05.2015 Saturday PEG 1.G 191	10.00 am – 5.45 pm: Theoretical Approaches I – conflict environment factors <i>Please bring your laptops!</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Looking at the conflict environment: what causes and fuels civil wars? • Natural resources • Ethnicity • War costs • Type of civil war end
	10.05.2015 Sunday	6.00 pm: deadline for annotated bibliography on context factors (relevant for Teilnahmenachweis)
4	30.05.2015 Saturday SP 2.03	10.00 am – 5.45 pm: Theoretical Approaches II – peacebuilding factors <i>Please bring your laptops!</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to build peace after civil wars? • Peace operations • Disarmament, demobilization, and reintegration (DDR) • Reconciliation • Capacity of the state
	31.05.2015 Sunday	6.00 pm: deadline for annotated bibliography on peacebuilding factors (relevant for Teilnahmenachweis)
	14.06.2015 Sunday	6.00 pm: deadline for the literature review (relevant for Leistungsnachweis)
5	04.07.2015 Saturday PEG 1.G 165	9.30 am – 5.45 pm: Empirical Examples of Civil Wars <i>Please bring your laptops!</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The dynamics of civil wars: looking at case studies / conflict analysis • Indonesia (Aceh) • Mozambique • Democratic Republic of Congo • El Salvador
	30.09.2015 Wednesday	6.00 pm: deadline for the conflict analysis (relevant for Leistungsnachweis)

THE STUDY OF CIVIL WARS – SYLLABUS (LONG FORM)

1	<p>21.04.2015 Tuesday</p> <p>PEG 1.G 168</p>	<p>2.15 pm – 3.45 pm: Introduction – content and structure of the course</p> <p><u>Topics:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goals and limits of the course • Course requirements • Syllabus and structure of the sessions • Introduction: analyzing armed conflicts and wars • Distributions of assignments and formation of the working groups
2	<p>08.05.2015 Friday</p> <p>IG 0.251</p>	<p>2.00 pm – 6.00 pm: Civil War Research – an overview</p> <p><u>Topics:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What counts as civil war? Definitions and concepts • The greed and grievance debate: Looking at the studies by Collier and Hoeffler (2004) and Fearon and Laitin (2003) • Results of the first wave of quantitative civil war studies <p>Thank you for preparing the readings in advance! I expect everyone to have read the mandatory readings and one of the two quantitative studies (as assigned in the first session).</p> <p><u>Mandatory readings for all participants:</u></p> <p>Collier, Paul, V. L. Elliott, Havard Hegre, Anke Hoeffler, Marta Reynal-Querol and Nicholas Sambanis 2003: <i>Breaking the Conflict Trap: Civil War and Development Policy</i>. Washington, D.C.: World Bank, 53-91.</p> <p>Sambanis, Nicholas 2004: “What Is Civil War? Conceptual and empirical complexities of an operational definition”, <i>Journal of Conflict Resolution</i>, 48(6), 814-858.</p> <p><u>Quantitative studies:</u></p> <p>Collier, Paul and Anke Hoeffler 2004: “Greed and grievance in civil war”, <i>Oxford Economic Papers</i>, 56, 563-595.</p> <p>Fearon, James D. and David D. Laitin 2003: “Ethnicity, Insurgency, and Civil War”, <i>American Political Science Review</i>, 97(1), 75-90.</p>
3	<p>09.05.2015 Saturday</p> <p>PEG 1.G 191</p>	<p>10.00 am – 5.45 pm: Theoretical Approaches I – conflict environment factors</p> <p><i>Please bring your laptops!</i></p> <p><u>Topics:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Looking at the conflict environment: what causes and fuels civil wars? • Natural resources • Ethnicity • War costs • Type of civil war end

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Thank you for preparing the readings in advance! I expect everyone to have read the mandatory readings plus the readings for one of the working groups.

Mandatory readings for all participants:

- Dixon, Jeffrey 2009: “What Causes Civil Wars? Integrating Quantitative Research Findings”, *International Studies Review*, 11(4), 707-735.
- DeRouen, Karl Jr. 2014: “The Duration and Recurrence of Civil War”, in: Edward Newman and Karl DeRouen, Jr. (eds.): *Routledge Handbook of Civil Wars*. London: Routledge, 300-309.

Readings for the working group on “Natural resources”:

- Lujala, Päivi 2014: “Valuable Natural Resources”, in: Edward Newman and Karl DeRouen, Jr. (eds.): *Routledge Handbook of Civil Wars*. London: Routledge, 119-130.
- Koubi, Vally, Gabriele Spilker, Tobias Böhmelt and Thomas Bernauer 2014: “Do natural resources matter for interstate and intrastate armed conflict?”, *Journal of Peace Research*, 51(2), 227-243.
- Ross, Michael L. 2004: “What Do We Know About Natural Resources and Civil War”, *Journal of Peace Research*, 41(3), 337-356.
- Rustad, Siri Aas and Helga Malmin Binningsbø 2012: “A price worth fighting for? Natural resources and conflict recurrence”, *Journal of Peace Research*, 49(4), 531-546.

Working group “Ethnicity”:

- Denny, Elaine K. and Barbara F. Walter 2014: “Ethnicity and civil war”, *Journal of Peace Research*, 51(2), 199-212.
- Kaufmann, Chaim 1996: “Possible and Impossible Solutions to Ethnic Civil Wars”, *International Security*, 20(4), 136-175.
- Cederman, Lars-Erik, Andreas Wimmer and Brian Min 2010: “Why Do Ethnic Groups Rebel?: New Data and Analysis”, *World Politics*, 62(1), 87-119.
- Lake, David A. and Donald Rothchild 1996: “Containing Fear: The Origins and Management of Ethnic Conflict”, *International Security*, 21(2), 41-75.

		<p><u>Working group “War costs”:</u></p> <p>Walter, Barbara F. 1997: “The Critical Barrier to Civil War Settlements”, <i>International Organization</i>, 51(3), 335-364.</p> <p>Mason, T. David, Mehmet Gurses, Patrick T. Brandt and Jason Michael Quinn 2011: “When Civil Wars Recur: Conditions for Durable Peace after Civil Wars”, <i>International Studies Perspectives</i>, 12(2), 171-189.</p> <p>Wittman, Donald 1979: “How a War Ends: A rational model approach”, <i>Journal of Conflict Resolution</i>, 23(4), 743-763.</p> <p>Lacina, Bethany and Nils Petter Gleditsch 2005: “Monitoring Trends in Global Combat: A New Dataset of Battle-Deaths”, <i>European Journal of Population</i>, 21(2-3), 145-166.</p> <p><u>Working group “Type of civil war end”:</u></p> <p>Kreutz, Joakim 2014: “How civil wars end (and recur)”, in: Edward Newman and Karl DeRouen, Jr. (eds.): <i>Routledge Handbook of Civil Wars</i>. London: Routledge, 349-362.</p> <p>Mason, T. David, Mehmet Gurses, Patrick T. Brandt and Jason Michael Quinn 2011: “When Civil Wars Recur: Conditions for Durable Peace after Civil Wars”, <i>International Studies Perspectives</i>, 12(2), 171-189.</p> <p>Hartzell, Caroline A. 1999: “Explaining the Stability of Negotiated Settlements to Intrastate Wars”, <i>Journal of Conflict Resolution</i>, 43(3), 3-22.</p> <p>Licklider, Roy 1995: “The Consequences of Negotiated Settlements in Civil Wars, 1945-1993”, <i>American Political Science Review</i>, 89(3), 681-690.</p>																		
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Doyle, Michael W. and Nicholas Sambanis 2000: "International Peacebuilding: A Theoretical and Quantitative Analysis", *The American Political Science Review*, 94(4), 779-801.

Working group "Peace Operations":

Fortna, Virginia Page 2004: "Does Peacekeeping Keep Peace? International Intervention and the Duration of Peace After Civil War", *International Studies Quarterly*, 48(2), 269-292.

Wallensteen, Peter and Isak Svensson 2014: "Talking peace: International mediation in armed conflicts", *Journal of Peace Research*, 51(2), 315-327.

Regan, Patrick M. 2010: "Interventions into Civil Wars: A Retrospective Survey with Prospective Ideas", *Civil Wars*, 12(4), 456-476.

Bercovitch, Jacob and Richard Jackson 2001: "Negotiation or Mediation? An Exploration of Factors Affecting the Choice of Conflict Management in International Conflict", *Negotiation Journal*, 17(1), 59-77.

Working group "Disarmament, demobilization, and reintegration":

Özerdem, Alpaslan 2013: "Disarmament, demobilization and reintegration", in: Roger Mac Ginty (ed.): *Routledge Handbook of Peacebuilding*. London: Routledge, 225- 236.

Spear, Joanna 1999: "The disarmament and demobilisation of warring factions in the aftermath of civil wars: Key implementation issues", *Civil Wars*, 2(2), 1-22.

Humphreys, Macartan and Jeremy M. Weinstein 2007: "Demobilization and Reintegration", *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 51(4), 531-567.

Annan, Jeannie, Moriah Brier and Filder Aryemo 2009: "From 'Rebel' to 'Returnee'": Daily Life and Reintegration for Young Soldiers in Northern Uganda", *Journal of Adolescent Research*, 24(6), 639-667.

Working group "Reconciliation and Transitional Justice":

Hutchison, Emma and Roland Bleiker 2013: "Reconciliation", in: Roger Mac Ginty (ed): *Routledge Handbook of Peacebuilding*. London: Routledge, 81-90.

Lambourne, Wendy 2009: "Transitional Justice and Peacebuilding after Mass Violence", *International Journal of Transitional Justice*, 3(1), 28-48.

Mendeloff, David 2004: "Truth-Seeking, Truth-Telling, and Postconflict Peacebuilding: Curb the Enthusiasm?", *International Studies Review*, 6(3), 355-380.

Gibson, James L. 2006: "The Contribution of Truth to Reconciliation: Lessons From South Africa", *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 50(3), 409-432.

		<p><u>Working group “Capacity of the state”:</u></p> <p>Hegre, Havard, Tanja Ellingsen, Scott Gates and Nils Petter Gleditsch 2001: “Toward a democratic civil peace? Democracy, political change, and civil war, 1816-1992”, <i>American Political Science Review</i>, 95(1), 33-48.</p> <p>Walter, Barbara F. 2014: “Why Bad Governance Leads to Repeat Civil War”, <i>Journal of Conflict Resolution</i>, in press.</p> <p>Taydas, Zeynep, Dursun Peksen and Patrick James 2010: “Why Do Civil Wars Occur? Understanding the Importance of Institutional Quality”, <i>Civil Wars</i>, 12(3), 195-217.</p> <p>Pospieszna, Paulina and Gerald Schneider 2013: “The Illusion of ‘Peace Trough Power-Sharing’: Constitutional Choice in the Shadow of Civil War”, <i>Civil Wars</i>, 15(S1), 44-70.</p>																				
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Mandatory readings:

- Sambanis, Nicholas 2004: "Using Case Studies to Expand Economic Models of Civil War", *Perspectives on Politics*, 2(2), 259-279.
- Tarrow, Sidney 2007: "Inside Insurgencies: Politics and Violence in an Age of Civil War", *Perspectives on Politics*, 5(3), 587-600.
- Mason, Simon and Sandra Rychard 2005: *Conflict Analysis Tools: Tip Sheet*. Bern: Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC).

Case study "Indonesia (Aceh)":

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