

INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH SEMINAR

2-3 April, 2019
 Institut d'Estudis Catalans
 Carrer del Carme, 47. Barcelona

PROGRAM

Tuesday, 2 April, 2019

8:30 – 9:00 Registration

9:00 – 9:30 Welcome remarks

Joandomènec Ros, President, Institut d'Estudis Catalans, IEC

Josep Ferré, Acting Director General, European Institute of the Mediterranean, IEMed

Mireia Borrell, Director General for Foreign Relations, Generalitat de Catalunya

Room: Prat de la Riba

9:30 – 11:15 Parallel sessions	
Session 1: <i>From exceptionalism to normalization: the radical transformation of the Republic of Turkey</i> <i>Language: English</i> <i>Room: Prat de la Riba</i>	Session 2: <i>Mediterranean migration within the Global Agenda: perspectives, dynamics and policies</i> <i>Language: English and French</i> <i>Room: Nicolau d'Oliver</i>
Master's in International Relations, Security and Development, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, UAB	Master's in Migration Studies, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, UPF
Chair: Olivia Glombitza , Phd Candidate, Faculty of Political Sciences and Sociology, UAB <i>Spatial and Visual Activism in Post-Occupation Gezi Park: Shifting Geographies of Online/Offline Political Expression in Authoritarian Turkey</i>	Chair: Zouhair El Hairan , Phd Candidate, Interdisciplinary Research Group on Migration, GRITIM-UPF <i>Controversial impacts of EU's externalisation of migration policy towards Turkey: the case of "EU-Turkey Statement"</i>

<p>Özge Özdüzen, Postdoctoral Fellow, Institute for Diplomacy and International Governance, Loughborough University London</p> <p><i>Desecularization and State Transformation in Turkey: Diyanet, Familialism and the Expansion of the Religious Sphere</i></p> <p>Sevgi Adak, Assistant Professor, Institute for the Study of Muslim Civilisation, The Aga Khan University, London</p> <p><i>Turkish Foreign Policy in the Middle East: Radical Transformation or Fine-Tuning?</i></p> <p>Eduard Soler, Senior Research Fellow, CIDOB, Barcelona</p>	<p>Ayselin Yildiz, Associate Professor, Department of International Relations, Yasar University</p> <p><i>The impacts of EU external migration policies on the democratization of the Southern Mediterranean Neighbourhood: A case of challenge or opportunity?</i></p> <p>Luisa Faustini, PhD Candidate, Interdisciplinary Research Group on Migration, GRITIM-UPF</p> <p><i>Training as an operational tool to support public officials in the fight against xenophobia towards migrants in Morocco</i></p> <p>Abdellatif Bensfia, Professor and Deputy Director, Institut Supérieur de l'Information et de la Communication, ISIC, Rabat</p>
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11:15 – 11:45 Coffee Break

11:45 – 13:30 Parallel sessions	
<p>Session 3:</p> <p><i>Yallah nataallam al-arabiya! The teaching of Arabic as a foreign language (TAFL) in the 21st century: new paradigms and teaching methodologies</i></p> <p><i>Language: Spanish</i> <i>Room: Pi i Sunyer</i></p> <p>Master's in Contemporary Arabic Studies, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, UAB</p> <p>Chair: Anna Gil-Bardají, Professor of Translation and Interpreting and Director of the Master, UAB</p> <p><i>Read Arabic at lightning speed: curricular design and lexical frequency</i></p> <p>Laila Familiar, Lecturer of Arabic Language, New York University, Abu Dhabi</p>	<p>Session 4:</p> <p><i>The multiple faces and challenges for the education of children in post conflict in the MENA region</i></p> <p><i>Language: English</i> <i>Room: Nicolau d'Oliver</i></p> <p>Inter-University Master's in Contemporary Migrations, Rights and Social Cohesion, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, UAB, and Universitat de Barcelona, UB</p> <p>Chair: Silvia Carrasco, Associate Professor of Social Anthropology, Center for Migration Research Studies, CER-Migracions, UB-UAB</p> <p><i>Crisis factors in the 21st century Middle East</i></p> <p>Massoud Sharifi, Professor of Sociology, Center for Migration Research Studies CER-Migracions, UB-UAB</p>

<p><i>From A to Z in TAFL: what, how and when</i> Victoria Aguilar, Associate Professor of Arabic Language, Universidad de Murcia</p> <p><i>Arabic beyond books: opening the class to the Arab World</i> Tànit Assaf, Director, Department of Arabic Language, Escola Oficial d'Idiomes Drassanes, Barcelona</p>	<p><i>Instilling hope</i> Lina Farouqi, Regional Director for Jordan, The Middle East Children's Institute, Amman</p> <p><i>Schooltext books: a contested arena in times of conflict</i> Viola Raheb, Senior Researcher, Department of Religious Studies, Universität Wien</p>
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13:30 – 14:30 Lunch Break

14:30 – 16:15 Parallel sessions	
<p>Session 5:</p> <p><i>Access to water: from conflict to cooperation in the Mediterranean?</i></p> <p><i>Language: English and Spanish</i> <i>Room: Pi i Sunyer</i></p> <p>Master's in International Studies, Universitat de Barcelona, UB</p> <p>Chair: Anna Badia, Full Professor of Public International Law and Director of the Master, UB</p> <p><i>The international legal framework for transboundary waters: case studies from the Mediterranean region</i> Raya Marina Stephan, International Expert on Water Law and Deputy Editor-in-Chief of <i>Water International</i></p> <p><i>The UfM's contribution to water management</i> Miguel García-Herraiz, Deputy Secretary General, Water&Environment, Union for the Mediterranean, UfM</p>	<p>Session 6:</p> <p><i>Religion and Violent Radicalisation: Challenges and Limits</i></p> <p><i>Language: English</i> <i>Room: Nicolau d'Olwer</i></p> <p>Master's in International Relations and Master's in Journalism and International Relations, Blanquerna – Universitat Ramon Llull, URL</p> <p>Chair: Sonia Andolz, Professor of International Politics, Security, Defence and Conflicts, Blanquerna-URL</p> <p><i>NYPD's geography of radicalization: between surveillance, PVE and CVE</i> Ibrahim Bechrouri, PhD Candidate, Institut Français de Géopolitique, and Lecturer, Paris 8 University and Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines University</p> <p><i>Morocco's Religious Approach in Preventing Violent Extremism</i> Sawsene Nejjar, PhD Candidate, Faculty of Oriental Studies, University of Oxford</p> <p><i>Religion in Western Europe's PVE Programmes</i> Moussa Bourekba, Researcher, CIDOB, and Professor of the Master</p>

16:15 – 18:00 Parallel sessions	
<p>Session 7:</p> <p><i>Securitization of identities and regional conflicts in the Middle East</i></p> <p>Language: English Room: Nicolau d'Olwer</p>	<p>Session 8:</p> <p><i>The Mediterranean in the modern era: space of nexus and conflict</i></p> <p>Language: Spanish, Catalan and Italian Room: Pi i Sunyer</p>
<p>Master's in International Relations, Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals, IBEI</p>	<p>Master's in History and Identities in the Western Mediterranean (15th-19th centuries) – Universitat de Barcelona, UB, University of Alicante, UA, Universitat de València, UV, Universitat Jaume I, UJI</p>
<p>Chair: Ana Ballesteros, Professor of the Master and Senior Associate Researcher, CIDOB</p> <p><i>Identity and war in Syria</i> Lurdes Vidal, Director of the Arab and Mediterranean World Department, IEMed, and Professor of the Master</p> <p><i>Sectarian militias? The cases of Iraq and Yemen</i> Ranj Alaaldin, Visiting Fellow, Brookings Institution, Doha</p> <p><i>Islam, Nationalism and Identity politics: The Case of Turkey</i> Umut Ozkirimli, Visiting Researcher, CIDOB, and Professor of Political Science, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Lund University</p>	<p>Chair: M. Ángeles Pérez Samper, Full Professor of Modern History, UB, and Coordinator of the Master</p> <p><i>Two capitals for one kingdom: the conflict between Palermo and Messina in the six hundreds</i> Rossella Cancila, Associate Professor of Modern History, Università degli Studi di Palermo</p> <p><i>The fall of the Doria family: causes and consequences of their progressive desvinculation from serving the Spanish Monarchy (1598-1628)</i> Manuel Lomas, Assistant Professor of Modern History, Universitat de València</p> <p><i>Majorca's foreign trade in times of change (1650-1720): between war and peace</i> Andreu Bibiloni, Associate Professor, Economy and Economic History Department, Universidad de Sevilla</p>

Wednesday, 3 April, 2019

9:00 – 10:45 Parallel sessions	
<p>Session 9:</p> <p><i>The origin of protests in the Rif (2016 – 2018)</i></p> <p>Language: French Room: Pi i Sunyer</p>	<p>Session 10:</p> <p><i>The EU's asylum policy dilemma when facing the "mare mortum": practical and legal perspectives</i></p> <p>Language: Spanish Room: Nicolau d'Olwer</p>
Master's in Arab and Islamic World, Universitat de Barcelona, UB	Master's in Diplomacy and International Public Service, Centre of International Studies, CEI, UB, UAB
<p>Chair: Carles Múrcia, Professor, Department of Latin Philology, UB</p> <p><i>The Popular Movement in the Rif: Report of the events from October 2016 until today</i> Asmaa Aouattah, Professor of the Master, UB</p> <p><i>The Hirak du Rif: trajectory of a constructed marginality and a "dissident" national belonging</i> Badiha Nahhass, Professor, School of Governance and Economy, Mohammed VI Polytechnic University, Rabat</p> <p><i>The link between the Rif war in 1910 and the development of Catalanism</i> Mustapha Qadery, Professor of Contemporary History, University Mohammed V, Rabat</p>	<p>Chair: Helena Torroja, Professor of Public International Law, UB, and Co-Director of the Master</p> <p><i>Changing the History</i> Ousman Umar, Founder of NASCO Feeding Minds, Barcelona</p> <p><i>The future of Dublin III</i> Joana Abrisketa, Associate Professor of International Law and of European Union Law, University of Deusto</p>

10:45 – 11:15 Coffee Break

11:15 – 13:30 Parallel sessions	
<p>Session 11:</p> <p><i>Open Mic: Researching the Mediterranean</i></p> <p><i>Room: Nicolau d'Olwer</i></p>	<p>Session 12:</p> <p><i>The Mediterranean and its communicative, cultural and symbolic intersections</i></p> <p><i>Language: Spanish</i> <i>Room: Pi i Sunyer</i></p>
<p>Master students from <i>Aula Mediterranea</i> interuniversity program</p>	<p>Master's Erasmus Mundus in Intermediterranean Mediation: towards Investment and Integration, MIM, UAB, Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia, Université Paul-Valéry Montpellier III</p>
	<p>Chair: Ricardo Carniel, Lecturer, Journalism and Communication Sciences Department, UAB, and Professor of the Master</p> <p><i>The debates of Islam in Europe: interculturality, citizenship and public policies</i> Ana Planet, Associate Professor, Arabic and Islamic Department, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid</p> <p><i>Invisibilities in Mediterranean media discourses: an embargoed agenda</i> Lola Bañón, Journalist, Professor of Journalism, Universitat de València</p> <p><i>Television fiction, encounters and intercultural influences</i> Lucía Molina, Professor of Arabic Language, Translation and Interpreting department, UAB</p>