

# **How Economics Matter**

Year V of revolutions in an economic and social prism

#### 12 October 2016

Auditorium, bât. Issam Farès, AUB (facing Green Oval)

## 09:30-10:30 Introductory session

- **François Burgat,** IREMAM (Aix-en-Provence), Program Director ERC WAFAW: « what share to be given to economics?»
- Eberhard Kienle, Ifpo Director (Beirut): « Matters of Political Economy »
- Sari Hanafi, AUB-WAFAW (Beirut) : « How economics matter : a Socio-bibliometric Study »
- **Amin Allal,** CERAPS-WAFAW (Lille), **Myriam Catusse**, Ifpo-WAFAW (Beirut): « How Economics matter : l'an V des révolutions au prisme de l'économique et du social »

### 11:00-13:30 Panel 1

New forms of accumulation, new political resources? Tycoons, refugees and combatants in the economy of revolutions.

<b>Dilek Yankaya</b> CERI-WAFAW Paris	Panel presentation and discussion
Chiara Loschi University of Turin	Economic Actors in Post-Revolutionary Tunisia. Waste Collection Companies and new Strategies between Local and National Political Arena
Raphaëlle Chevrillon- Guibert IRD/UMR 8586 Paris.	Sensitive negotiations about gold in Sudan: How to reconfigure power and stakeholders' strategies in the new mining economy?
<b>Marc Valeri,</b> University of Exeter	Business and Ruling Families in the GCC. A Re-Definition of the Oligarchic Pact

## 14:30-17:30

# Panel 2: Islam, capitalism and alter-globalization: new interpretations?

Nicolas Dot Pouillard et Julien Pélissier Ifpo-WAFAW, Beirut/ IREMAM-WAFAW, Aix-en- Provence	Panel presentation and discussion
<b>Justa Hopma</b> Aberystwyth University, RU	The role of food insecurity in the production of (counter-) hegemony: A Gramscian reading of the potential for food system transformation in the Arab region
<b>Aziz Chahir</b> IRFC, Rabat	Reformist Islamists of PJD in Morocco to the test of secularization: The interest-based loan (riba) between religious prescriptions and the constraints of capitalist economics
Ester Sigillo and Damiano De Facci Paris Diderot / ENS	Community action focused on development in Tunisia: alternative economic models. The cases of Kasserine and Medenine
Stéphanie Latte CNRS-WAFAW	Towards a different economy in Palestine? Civic and political alternatives, sovereignty and resistance to the occupation
<b>Frédéric Coste</b> CERI Science po associate	The financing of the IDB and Islamic banks during the Arab Spring: a case of possible influence?

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# Panel 3: Transformations in the working world, job insecurity and productivity: an observation point for new resistance and protest?

Amin Allal	Panel presentation
<b>Claudie Fioroni</b> IHEID, Geneva	Discussion
Franscesco De Lellis « L'Orientale » University of Naples	Poor farmers' resistance in Egypt: issues of contention, strategies, organization and alliances
<b>Abir Kréfa and Sarah Barrières</b> Centre M. Halbwachs, Paris	Can mobilization be replicated? An analysis of a social movement « for the right to work » in the Kasserine Governate (Tunisia)
<b>Gaia Gondino</b> University of Turin	The labor link between workforce availability and access to opportunity. The trajectories and social roles of workers in the garment industry in the Tunisian Sahel.
Laurence Louer Science Po/CERI, Paris	Governing social conflict in the Gulf Monarchies
Alia Gana IRMC, Tunis Director of the project ERC The Assorted Yields of the Arab Spring	Protests and social mobilization in agricultural and rural areas during an era of political change in Tunisia

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## Panel 4: The economics of voting? Exchanges and politicization

Marie Vannetzel	Panel presentation
CNRS/CURAPP, Amiens	
Mounia Bennani Chraïbi	Discussion
UNIL Lausanne	
David Goeury	Elected president of a Moroccan municipality: money, notability and engagement. The case of a rural municipality during the elections of September 2015.
ENEeC/CJB Rabat	
Dimitri Deschamps	Beyond simple vote buying: when the moral economy interferes with client relationships in Iraqi Kurdistan
CETOBAC/Ifpo Erbil	
Mohamed Fahmy	Cairo's New Old Faces: Redrawing the map of Patron-Client Networks post Jan 25
AUC	
Cairo	

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10:00-18:00 Islamic reform from within: new configurations

Simultaneous round table discussion directed by S. Hanafi (AUB, Beirut) and S. Lacroix (CERI Science po, Paris)

See attached program. College Hall, AUB

18:00 - 19:30

# Lecture by Ridwan Al-Sayyed

Scholar of Islamic Studies, Professor at the Lebanese University

التجديد من الداخل: جهود الاجتهاد والتغيير

Conference dinner: to be announced

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# Panel 5: Welfare State/Warfare State: questions concerning the (re)allocation of resources?

Laura Ruiz de Elvira	Panel presentation
IREMAM-WAFAW, Aix-en- Provence	
Jihad Yazighi	Discussion
The Syria Report website Beirut	
<b>Taher El Labadi</b> Paris Dauphine University	The economic practices of political rupture: the political economy of an incomplete autonomy in Gaza
Leila Vignal	Reshaping of the wartime Syrian economy: regime, actors,
Oxford University	territories
Jamil Mouawad	Lebanon's Wadi Khaled: More Stately than the State
ACSS/Ifpo, Beirut	
Thierry Boissière	The economies of exile and survival: the practices and
Ifpo, Beirut	strategies of Syrian refugees in an eastern Beirut neighborhood
Nasser Rabie and Zaki Mehchy	Emerging conflict economy during the Syrian crisis
Syrian Center for Policy research, Beirut	

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# Panel 6: Demands in unequal relationships: clientelism as a promoter of inhibition or instigator of protest?

Myriam Catusse	Panel presentation and discussion
Ifpo-WAFAW, Beirut	
<b>Diana Zeidan</b> IRIS/EHESS, Paris	Local implantation and client relations: the case of « experts » in the development of Hezbollah in southern Lebanon.
Michele Scala AMU/IREMAM, Aix-en- Provence	Debt guardianship: a study on the mobilization of l'Électricité du Liban day laborers (2012-2016).
Amin Allal and Aymen Belhaj,	Profiting from clientelism, denouncing corruption: a false paradox?
CERAPS-WAFAW/IRMC-PRODIG Lille and Tunis	