



Program for the Workshop

“Institutional Dynamics in World Politics: Explaining variation in the scope, pace, and direction of international institutional change”

Thursday, 7 April 2011

From 9.00 am **Arrival at WZB**

9.30 to 10.15 am **Introduction**

Zürn, Michael

Welcome

Rixen, Thomas/
Viola, Lora

Conceptualizing International Institutional Change

10.15 to 12.15 pm

Historical Institutionalism and International Institutions

Chair

Michael Zürn

Fioretos, Orfeo

Institutional Innovation and Layering in Economic
Multilateralism

Büthe, Tim

The Politics of Institutional Change: The Regulation of
Competition and Mergers in the European Union, 1955-2010

Klinke, Andreas

The Explanatory Power of Discourse on Change and Dynamics in
International Institutions

Discussant

Philipp Genschel

12.15 to 1.30 pm

Lunch Break

1.30 to 3.30 pm

Timing, Sequencing and Unintended Consequences

Chair

Thomas Rixen

da Conceicao-Heldt,
Eugenia

Embedding International Institutions in Time

Hanrieder, Tine

The centrifugal reproduction of the WHO

Bechtel, Michael/
Sattler, Thomas

The Impact of Institutional Change in Global Trade: How
Effective was the Shift from the GATT to the WTO Dispute
Settlement Mechanism?

Discussant

Tim Büthe



3.30 pm

Coffee Break

4 to 6 pm

Institutional Change away from Executive Multilateralism

Chair

Lora Viola

Grigorescu, Alex

The Application of Democratic Principles to Intergovernmental Organizations

Sommerer, Thomas/
Squatrito, Theresa/
Tallberg, Jonas

Transnational Access to International Institutions: Change and Continuity, 1950-2010

Westerwinter, Oliver

Understanding Change and Continuity of Transnational Security Governance Arrangements

Discussant

Bernhard Zangl

7 pm

Dinner

Friday, 8 April 2011

9 to 11 am

Informal Institutions and Change

Chair

Lora Viola

Daase, Christopher/
Kolliarakis, Georgios

Security Culture and the Transformation of International Institutions

Engert, Stefan/
Kerwer, Dieter

Informal International Organizations: Can they persist? When do they change?

Kleine, Mareike

The Interaction of formal and informal institutions in the European Union

Discussant

Orfeo Fioretos

11 am

Coffee Break

11.15 to 1.15 pm

Norms and Discourse as Motors of Institutional Change

Chair

Michael Zürn

von Staden, Andreas

Normative Path Dependence: Theoretical Expectations and Empirical Evidence

Klaus Dingwerth/
Lehmann, Ina/
Reichel, Ellen/ Weise,
Tobias

From International Politics to Global Governance? Global Constitutional Change in the Regulation of Security, Human Rights, Technology and the Environment



Holthoefer, Anne	No Law, No Crime, No Punishment. The development of the concept of international crime and international criminal prosecution
<i>Discussant</i>	<i>Nico Krisch</i>
1.15 to 2 pm	Lunch
2 to 4 pm	Looking Inside the Organizational Black Box for Explanations of Institutional Change
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Thomas Rixen</i>
Moschella, Manuela/ Vetterlein, Antje	Organizational Fields and Institutional Development: Explaining the Dynamics of IMF's Policy Change
Botzem, Sebastian	Transnational institution building through expertise Private rule making in the case of accountancy –the International Accounting Standards Board
Schindler, Sebastian	Human Action, Events, and the History of International Organizations: Explaining Institutional Change in the UN Food Agencies
<i>Discussant</i>	<i>Inge Kaul</i>
	Coffee Break
4 to 5.30 pm	Roundtable Discussion: Promises and Pitfalls of Historical Institutionalism Concepts for Studying Institutional Change
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Thomas Rixen</i>
Participants	Michael Zürn Tim Büthe Lora Viola Orfeo Fioretos Philipp Genschel
5.30 to 6 pm	Where we go from here
All Participants	Discussion of how to continue with the project (further meetings, publication, etc.)