Reading List

All required reading will be provided. The materials are not for reproduction and are for use only as instructional materials for the purpose of this workshop.

Monday, June 20th

Session 1.a: Theories of State Building
David Lake, UC San Diego

Required Reading

Session 1.b: Theory of Substate Conflict and Organizations
Sandeep Baliga, Northwestern University

Required Reading

Suggested Reading

Session 1.c: Theories of Counterinsurgency
Joseph Felter, U.S. Army, Hoover Institution

Required Reading
Tuesday, June 21st

Session 2.a: Practitioner Presentation: Civil Military Engagement
Mark Alexander, U.S. Army Special Operations Command

Session 2.b: Conflict, Security and Development
Holly Benner, World Bank

Required Reading

Session 2.c: Reflections on Conflict, Institutions and Development
Edward Miguel, UC Berkeley

Required Reading

Session 2.d: Institutions, Incentives and Peacebuilding
Philip Keefer, World Bank

Required Reading

Session 2.e: Conflict, Corruption and Development: A Tactical Perspective from Baghdad
Jeffrey Peterson, U.S. Military Academy

Required Reading

Wednesday, June 22nd

Session 3.a: Polling After Conflicts and Disasters
Jishnu Das, World Bank

Required Reading
Session 3.b: Interviewing on Sensitive Topics: Asking Questions about Wartime Sexual Violence
Dara Kay Cohen, University of Minnesota

Required Reading

Thursday, June 23rd

Session 4.a: Working with Data from Conflict Zones: Overcoming Data Challenges
Jacob Shapiro, Princeton University
Radha Iyengar, London School of Economics

Required Reading

Suggested Reading

Session 4.b: Working with Data from Conflict Zones: Overcoming Econometric Challenges
Jacob Shapiro, Princeton University
Radha Iyengar, London School of Economics

Required Reading

Suggested Reading
Session 4.c: Measuring Corruption: Lessons from Vietnam
Edmund Malesky, UC San Diego

Required Reading

Session 4d: Talking to Terrorists? Strategies for Interviewing Terrorists, Ex-Terrorists and Counter-Terrorists in Conflict Situations
Richard English, University of St. Andrews

 Required Reading

Friday, June 24th

Session 5.a: Survey Design in Post-Conflict Areas
Khalil Shikaki, Palestinian Center for Policy and Survey Research

Session 5.b: Problems with Non-Experimental Research in Conflict Studies
Esteban Klor, Hebrew University

Required Reading

Suggested Reading

Session 5.c: Presentations by Selected Participants
David Laitin, Stanford University, Discussant
Abbey Steele, Princeton University
James Long, UC San Diego
Juan Vargas, Universidad del Rosario