

PROGRAM

Nuclear Diplomacies:

Their Past, Present, and Future

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Thursday, 9 May 2019

9:30

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CHAIR: AMY SLATON

- 10:00-10:30 **Gisela Mateos, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México**
Edna Suárez-Díaz, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México
- 'Atomic Ambassadors: the IAEA's First Preliminary Assistance Mission (1958)*
- 10:30-11:00 **Anna Åberg, Chalmers University of Technology**
- Saving the World Through International Nuclear Collaboration: ITER and the History of Nuclear Fusion Diplomacy*
- 11:00-11:30 **Alexandros-Andreas Kyrtsis, National Kapodistrian University of Athens**
Maria Rentetzi, National Technical University of Athens
- From Lobbyists to Backstage Diplomats: How Insurers in the Field of Third Party Nuclear Liability Shaped Science Diplomacy*

11:30-12:00

BREAK

CHAIR: MIRTO DIMITROKALI

- 12:00-12:30 **Kenji Ito, SOKENDAI**
- Three Tons of Uranium from the IAEA: Diplomacy, Safeguards, and the Japan Research Reactor-3 in the late 1950s*
- 12:30-13:00 **Fintan Hoey, Franklin University**
- Energy Security, Great Power Status, and Non-Proliferation: Japan's Plutonium Reprocessing Ambitions and U.S. Proliferation Fears, 1974-1987*

13:00-15:00

LUNCH BREAK

ROUND TABLE WITH HANDT AUTHORS

CHAIRS: KENJI ITO, MARIA RENTETZI, AMY SLATON

- 15:30-18:00 *Nuclear Diplomacies: Our Major Contributions to H and T*

19:30

CONFERENCE DINNER

Friday, 10 May 2019

CHAIR: GISELA MATEOS

10:00-10:30 **Clara Florensa, Autonomous University of Barcelona**

*"Basic Guidance: Minimize Visibility"
Radioactive Materials, Nuclear Diplomacy and Construction of
Invisibility of Nuclear Risk in the Palomares Accident (Spain
1966)*

10:30-11:00 **Loukas Freris, National Technical University of Athens**
Maria Rentetzi, National Technical University of Athens

*Science Diplomacy on the Road: The IAEA's Mobile Laboratory
Travels to Greece*

11:00-11:30

COFFEE BREAK

CHAIR: ANNA ABERG

11:30-12:00 **Jacques Hymans, University of Southern California**
Toshihiro Higuchi, Georgetown University

*"Placing the resources of all nations behind an effort to prevent
harm to man": How the
International Atomic Energy Agency assembled the 1960 Vinča
Dosimetry*

12:00-12:30 **Kenji Ito, SOKENDAI**

*A Two-Sided Study of Diplomacy over Nuclear Material: The
Shipment of Radioisotopes from the United States to Japan in
1950*

12:30-13:00 **Lif Jacobsen Danish National Archives**
**Julia Lajus, National Research University Higher School of
Economics**

*The exchange of seismic technology and knowlhow between
USA and the Soviet Union, 1961-1965*

13:00-15:00

LUNCH BREAK

CHAIR: KENJI ITO

15:00-15:30 **Maria Rentetzi**

*Godofredo and Francoise Travel Together: Science Diplomacy
and the Material Culture of the IAEA*

15:30-16:00
COFFEE BREAK

ROUND TABLE WITH CENTAURUS AUTHORS

CHAIRS: KENJI ITO, MARIA RENTETZI

16:00-18:00 *The Material Culture and Politics of Artifacts in Nuclear
Diplomacy: Our Major Contributions to Centaurus*

19:30
DINNER