

SC²PI X: UC Merced, February 19, 2016

Schedule

Introductions: 10:30-10:45

Session I: 10:45-12:00

Christopher Kam (UBC)

The evolution of electoral competition in Victorian England

Discussant: **Brad LeVeck** (UCM)

Adriane Fresh (Stanford)

When are Revolutions Revolutionary? Political Power and Institutional Change During Britain's Revolutionary Period

Discussant: **Christopher Kam** (UBC)

Lunch: 12:00-12:45

Session II: 12:45-2:00

Mona Vakilifathi (UCSD)

Legislative Term Limits, Finite Time Horizons, and Ex Ante Means of Bureaucratic Control

Discussant: **Nate Monroe** (UCM)

Marie-Catherine Wavreille (UCSD)

When do Politicians Tie their Fates to Ballot Measures?

Discussant: **Jessica Trounstine** (UCM)

Session III: 2:15-3:45

James Adams (UC Davis)

"What this Election is About...": Parties' Issue Emphasis Strategies in Multiparty Elections

Discussant: **Indridi Indridason** (UCR)

Christine Cahill (UC Davis)

The Electoral Consequences of Strategic Ambiguity for European Political Parties

Discussant: **Brian Williams** (UCR)

Kathryn Wainfan (UCLA)

Decentralization as Party Electoral Strategy

Discussant: **David Fortunato** (UCM)

Session IV: 4:00-5:15

Emily Ritter (UC Merced)

State Cooperation with International Criminal Tribunals: An Investigation of International Warrant Enforcement

Discussant: **Mike Thies** (UCLA)

Paul Zachary (UCSD)

History Favors the Victors, but does Justice? Evidence of Truth Commission Bias from South Africa

Discussant: **Courtenay Conrad** (UCM)

The Future of SCPI: 5:15-5:30

Post-Conference Fun: Pizza and beer.