Symposium on Globalization, Regionalism, and Political Stability

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Session 1 – Room 2P, Wesley W. Posvar Hall

9:00 - 9:20: Welcome and Introduction

Welcome - Dennis Looney, CWES/EUC Acting Director; and Associate Professor and Chair, Department of French and Italian, University of Pittsburgh

Introduction – Daniel Berkowitz, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh

9:20-10:30: Keynote Address – The Breakup and Integration of Nations

Gérard Roland, Professor, Department of Economics, University of California, Berkeley; C.E.P.R. Programme Director of “Transition Economics;” and Programme Coordinator at ECARES on Eastern Europe

10:30-11:00: Discussion: Moderator – Daniel Berkowitz

11:00-11:15: Break

11:15-12:30: Panel - Global Trends in the Instability of Nations

Moderator - Vivian Curran, Professor, School of Law, University of Pittsburgh
Speakers:
Simon Reich, Professor, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, University of Pittsburgh
William Keller, holder of the Wesley W. Posvar Chair and Director, Matthew B. Ridgway Center for International Security Studies, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, University of Pittsburgh
Thomas Rawski, Professor, Department of Economics, University of Pittsburgh

12:30-1:00: Discussion: Moderator – Vivian Curran

1:00-2:15: Lunch in Room 2M, Wesley W. Posvar Hall

Session 2 – Room 2P, Wesley W. Posvar Hall

2:15-3:30: Panel - A European Perspective on National Unions & National Instability

Moderator - Steven Husted, Professor, Department of Economics; and Associate Dean, Graduate Studies and Research, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, University of Pittsburgh

Speakers:
Alberta Sbragia, Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh
Ilya Prizel, Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Pittsburgh
Daniel Berkowitz

3:30-4:30: Discussion: Moderator – Steven Husted

4:30-7:00: Break

7:00-9:00: Dinner and Address, Café Allegro, 51 S. 12th St., Pittsburgh

Introduction – Thomas Rawski

Dinner Address – An Asian Perspective on Reform and Globalization - Joydeep Mukherji, Director, Sovereign Ratings, Standard and Poor’s Corporation, New York