Alumni at the APSA Annual Meeting
in San Francisco, CA – August 30-September 3, 2017

This year, 30 Africa Workshop alumni (including fellows and co-leaders) have been selected to present their research and serve as a discussant at APSA’s Annual Meeting in San Francisco. Congratulations to:

**Wednesday**
Wednesday, August 30; 9:00am – 5:00pm
SHORT COURSE 17: Research Development Group: Emerging Research from African Scholars
- Author: Naima Benlarabi (2010)
- Author: George M. Bob-Milliar (2012)
- Author: Tarila Marclint E biede (2015)
- Discussant: Kathleen Klaus (2015)
- Author: Aikande Kwayu (2013)
- Discussant: Carl LeVan (2011 co-leader)
- Discussant: Jeffrey Paller (2012)

**Thursday**
Thursday, August 31; 8:00am – 9:30am
MIGRATION AND CITIZENSHIP 10.57: Conferring and Challenging State Legitimacy through Citizenship
- Discussant: Anne Christine Fruge' (2015)

Thursday, August 31; 8:00am – 9:30am
ELECTIONS, PUBLIC OPINION, AND VOTING BEHAVIOR 10.44: Advances in the Study of Ideology
- The Erosion of Liberal Democracy: Dissensus and Ideology in America; Daniel A. Smith (2009 co-leader)

Thursday, August 31; 8:00am – 9:30am
11.3 COMPARATIVE URBAN POLITICS: The Politics of Urbanization in the Global South
- Towards Inclusive Cities: Community Organizations in Latin America and Africa; Jeffrey W. Paller (2012)
- Distributive Politics under Authoritarian Conditions: Evidence from Urban Angola; Anne Pitcher (2014 co-leader)

Thursday, August 31; 10:00am – 11:30am
COMPARATIVE POLITICS 16.16: Investigations in the Development of Inclusionary Attitudes
- Determinants of refugee exclusion and its attenuation; Melina Raquel Platas Izama (2013)

Thursday, August 31; 12:00pm – 1:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 24.18: Subnational Politics and Public Goods Provision in Developing Countries
- The Precolonial Origins of Local Distributional Politics in Rural Africa; Martha Wilfahrt (2012)
Thursday, August 31; 1:30pm – 2:00pm
STATE POLITICS AND POLICY 30.2 Poster Session: State Politics
   • Discussant; V. Adememi Isumonah (2009)

Thursday, August 31; 2:00pm – 3:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 33.21: Building State Legitimacy
   • Discussant: Ruth Carlitz (2014)

Thursday, August 31; 2:00pm – 3:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 33.22: Explaining the Mixed Record of Efforts to Diminish Anti-Extractive Conflicts
   • Does Prior Consultation Diminish Extractive Conflict or Merely Re-channel It?; Todd A. Eisenstadt (2011 co-leader)

Thursday, August 31, 2:00pm – 3:30pm
WOMEN & POLITICS RESEARCH 33.46: Gendered Political Career Trajectories
   • Supply Shortages or Gendered Pipelines? Women’s Representation on High Courts; Alice Kang (2010)

Thursday, August 31, 4:00pm – 5:30pm
40.1: Information and Legitimacy: Results from the First EGAP METAKETA
   • Participant: Melina Raquel Platas Izama (2013)

Friday
Friday, September 1; 8:00am – 9:30am
COMPARATIVE POLITICS 56.14: Methodology and Responsibility in the Study of Authoritarianism
   • Knowledge Production in Authoritarian Contexts; Aili Mari Tripp (2010)

Friday, September 1; 8:00am – 9:30am
INTERNATIONAL SECURITY 56.24: Territorial Control, Rebel Governance, and Civil War Outcomes
   • Foreign Military Involvement in Religious Civil Wars; Jason A. Kloc (2013)

Friday, September 1; 8:00am – 9:30am
STATE POLITICS AND POLICY 56.37: Voting and Turnout in the 50 States
   • Early Voting Availability and Turnout in Florida and North Carolina; Daniel A. Smith (2009 co-leader)

Friday, September 1; 8:00am – 9:30am
AFRICAN POLITICS 56.59: Non-State vs. State Actors: Impacts on African State Legitimacy and Authority
   • Discussant: Ruth Carlitz (2014)

Friday, September 1; 10:00am – 11:30am
CONFLICT PROCESSES 65.29: The Determinants of Violent and Nonviolent Conflict
   • The Spread of Non-Violent Tactics; Anne Christine Fruge’ (2015)
Friday, September 1; 12:00pm – 1:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 74.14: The Politics of Public Service Provision in South Asia and Sub-Saharan Africa
- *Discussant: Robin Harding* (2008)

Friday, September 1; 2:00pm – 3:30pm
WOMEN & POLITICS RESEARCH 82.39: Women’s Representation in Dictatorship and Democracy
- *Discussant; Alice Kang* (2010)

Friday, September 1; 2:00pm – 3:30pm
AFRICAN POLITICS 82.45: African States’ Spending and Revenue Generation: Between Innovation & Challenges
- *Discussant: Ruth Carlitz* (2014)
- *Efficiency and Productivity in Government Programs; Rachel Sigman* (2014)

Friday, September 1; 4:00pm – 5:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS 90.16: Experiments and Political Behavior in Comparative Context
- *Meet the Candidates: A Field Experiment on Information and Accountability; Melina Raquel Platas Izama* (2013)

Friday, September 1; 4:00pm – 5:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 90.19: Governance Beyond the State: Social Institutions and Service Delivery
- *Discussant: Rachel Sigman* (2014)
- *Exploring Subnational and Cross-Sectoral Variation in the Quality of Governance; Ruth Carlitz* (2014)

Friday, September 1; 4:00pm – 5:30pm
AFRICAN POLITICS 90.53: Women’s Voices in African Politics
- *Excluding Women from Substantive Power through Numerical Inclusion; Chiedo Nwankwor* (2014) and *Joseph Olayinka Fashagba* (2011)

**Saturday**

Saturday, September 2; 8:00am – 9:30am
AFRICAN POLITICS 107.61: Democracy in Africa: New Opportunities, New Challenges
- *Discussant: Itumeleng Makgetla* (2014)

Saturday, September 2; 10:00am – 11:30am
COMPARATIVE POLITICS 116.12: Gender Equality Policies in the Post millennium: Achievements and Setbacks

Saturday, September 2; 10:00am – 11:30am
ELECTIONS, PUBLIC OPINION, AND VOTING BEHAVIOR 116.46: Election Law and Voter Participation
- *Determinants of County Level Voter Turnout, 1970-2016; Daniel A. Smith* (2009 co-leader)
Saturday, September 2; 10:00am – 11:30am
POLITICAL NETWORKS 116.57: Social Networks and Political Behavior in Developing Countries
  - *The role of networks in explaining uptake of ICT for political communication*; **Melina Raquel Platas Izama** (2013)

Saturday, September 2; 10:30am – 11:00am
POLITICAL COMMUNICATION 119.1: Poster Session: Political Communication

Saturday, September 2; 12:00pm – 1:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS 123.11: Historical Legacies of Land Tenure, Property Rights, and Conflict
  - *Discussant: Catherine Boone* (2008)

Saturday, September 2; 4:00pm – 5:30pm
COMPARATIVE POLITICS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES 137.18: New Insights into Party Institutionalization in Developing Countries
  - *Discussant: Keith R. Weghorst* (2009)

Saturday, September 2; 4:00pm – 5:30pm
AFRICAN POLITICS 137.62: Conflicts and their Resolution: New Perspectives from Africa
  - *Political Parties and Violence Framing in Sokoto State, Nigeria*; **Yahaya Tanko Baba** (2011)

**Sunday**

Sunday, September 3; 8:00am – 9:30am
AFRICAN POLITICS 145.43: New Explorations of Violence in Africa

Sunday, September 3; 10:00am – 11:30am
INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY 147.18: The Politics of Foreign Aid
  - *Why Does Foreign Aid Not Target the Poorest?*; **Ryan C. Briggs** (2011)

Sunday, September 3; 10:00am – 11:30am
AFRICAN POLITICS 147.39: The Politicization of International Influence in Africa
  - *Discussant: Carl LeVan* (2011 co-leader)