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				Day 1: Thursday, Ju	ine 6, 2024	Venue	e: Almaty Management University, 227 Rozybakiyev s	tr, room 600	
9:00-10:00	Regstration	n							
0:00-10:20	Opening a	nd introduction	Alexis Belia	nin, Dinara Pisareva,	Gerald Pech				
ïme	Session #	First name	Last name	Country	University	Position	Title	Discussant	Session Tite
								Andrei Semenov,	
0:20-11:30	1	Kyle	Marquardt	Norway	Bergen	Assc Prof	Explaining variation in post-Soviet linguistic trajectories	Julia Schwab	Networks
							Nexus of power: Investigating informal networks in		
		Piotr	Majda	Poland	UCL	PhD	Russia (online)		Chair: Alberto Frigerio (AlmaU)
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		Kamila	Kovyazina	Kazakhstan	NU	PhD	Are Muslims really more prone to protest?		
							State Capacity, Natural Resources and Violence: Case of		
		Georgy	Tarasenko	USA	Cornell	PhD	Wagner Group Mercenary Activities in Africa		
1:30-12:00	break Keynote 1								
2:00-13:00	(online)	Jennifer	Pan	USA	Stanford	Professor	China in the Global Information Ecosystem (online		Chair: Sholpan Tazabek (Almal
3:00-14:00	Lunch								
4:00-15:30	2	Andrey	Semenov	Kazakhstan	NU	Ass Professor	Types of Repression and Organization of Opposition Campaigns in Electoral Autocracies	Daniil Romanov, Nikita Khokhlov	Elections in Autorcacies
							Tectonic shifts under a stable surface: The transformation		
		Jan	Dollbaum	Germany	LMU	Researcher	of the CPRF's voter base		Chair: Michael Rochlitz (Oxford)
		Masatomo	Torikai	Japan	Osaka	Assc Prof	Authoritarian strategies and elections in Russia		
					European University, St		Estimating the Magnitude of Spillover Effects in Mixed Electoral Systems: Evidence from the Opposition		
		Vladimir	Kostromin	Russia	Petersburg	Researcher	Campaign in Russia's Regional Elections		
5:30-16:00	break								
							A comprehensive and comparative analysis of the soft		
6:00-17:30	3	John	Irgongioro	Palaium	Ghent	PhD	power of Russia amongst students of leading universities in Kazakhstan in the wake of the Russo-Ukrainian War	Bermond Scoggins, Kyle Marguardt	Media and Propaganda
5:00-17:30	3	John	Irgengioro	Belgium	Glient	FIID	Before and during the war: analysis of the response		
		Marina	Vyrskaia	Finland	Helsinki	PhD	rates in phone polls in Russia		Chair: Andrei Tkachenko (NU)
		Meruyert	Tatkeyeva	Kazakhstan	NU	Researcher	Language Proficiency, Export of Propaganda and Media		
							Can Authoritarian Propaganda Compete with the		
		Michael	Rochlitz	UK	Oxford	Assc Professor	Opposition on Social Media? Experimental Evidence from Russia		
7:30-18:00	break	Wichael	KUCHIIIZ	UK	Oxioiu	ASSC FIDICSSUI	Russia		
	JICUN							Andrey Tkachenko,	
							Subjective Well-being and Social Assistance: Lessons from	Denis De	
18:00-19:10	4	Alma	Kudebayeva	Kazakhstan	KIMEP	Assc Professor	Kazakhstan	Crombrughhe	Political economy of Kazakhstan
		David	Karpa	Germany	Bremen	PhD	State Surveillance and Self-Censorship in Kazakhstan		Chair: Dinara Pisareva (NU)
		Julia	Schwab	Scotland	Glasgow	Lecturer	Kazakhstan regime framing strategies and Kashagan		

		Alexander	Libman	Germany	Day 2: Friday, June 7, 2024		Venue: KIMEP, 2 Abai Ave, New Academic Building, Hall 3		
10:00-11:00	Keynote 2				Freie Universi	Professor	Russia after February 2022: Towards a New Regime Type?		Chair: Vladimir Ryzhkov (KIMEP)
11:00-11:30	break						Political Economy of Industrial Policy in Central Asia:	Jessica Neafie,	
11:30-13:00	5	Alexander	Filatov	Russia	MSU	Lecturer	Thirty Years of Trial and Error	Jan Dollbaum	Politics and Policies
		Dinissa	Duvanova	USA	Lehigh Uni	Prof	Explaining State Capacity Through the Analysis of Formal Regulatory Institutions in Ukraine		Chair: Alexander Libman (FUB)
		Denis	De Crombrug	<b>y</b> Kazakhstan	NU	Assc Professor	Patterns and trends in povery and inequality in Kazakhstan		
		Pierre	Landry	Hong Kong	Hong Kong	Prof	Water scarcity, administrative structures, and competition for local resources in China		
3:00-14:00	Lunch			88	8				
								Alexis Belianin, Pierre	
14:00-15:30	6	Vladimir	Zabolotskiy	Italy	Bologna	PhD	Legacies? The Effect of Economic Status on Sentence Severity in Car	Landry	Law and Development
		Mikhail	Belov	Russia	HSE	Researcher	Accidents: Quantitative Analysis of Court Decisions in Criminal Cases in Russia		Chair: Andrei Yakovlev (Harvard)
					European				
		Yegor	Albitskii	Georgia	University, St Petersburg	PhD	Land Privatization and Resistance to Dictatorship: Stolypin's Agrarian Reform and Stalin's Collectivization		
		Yulia	Khalikova	Germany	Hamburg	Postdoc	Silent Dissent: Judicial Abstention in Authoritarian Courts		
15:30-16:00	break			,					
16:00-17:30	7	Daria	Saitova	Kazakhstan	ETU	Vice-Rector	Exploring social capital and trust among skilled Russian migrants of 2022-2023	Dinara Pisareva, Anton Kazun	Migration and Politics
		Helene	Thibault	Kazakhstan	NU	Assc Professor	Women and children first! Examining Kazakhstan's foreign fighters' repatriation gendered strategies		Chair: Jessica Neafie (NU)
		Ildar	Daminov	Austria	CEU	PhD	The Art of (Not) Saying Goodbye Determinants of Business Exit from the Autocratic Political Economy in the Aftermath of Political Disruptions – Case of the Belarusian IT Sector		
		- Tutti	Duminov	- Tustini			New Russian Diasporas outside the European Union: in- migration adaptation of out-of-Russia war migrants 2022-		
		Olga	Isupova	Kazakhstan	NU	Ass Professor	2024		
17:30-18:00	break						A start offers in Description and the start of the first the	Martine 7 also data bit	
18:00-19:30	8	Aigerim	Aibassova	Kazakhstan	NU	PhD	Astroturfing in Russian media: does it affect the perceptions of war?	Vladimir Zabolotskii, Dinissa Duvanova	Media and Public Opinion
		Andrey	Tkachenko	Kazakhstan	NU	Assc Professor	Public opinion in wartime censorship: evidence from Russia		Chair: Anton Kazun (HSE)
		Daniil	Romanov	UK	Oxford	PhD	Delete this! Self-Censorship in Russian Telegram		
		Ilya	Fominyh	Netherlands	Utrecht	Master	Youth indoctrination in Russia: will it achieve loyalty or hatred?		

					Day 3: Saturda	ay, June 8, 2024	Venue: Almaty Management Univ	versity, 227 Rozybak	iyev str, room 600
10:00-11:30	9	Dmitriy	Vorobyev	Czech Republic	Prigo University	Senior Researcher	Military Background and Budget Spending of Russian Regional Governors	Andrei Yakovlev, Guzel Garifullina	Elites
		Emine	Ay	Ireland	DCU	PhD	Denunciations as Tool of State Control in Competitive Authoritarian Regimes: Evidence from Turkey		Chair: Andrey Semenov (NU)
		Koen	Schoors	Belgium	Ghent	Professor	Social Mobility in Times of Revolutions and Regime Changes: Persistence of Elites in 20th Century Russia		
		Nikita	Khokhlov	Ireland	DCU	PhD	Personalization, Autocrat's Popularity, and the Logic of Depoliticization by Elites: The Case of Russian Governors (with Alex Baturo)		
11:30-12:00	break								
12:00-13:10	10	Andrei	Yakovlev	Germany	HWK Delmenho	Fellow	Russian Business in 2022-2023: Sources of Resilience Expectations for the Future	Dmitry Vorobyev, Koen Schoors	Business and Sanctions
		Guzel	Garifullina	USA	Richmond	Ass Professor	Sanctions and their audiences: the analysis of US and Russian popular responses to anti-Russian sanctions		Chair: Alexis Belianin (AlmaU)
		Julia	Rodionova	Russia	HSE	PhD	Public Procurement Efficiency and Enforcement: Evidence from Kazakhstan and Russia		
13:10-14:00	Lunch								
14:00-15:30	11	Alexis	Belianin	Kazakhstan	AlmaU	Prof	Social norms and honest behavior across countries	Alexander Libman, Michael Rochlitz	Experiments
		Evgenia	Mitrokhina	USA	Wisconsin-Madi	9 PhD	Building Trust Across Identity Groups: A Game and Experimental Evidence from Kazakhstan		Chair: Koen Schoors (Ghent)
		Lasha	Chargaziia	Germany	LMU, IFO Center for International Institutional Comparisons and Migration Research	PhD	What drives refugees' location choices? Evidence from a conjoint experiment among Ukrainian refugees		
		Grigorii	Kiruykhov	Russia	HSE	Research asst	Telegram Data Project: platform presentation and		
		Artemi	Artivua	Russia	HSE	Research asst	outlook		
15:30-16:00	break								
16:00-17:30	12	Anton	Kazun	Russia	HSE	Assc Prof	Perceptions Matter: Probing Public Support for Artificial Intelligence Development in Russia	Vladimir Kostromin, David Karpa	Technologies
		Gulshat	Rozyyeva	Australia	ANU	PhD	The Impact of China-led e-Commerce on Central Asian Bazaars		Chair: Guzel Garifullina (Richmond
		Irina	Levina	Montenegro	n/a	n/a	Internet and the Evolution of Social Norms: Evidence from Russia-2020		
		Jessica	Neafie	Kazakhstan	NU	Ass Prof	Dynamic, disruptive change in the digital revolution of Kazakhstan: A study of the rise of Kaspi.kz		
17:30-17:45		Alexis Beli	anin, Dinara Pis	areva, Gerald Pech					Closing ceremony