Dr. Francis O'Connor Wageningen University & Research

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Employment

Wageningen University & Research, Netherlands Marie Skłodowska-Curie European Fellowship	November 2021 – February 2024
Paternal Leave	November 2020 – 2021
COSMOS, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, ItalyResearch AssociateJanuary 2020 – November 2020	
Peace Research Institute Frankfurt, Germany Senior Post-Doctoral Researcher,	June 2017- January 2020
PRIME (FP7), University of Aarhus, Aarhus, DenmarkPost-Doctoral FellowApril 2016 – May 2017	
COSMOS, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, Italy	
Research Fellow	September 2015 –March 2016
Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, European University Institute, Florence, Italy	
Research Associate	September 2014 –September 2015
Education	

September 2010 – November 2014 **European University Institute, Florence** PhD, Political and Social Sciences (supervisor Prof. Donatella della Porta) Thesis title: Armed Social Movements and Insurgency; the PKK and its Communities of Support

September 2010 – June 2011 European University Institute, Florence Master of Research

September 2008 – September 2009 School of Oriental and African Studies, London Msc. in Middle East Politics, (Honours)

September 2003 – May 2007 National University of Ireland, Galway International Bachelor of Arts Degree (Italian and Sociology/Political Science), (Honours)

Awards and Prizes

Marie Sklodowska-Curie Fellowship (2021-2023)

Francis O'Connor Funding for post-doctoral research at University Wageningen University & Research (187,572.48€).

European Commission H2020 Seal of Excellence: Marie Sklodowska-Curie action call High quality project proposal recommended for funding (2019)

Peace Research Institute Frankfurt - Förderfond Radikalisierungs-Terrorismus- und politische Gewaltforschung (2019)

Funding for research groups in project *Social and political transformation in conflict: Yezidi identity change in Kurdistan* (2000 \in).

Peace Research Institute Frankfurt Funding for field research in Colombia (2018)

PSAI Peace and Conflict Postgraduate Bursary

Annual PSAI Conference (October 2014)

Department for Political and Social Sciences/European University Institute (2010-2014).

Full Doctoral Scholarship (74,000€).

European University Institute Research funding for field research in Turkey, Germany, Denmark and England (2011, 2012 and 2013).

National University of Ireland (2010).

Travelling Studentship in the Humanities and Social Sciences (38,000 €)

Italian Cultural Institute, Dublin

Scholarship to the Università per Stranieri di Perugia (2006).

National University of Ireland, Galway

President's Award for Academic Achievement (2004 and 2005).

Books

O'Connor Francis (2021). *Understanding Insurgency: Popular Support for the PKK in Turkey,* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Della Porta, Donatella; <u>Francis O'Connor</u>; Martín Portos García and Anna Subirats Ribas (2017). *Social Movements and Referendums from Below*, Bristol: Policy Press.

Della Porta, Donatella; Massimiliano Andretta; Tiago Fernandes; <u>Francis O'Connor</u>; Eduardo Romanos, and Markos Vogiatzoglou (2016). *Late Neoliberalism and Its Discontents in the Economic Crisis Comparing Social Movements in the European Periphery*, Basingstoke; New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

Journal Articles & Book Chapters

O'Connor, Francis and Joost Jongerden (2023). "Rebel Governance without Territorial Control: The Experiences of the PKK in 1970s Turkey" *Geoforum*.

Stefan Malthaner, <u>Francis O'Connor</u> & Lasse Lindekilde (forthcoming). "Scattered Attacks: The Collective Dynamics of Lone-Actor Terrorism", *Perspectives on Politics*.

Francis O'Connor (2023). Book Review of Marlene Schäfers, "Voices That Matter: Kurdish Women at the Limits of Representation in Contemporary Turkey" in *Journal of Middle East Women's Studies*.

O'Connor, Francis (2023). 'Clandestinity and Insurgent Consolidation: The M-19's Rebel Governance in Urban Colombia'. *Political Geography*, Vol. 105.

<u>O'Connor, Francis</u>, Lasse Lindekilde & Stefan Malthaner (2023). "Radicalisation of 'Lone Actors'" in Busher, Joel, Leena Malkki & Sarah Marsden (eds.) *Routledge Handbook on Radicalisation and Countering Radicalisation*, London: Routledge.

<u>O'Connor, Francis</u> and Kamuran Akin (2023). "Analysing the PKK's Rebel Governance: Data Limitations and Some Potential Solutions", *The Commentaries*, *3*(1), *91–106*.

O'Connor Francis (2022). "Rebel Governance". In Snow, David, Donatella della Porta and Doug McAdam (eds.): *Wiley-Blackwell Encyclopedia of Social Movements* (2nd Edition), Hoboken: John Wiley & Sons.

O'Connor, Francis (2021). "Neue Akteure? Der Einzeltäter im Terrorismus". In Kärgel, Jana (ed.) *Terrorismus im 21. Jahrhundert*, Bonn: Bundeszentrale für politische Bildung.

<u>O'Connor Francis</u> and Jakob Meer (2021). "The M-19's Ideological Sancocho: The Reconciliation of Socialism and Colombian Nationalism", *Small Wars and Insurgencies* 32:1, 127-151.

<u>O'Connor Francis</u> and Burç Rosa (2020) Endangered future: "Yezidis in Post-Genocide Iraq and the Need of International Support" *PRIF Spotlight* 2/2020.

Della Porta, Donatella, <u>Francis O'Connor</u>, and Martín Portos (2019). "Protest Cycles and Referendums for Independence. Closed Opportunities and the Path of Radicalization in Catalonia", *Revista Internacional de Sociología* 77 (4): 142.

http://revintsociologia.revistas.csic.es/index.php/revintsociologia/article/view/1044

O'Connor, Francis. 2019. 'Book Review: The Age of Lone Wolf Terrorism'. *Behavioral Sciences of Terrorism and Political Aggression* 0 (0): 1–3. https://doi.org/10.1080/19434472.2019.1691249

della Porta, Donatella; <u>Francis O'Connor</u> and Martin Portos (2019). "The framing of secessionism in the neo-liberal crisis: the Scottish and Catalan cases" in Closa, Carlos, Costanza Margiotta and Giuseppe Martinico, (eds.): *Between Democracy and Law. The Amorality of Secession*, London: Routledge, pp. 153-170.

O'Connor, Francis (2019). "Book Review: Gareth Stansfield and Mohammed Shareef (eds.). The Kurdish Question Revisited, London: C Hurst & Co., 2017, 712 pp", *Kurdish Studies*, 7 (1). <u>https://doi.org/10.33182/ks.v7i1.482</u>

O'Connor, Francis (2019). "Routinised Insurgent Space: Building and Maintaining Insurgent Constituencies" PRIF Working Paper, No. 44. https://www.hsfk.de/publikationen/publikationssuche/publikation/the-spatial-dimension-of-insurgent-civilian-relations-routinised-insurgent-space/

<u>O'Connor, Francis</u>; Stefan Malthaner and Lasse Lindekilde (2018). "Killing in Pairs: Radicalisation Patterns of Violent Dyads", *International Journal of Conflict and Violence*, 12(1), 1-14. <u>http://www.ijcv.org/index.php/ijcv/article/view/640</u>

<u>O'Connor, Francis</u> and Semih Çelik (2018). "Outsiders twice over in Kurdistan" in Baser, Bahar; Marie Toivanen; Begum Zorlu and Yasin Duman (eds.) *Research reflections from the field: insider/outsider dilemma, positionality and reflexivity in Kurdish studies,* 123-145, Lanham: Lexington Books.

Lindekilde, Lasse; Stefan Malthaner and <u>Francis O'Connor</u> (2018) "Peripheral and embedded: relational patterns of lone-actor terrorist radicalization", *Dynamics of Asymmetric Conflict*. <u>https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/17467586.2018.1551557</u>

Castelli Gattinara, Pietro; <u>Francis O'Connor</u> and Lasse Lindekilde (2018). "Italy, No Country for Acting Alone? Lone Actor Radicalisation in the Neo-Fascist Milieu" *Perspectives on Terrorism*, 12(6), 136-149. <u>https://www.universiteitleiden.nl/binaries/content/assets/customsites/perspectives-on-terrorism/2018/issue-6/a9-gattinara.pdf</u>

<u>O'Connor, Francis</u> and Bahar Baser (2018). "Communal violence and ethnic polarization before and after the 2015 elections in Turkey. Attacks against the HDP and the Kurdish population", *Southeast European and Black Sea Studies*, 18:1, 53–72. <u>https://doi.org/10.1080/14683857.2018.1451035</u>

<u>O'Connor, Francis</u> (2017): The Kurdish Movement in Turkey. Between Political Differentiation and Violent Confrontation, PRIF Report No. 147, Frankfurt/M. <u>https://www.hsfk.de/en/publications/publication-search/publication/the-kurdish-movement-in-turkey/</u>

Schuurman, Bart; Lasse Lindekilde; Stefan Malthaner; <u>Francis O'Connor</u>; Paul Gill and Noémie Bouhana (2017). "End of the Lone Wolf: The Typology that Should Not Have Been", *Studies in Conflict and Terrorism*. <u>https://doi.org/10.1080/1057610X.2017.1419554</u>

Juan Masullo Jimenez and <u>Francis O'Connor</u> (2017). "PKK Violence against Civilians: Beyond the Individual, Understanding Collective Targeting" in *Terrorism and Political Violence*. <u>http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/09546553.2017.1347874</u>

Lindekilde, Lasse; <u>Francis O'Connor</u> and Bart Schuurman (2017). "Radicalization patterns and modes of attack planning and preparation among lone-actor terrorists: an exploratory analysis", *Behavioral Sciences of Terrorism and Political Aggression*, 1-21. <u>https://doi.org/10.1080/19434472.2017.1407814</u>

O'Connor Francis (2017). Book Review of Baser, Bahar (2015) Diasporas and Homeland Conflicts: A Comparative Perspective, in *National Identities*, Vol. 19, Pp. 1-3. <u>https://doi.org/10.1080/14608944.2016.1244937</u>

O'Connor, Francis (2017). "The Marikana Massacre: Labour and Subaltern Protest in South Africa" in della Porta, Donatella (ed.) *Riding the Protest Wave in the Neoliberal Crisis*, Amsterdam: Amsterdam University Press.

O'Connor, Francis (2015). "Radical Political Participation and the Internal Kurdish Diaspora in Turkey", *Kurdish Studies*, Volume: 3, No: 2, pp. 3 – 25. <u>https://doi.org/10.33182/ks.v3i2.412</u>

O'Connor, Francis and Leonidas Oikonomakis (2015). "Pre-conflict Mobilization Strategies and Urban-Rural Transition: The Cases of the PKK and the FLN/EZLN", *Mobilization*, 20 (3): 379-399 <u>http://mobilizationjournal.org.ezproxy.eui.eu/doi/abs/10.17813/1086-671X-20-3-379</u>

O'Connor, Francis (2015). "Social Movements and the Scottish Referendum", Working Paper, COSMOS-Centre on Social Movement Studies, Mobilizing for Democracy – ERC Project, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence

O'Connor, Francis (2015). "Anti-Austerity Protest in Ireland 2008-2015". Working Paper, COSMOS-Centre on Social Movement Studies, Mobilizing for Democracy – ERC Project, at Department of Political and Social Science, European University Institute, Florence.

Other publications

O'Connor, Francis (2022). "The Spatial Dimension of Insurgent-Civilian Relations: Routinised Insurgent Space". 75 Years Rural Sociology: Past, Present and Future. 10 March 2020.

O'Connor, Francis. 2020. 'Far-Right Lone Actor Terror Attack in Hanau: A Mirror of Contemporary German Politics? *C-REX - Center for Research on Extremism*. 21 February 2020.

O'Connor, Francis. (2019). 'Far-right terrorism: Academically neglected and understudied'. *PRIF Blog*. 18 March 2019.

O'Connor, Francis. (2019). 'Turkey's Invasion of Northern Syria Has Begun'. PRIF Blog. 10 October 2019.

O'Connor, Francis and Gory Suarez (2019). "De regreso a la guerra en Colombia", PRIF Blog, 31.01.2019.

O'Connor, Francis (2018). "The HDP's Performance in Turkey's Authoritarian Electoral Campaign", *PRIF Blog*, 28.6.2018.

Castelli Gattinara, Pietro and <u>Francis O'Connor</u> (2018). "An Italian Neo-Fascist Shot 6 Immigrants. So Why Won't Italy's Political Parties Condemn Xenophobia?", *Washington Post*, 09.02.2018.

O'Connor, Francis (2018). "Turkey's Invasion of Afrin must be Halted", PRIF Blog, 25.1.2018.

Della Porta, Donatella, <u>Francis O'Connor</u>, Martin Portos, Anna Subirats Ribas (2017). "What Scotland can learn from the referendum from below in Catalonia", *Common Space*, 21.11.2017.

Della Porta, Donatella, <u>Francis O'Connor</u>, Anna Subirats Ribas, Martín Portos García (2017). "El procés y los referéndums desde abajo", *Piedras de Papel – el Diario*, 8.10.2017.

Subirats Ribas, Anna, Donatella della Porta, <u>Francis O'Connor</u>, Martín Portos García (2017) *"'Le strade saranno nostre'*. Il referendum catalano", *Sbilanciamoci info*, 7.10.2017.

Della Porta, Donatella, <u>Francis O'Connor</u>, Martin Portos, Anna Subirats Ribas (2017) "'The streets will always be ours' - Catalonia, a referendum from below", *Open Democracy*, 5.10.2017.

O'Connor, Francis (2017). "The Knife Attack in Hamburg: Lone Actor Violence and Mental Illness", *PRIF Blog*, 14.8.2017.

O'Connor, Francis and Lasse Lindekilde (2017). Six Radicalisation Case Studies for Danish National Centre of Prevention of Extremism. Available at: <u>http://www.stopekstremisme.dk/ekstremisme-og-radikalisering/veje-ind-og-ud-af-ekstremisme-case-eksempler-og-forklaringsfaktorer</u>

O'Connor, Francis (2016). "HDP arrests: on the road to dictatorship in Turkey" in Roar Magazine.

O'Connor, Francis and Çelik, Semih (2016). "Academics for Peace: "enemies of the state" in Turkey" in *Roar Magazine*.

O'Connor, Francis (2014). "L'Irlanda infelice premia Sinn Féin e punisce Il Labour", in *Il Manifesto*, 6 June 2014.

O'Connor, Francis (2011). "Right-wing extremism resurgent in Europe", in Politico.ie

Conferences and Workshops

"Protracted Ideological Change in the PKK: The Roots of Democratic Confederalism" Paper co-presented with Joost Jongerden at *Territories and Identities - A Critical Perspective on Belonging* conference at the Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence, Italy, 9 September 2023.

"Clandestinity and Insurgent Consolidation: The M-19's Rebel Governance in Urban Colombia." Paper presented at *El Observatorio de Tierras,* Universidad del Rosario, Bogotá, Colombia, September, 19 2023.

Co-organiser of Workshop - *Contentious Politics in Kurdish Studies: Land, Nature, and Infrastructure* Wageningen University and Research, September 1, 2023.

"Governance without Territorial Control: The Experiences of the PKK in 1970s Turkey" Paper presented at *Kurdish Studies Conference*, London School of Economics, 24-25 April 2023

Co-organiser of Workshop - *Control in Asymmetric Conflict: Unpacking the Complexities of a Concept* Université libre de Bruxelles, 19-20 April 2023

"Routinised Insurgent Space: Spatial Dimensions of Insurgent-Civilian Relations and Support" Paper presented at *Control in Asymmetric Conflict: Unpacking the Complexities of a Concept,* Université libre de Bruxelles, 19-20 April 2023

"Clandestinity and Insurgent Consolidation: The M-19's Popular Support and Rebel Governance in Urban Colombia." Paper presented at *Conflict Research Society Annual Conference*, 7-9 September 2022

Organiser and coordinator of Workshop - *The Margins of Insurgent Control: Spaces of Governance,* Wageningen University and Research, 1-2 September 2022

"Routinised Insurgent Space: Spatial Dimensions of Insurgent-Civilian Relations and Support" Paper presented at *The Margins of Insurgent Control: Spaces of Governance,* Workshop at Wageningen University and Research, 1-2 September 2022 Francis O'Connor "Clandestinity and Insurgent Consolidation: The M-19's Popular Support and Rebel Governance in Urban Colombia" Paper presented at *Perspectives on Governance by Non-State Armed Actors,* Workshop at Scuola Normale Superiore and Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, (online) 24 May 2021.

"Scattered Attacks – Lone Actor Radicalization as a Collective Phenomenon" Paper presented at ECPR General Conference, (online) 24 August 2020

"The M-19's Ideological Sancocho: Balancing Socialism and Colombian nationalism" Paper presentation *The Lefts and Nationalisms - ECPR Joint Sessions*, Toulouse, 14-17 April 2020. (Postponed Covid-19).

"Clandestinity and Insurgent Consolidation: The Spatial Dimensions of the M-19's Popular Support" Guest presentation at *Bonn International Centre for Conversion*, Bonn, Germany, 4 February 2020.

"Clandestinity and Insurgent Consolidation: The Spatial Dimensions of the M-19's Popular Support" Paper presented at *Nordic Conference on Violent Extremism* University of Aarhus, Denmark, 31 October 2019

"Clandestinity in Insurgent Movements: Archival approaches to studying the M-19 in Colombia", Paper presented at conference *Violence, Space and the Archives* NUI Galway 23-24 May 2019

"Italy, No Country for Acting Alone? Lone Actor Radicalisation in the Neo-Fascist Milieu" (with Pietro Castelli)

Paper presented at ECPR General Conference, Hamburg, August 24th, 2018.

"Insurgent Constituency Building: The M-19's navigation of the urban and the rural" Paper presented at *Violence Space and the Political*, NUI Galway, June 8th, 2018.

Presentation of PRIME Lone Actor Radicalization Findings and Policy Implications PRIME Workshop and Masterclass for Danish Police Officers and Counter-Radicalization Municipal staff, Copenhagen, 27-28 April 2017

"Embedded and Peripheral: Relational Configurations of Lone Actor Radicalization" (with Lasse Lindekilde)

Paper presented at PRIME Conference, The Royal Society, London, April 7th, 2017.

"Embedded and Peripheral: Relational Patterns of Lone Actor Radicalization" Paper presented at *International Studies Association*, Annual Convention, Baltimore, February 22, 2017.

"Space and Social Ties: Constituency Building in the PKK". Paper presented at Workshop *Violence and Control in Civil Wars – Violent State Making,* Hamburg Institute for Social Research, Hamburg, December 7-9, 2016.

"Pathways of Lone-Actor Radicalization – A Typology" (with Lasse Lindekilde) Paper presented at *Processes of Radicalization and Polarization in the Context of Transnational Islamist Terrorism: Interdisciplinary Research and Public Implication,* IKG University of Bielefeld, Hannover, November 2016

"Patterns of Relational Configuration in LAE Radicalization"

Paper presented at *PRIME Conference*: *Extremism, radicalization and lone actor terrorism: theoretical and practical perspectives,* University of Warsaw, Poland, October 2016.

"The Multiple Dimensions of the Kurdish Movement"

Paper presented at *ESA Social Movements Midterm conferences*, Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence 8th October 2016.

"The Emergence of Communal Violence in Turkey around the 2015 Elections" Paper presented at *ECPR General Conference* Prague, September 2016

"Relations between social movements and the SNP in the Scottish Independence Referendum: Complementary or contradictory?"

Paper Presented at *Movement and Parties, Movement Parties, Movement in Parties Conference,* Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence October 6, 2015

"Understanding PKK Violence against Civilians: School Teachers and Village Guards' Families." Paper Presented at *EISA The Worlds of Violence 9th Pan-European Conference on International Relations*, Giardini Naxos 23 – 26 September 2015

"Radical Political Participation: The Kurdish Internal Diaspora in Turkey." Paper presented at *PSAI Annual Conference*, Galway, October 2014.

"Understanding PKK Violence against Civilians: The Cases of School Teachers and Village Guards' Families."

Paper Presented at ECPR General Conference, Glasgow, September 2014

"Violent groups and their socio-spatial environments". Panel Chair, *ECPR General Conference*, Bordeaux September 2013.

"...and what about our Marxist roots? Insurgent groups' discursive strategies in periods of initial mobilisation. A comparison of the PKK and the EZLN". Paper presented at *Typologies of Political Violence workshop*, European University Institute, May 2013.

"The PKK and the Strategic Deployment of Violence". Paper presented at *ECPR Graduate Conference*, Bremen, June 2012.

"Patterns of Kurdish political mobilisation: Distinctions and similarities across Kurdish majority regions, Turkish majority regions and the diaspora".

Paper presented at the *International Conference on Kurdish Migration and Diaspora*, Hugo Valentin Centre, Uppsala University, April 2012.

Book Presentations: Understanding Insurgency: Popular Support for the PKK in Turkey

Imperial and Global History / Histories of Violence and Conflict Seminar Series, University of Exeter, October 2022

Kurdish Studies Series: Middle East Centre, London School of Economics, October 2022

Comparative conflict seminar series: Cardiff Centre for Conflict, Societies and Security

Cardiff University, November 2021 (online)

COSMOS Talks: Centre for Social Movement Studies Scuola Normale Superiore, Florence (October 2021)

Colloquium: "Internationalised Politics" University of Bremen, July 2021 (online).

Teaching

Courses

"Advanced Social Theory"

Optional Masters Course, *The Wageningen School of Social Sciences (WASS) Graduate Programme*, October-November 2023.

"Advanced Social Theory" Optional Masters Course, *The Wageningen School of Social Sciences (WASS) Graduate Programme*, October-November 2022.

"Social Movements, Radicalization and Political Violence" Semester Course (32 Hours) M.A. in International Relations, *Goethe University Frankfurt*, April – July 2018.

"The Kurdish Struggle and the PKK" Semester Course (32 Hours) M.A. in Peace and Conflict Studies, *Philipps Universität Marburg*, Germany, April-May 2016.

Selected Lectures and Presentations

"Methodological and Ethical Dimensions of Fieldwork" Masterclass for PhD Researchers and Post-Docs, department of *Rural Sociology, Wageningen University and Research* (co-taught with Prof. Zachariah Mampilly - CUNY), 31 August 2022.

"Writing a Successful MCSA Proposal".

Presentation for PhD and Post-Doctoral researchers at workshop, *Navigating Brussels with ELLS 2022: How can the EU help you to develop your scientific career?* organised by the European League of Life Science Universities (ELLS).

"Ethnic Conflict, Territorial Patterns and Demography" Lecture on MA Course "Ethnic Politics and Violent Conflicts", *University of Tubingen*, January 2017.

"Foreign Fighters in the Kurdish Struggle"

Lecture on MA Course "Pathways of foreign fighting: Mobilization, Impact, and Disengagement", *University of Aarhus*, April 2016

"Space and Conflict in Kurdistan" Lecture on BA Course "Conflict and Territory" *National University Ireland Galway,* Ireland, March 2016.

"Civil War"

Lecture on BA Course "Political Sociology", National University Ireland Galway, Ireland, February 2016.

"Field Research in Authoritarian Contexts" Lecture on BA Course "Introduction to Social Research" *Trinity College Dublin*, Ireland February 2016

"Armed Groups, Support Networks and Militant Diasporas: A Comparative Perspective on Turkey and Ireland". Lecture to students at the *Lorenzo de' Medici: The Italian International Institute*, April 2014.

Masters Theses Supervision

International Studies / Peace and Conflict Studies (MA) - Goethe University Frankfurt (2019) Topics: Organised Crime and State Capture in Mexico; Socio-economic dimensions of Boko Haram's Mobilisation; M-19 and Popular legitimacy.

Additional Training

Teacher Training

"Start to Teach": Education Support Centre of Wageningen University & Research, May-June 2023

"Start to Supervise BSc & MSc Thesis Students": Wageningen University and Research, January 2022

"Scientific Integrity": *Wageningen University and Research,* March 2022 Teaching Workshop: *European University Institute,* June 2014.

QGIS Training

QGIS Basics: Wageningen University and Research, March-April 2022

Media Training

Media training for Management and Professionals: Peace Research Institute Frankfurt, May 2019.

Consultancy Training -Radboud in'to Languages | Wageningen in'to LanguagesConsultancy SkillsJune 2023Steering in InteractionJune 2023Collaboration SkillsJune 2023

Affiliations

Advisory Academic Board - The Commentaries (Transnational Press London)

ECPR Standing Group - Political Violence

Rebel Governance Network

International Expert Network - Right-wing Terrorism and Violence in Western Europe Dataset

COSMOS - The Centre on Social Movement Studies, Florence, Italy

Kurdish Studies Network

Turkish Studies Network

Peer Review

Articles reviewed: American Sociological Review, Nations and Nationalism; Critical Terrorism Studies; Cvil Wars; International Security; Dynamics of Asymmetric Conflict; Ethnicities; The Commentaries; Democratization; Behavioral Sciences of Terrorism and Political Aggression; Southeast European and Black Sea Studies; British Journal of Middle Eastern Studies; Partecipazione e Conflitto; Journal of Power; Urban Anthropology and Studies of Cultural Systems and World Economic Development, Kurdish Studies; Social Science History and PRIF Reports.

Coverage in the Media

Radiotelevisione Svizzera (Switzerland); Radio FM4 (Austria); Radio Cittá Fujiko (Italy); The Daily Beast (USA); Klassekampen (Norway); Dagbladet (Denmark) and Hessische/Niedersächsische Allgemeine (Germany).

Languages

Fluent: English and Italian. Intermediate: Irish, German and Spanish Beginners: French.