

Monday, 20 August, 2018

8.45	Registration		
9.15	Welcome and Introductions		
9.30	Session 1		
	Extreme Right Dualities		Online Radicalisation
	<p><i>Boots on the ground? Online and Offline Identities of the Extreme Right</i> Bradley Galloway: University of the Fraser Valley & AVE Network; Ryan Scrivens: Concordia University and VOX-Pol; Barbara Perry: University of Ontario Institute of Technology, Garth Davies, Simon Fraser University, Richard Frank, Simon Fraser University</p> <p><i>From Online to Off: How 'UK' Extremists See Social Media</i> Elizabeth Pearson: King's College London</p> <p><i>Weaponizing White Thymos: The Digital Resonance of Extreme Right-wing Rage and Indignation</i> Bharath Ganesh: University of Oxford and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>Homogeneity or Opposition? Patterns of Source Exposure Inside a Radical Right Echo Chamber</i> Jonathan Bright, Bharath Ganesh: University of Oxford and VOX-Pol; Stevan Rudinac, Iva Gornishka: University of Amsterdam and VOX-Pol</p>		<p><i>The Role of Agency and Self-Efficacy in Processes of Violent Radicalisation</i> Linda Schlegel: Konrad Adenauer Foundation; Till Baaken: Violence Prevention Network</p> <p><i>Violent Extremism in Bangladesh: Analyzing the Interplay Between Online and Offline Worlds</i> Md Saimum Parvez: University of Sydney</p> <p><i>Online Radicalisation: Towards the Generation of Gold Standard Datasets</i> Miriam Fernandez: Knowledge Media Institute; Harith Alani: The Open University</p> <p><i>Understanding the Radical Mind Using Linguistic and Psychological properties</i> Mariam Nouh, Jason R. C. Nurse and Michael Goldsmith: University of Oxford</p>
11.00	Tea/Coffee Break		
11.30	Session 2		
	Geographical Contexts of the Online Extreme Right	'Real World' Events	Old Wine, New Bottles?
	<p><i>The New-Right Movement in Australia</i> Jade Hutchinson: Macquarie University</p> <p><i>Extreme Right Groups and (Platform) Migration: A Descriptive, Cross-platform Analysis of Britain First's Response to Leadership Account Suspensions</i> Lorand Bodo: Ridgeway Information</p> <p><i>The New, the Old, and the Grey: Ascertaining the Discursive and Social Overlaps in the (Extreme) Right-Wing Scene Online</i> Reem Ahmed: University of Hamburg and VOX-Pol; Daniela PISOIU: University of Hamburg/Austrian Institute for International Affairs and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>The blurred lines of Hate Speech Online: Examining the Complexity of Identifying Hate Speech by Relying on the Right-wing Populist Alternative for Germany's (AfD) Social Media Presence</i> Inga Kristina Trauthig: King's College London</p>	<p><i>Romanian Hate Speech Against Muslim Migrants After the 2016 Terrorist Attacks</i> Antonio Momoc: University of Bucharest</p> <p><i>A Nice Attack? The Construction of Articles About Terrorist Attacks on Wikipedia</i> Oscar Ricci: University of Milano-Bicocca; Francisco Ardini: University of Genoa</p> <p><i>Decoding the Alt Right: Using Natural Language Processing to Identify Alt Right Commentary on Social Media</i> Simon Roth and Fabio Votto: University of Stuttgart</p> <p><i>Negotiating Emotions on Social Media in the Wake of Violent Terrorism: Testing for Interpassive Behaviour</i> Rahel Podobsky-Stucki: Royal Holloway, University of London</p>	<p><i>The Roles of 'Old' and 'New' Media Tools and Technologies in the Facilitation of Violent Extremism and Terrorism</i> Ryan Scrivens: Concordia University and VOX-Pol; Maura Conway: Dublin City University and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>Un'like'ly Alliances of Keyboard Warriors? Ulster Loyalists and the British Extreme-Right</i> Shahed Warreth, Stephen Herron, and Lisa McInerney: Dublin City University and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>Ansar al-Sharia in Tunisia's Facebook Mobilization</i> Aaron Zelin: King's College London</p> <p><i>"#Hamas: An Exploration of Hamas's English Language Twitter Narrative"</i> Devorah Margolin: King's College London</p>

13.00	Lunch	
14.00	Keynote Address: Mina al-Lami (BBC Monitoring)	
15.00	Session 3	
	<i>Online Hate and Conspiracy on 4Chan, Facebook, and Reddit</i>	<i>Jihadism on Telegram</i>
	<p><i>Upvoting extremism: An Assessment of Extreme Right Discourse on Reddit</i> Tiana Gaudette, Garth Davies: Simon Fraser University; Ryan Scrivens Concordia University and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>The Transgressive Versatility of Online Hate: Tracing 4chan/pol/s Vernacular Innovations</i> Marc Tuters and Sal Hagen: University of Amsterdam</p> <p><i>"Money Rules the World, But Who Rules the Money?" Antisemitism in Post-Holocaust Conspiracy Ideologies</i> Jan Rathje: Amadeu Antonio Foundation</p> <p><i>We Have the Best Bots, Don't We Folks? Initiation, Ritual and Community on Reddit's The_Donald</i> Sam Bernard: University of Sussex</p>	<p><i>Jihadism on Telegram: A Large-Scale Study of Recent Trends and Group Dynamics</i> Amarnath Amarasingam: Institute for Strategic Dialogue and University of Waterloo</p> <p><i>The Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures of Islamic State Propaganda Dissemination on Telegram</i> Jade Parker: Babel Street</p> <p><i>Trucks, Knives, Bombs, Whatever: Exploring English-Language, Pro-Islamic State Instructional Material on Telegram</i> Bennett Clifford: George Washington University</p>
16.30	Short Break	
16.45	Session 4	
	<i>Gendered and Other Identities and Roles in Jihadist and Far-right Online Content/Contexts 1</i>	<i>IS Online: Identities and Motives</i>
	<p><i>Rape is a Liberal Disease: An Analysis of Alternative Rape Culture Perpetuated by Far-right Extremists Online</i> Kate Barber: Cardiff University</p> <p><i>From ISIS to Elliot Rogers and "White Sharia": Online Radicalization and the Emotional Lives of Young Men</i> Brian Hughes: American University</p> <p><i>Gender construction in Islamic State Propaganda</i> Kiriloi Ingram: University of Queensland</p> <p><i>Utility of Disabled Fighters in the Islamic State</i> Chelsea Daymon: American University</p>	<p><i>Building Identities Within Extremist Organisations: The Case of ISIS</i> Akil Awan: Royal Holloway, University of London</p> <p><i>Measuring the Implicit Motives in Jihadist Propaganda</i> Rebecca Wilson: Georgia State University</p> <p><i>"My Journey to Jihad": Featured Stories in Jihadist Propaganda</i> Weeda Mehran, Anthony Lemieux, and Rebecca Wilson: Georgia State University; Akil Awan: Royal Holloway, University of London</p>
18.15	Close	
18.30	Evening Book Launch and Reception: J.M. Berger's <i>Extremism</i> (MIT Press)	

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9.00	Session 5 <i>Online Radicalisation 2</i>	
	Image Propaganda	
10.30	Tea/Coffee Break	
11.00	Session 6 <i>Disrupting Daesh</i>	
	Gendered and Other Identities and Roles in Jihadist and Far-right Online Content and Contexts 2	
12.30	Lunch	

13.30	Session 7	
	<p>Countering Online Extremism 1</p> <p><i>Counter-narratives: When they Work and When they Don't</i> Sarah Carthy and Kiran Sarma: National University of Ireland Galway</p> <p><i>Countering Online Extremism as Soft Power and Crime Prevention</i> Kieran Hardy: Griffith Criminology Institute</p> <p><i>The Efficacy of Online Communicative Inoculation as Counter-Radicalization: Experimental Evidence</i> Kurt Braddock: Pennsylvania State University</p>	<p>Video Propaganda</p> <p><i>Radicalization Narratives in Online-Videos: Analysing the Potential for De-Radicalization</i> Alina Arnhold and Sybille Reinke de Buitrago: Polizeiakademie Niedersachsen</p> <p><i>Online Extremist Morality: Psychological Analysis of Video Propaganda</i> Zoey Reeve: University College London and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>Propaganda and Para-sociality: A Relationship-oriented Analysis of the Islamic State's John-Cantlie-Videos.</i> Sophia Klewer: Universität Siegen</p> <p><i>The Radicalized Aesthetic: How Islamic State's Visual Sensibility Came to Dominate Jihadist Propaganda Design</i> Cori Dauber and Mark Robinson: University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</p>
15.00	Tea/Coffee Break	
15.30	Session 8	
	<p>Countering Online Extremism 2</p> <p><i>Breaking the Vicious Circle in the 5th Wave of Terrorism: The Words Heal the World Project</i> Beatriz Buarque: University of Westminster</p> <p><i>Countering (Violent) Political Extremism Online: A Holistic Perspective</i> Sally Hohnstein and Michaela Glaser: Deutsches Jugendinstitut</p> <p><i>Struggle Over Scripture: Charting the Rift Between Islamist Extremism and Mainstream Islam</i> Milo Comerford and Rachel Bryson: Tony Blair Institute for Global Change</p> <p><i>Censorship and Take-downs: How Legislation Intended to Disrupt Online Extremism Could Potentially Contribute to Radicalization</i> Pina Marisa Witt: European Inter-University Centre</p>	<p>Banning, Censoring, Moderating and Their Impacts</p> <p><i>Algorithmic Mediations of a Media in Crisis</i> Matti Pohjonen: SOAS and VOX-Pol</p> <p><i>The Double-Edged Sword of Banning Extremists from Social Media</i> Sam Jackson: University of Albany</p> <p><i>Fighting Terrorism or Curtailing Freedom of Speech? Russia's Case Against Messaging App Telegram</i> Mariëlle Wijermars: University of Helsinki</p> <p><i>Improving Transparency of Automated Content Moderation Through Content Policy Inspired Features</i> Mark Burdick: Bremen International Graduate School of Social Science</p>
17.00	Close	