

Conference Program
NZPSA Annual Conference 2009
November 29 - December 1, University of Auckland

Sunday 29 Nov

4:00-
4:45pm

Registration

5:00-
7:00pm

Welcome reception and address, Hon Phil Goff, Leader of the Opposition

Monday 30 Nov

8:30-
9:00am

Registration

9:15-
10:30am

Opening Plenary

Digital and Social Media, the Public Sphere and News Media
Professor Terry Flew (Queensland University of Technology)

10:30-
11:00am

Morning Tea

11:00am -
12:00pm

Roundtable 1: 'Political marketing, public opinion and leadership in NZ'

Chair: Michael Mintrom (University of Auckland)

Panellists: Steve Maharey (Vice-Chancellor, Massey University), Claire Robinson (Massey University), Chris Rudd (University of Otago), Jennifer Lees-Marshment (University of Auckland)

12:20-
1:35pm

Lunch

Roundtable 2: Teaching Politics: Innovations and Multi-Media Strategies

Chair: Raymond Miller (University of Auckland)

Panellists: Jacqui True (University of Auckland), Xavier Marquez (Victoria University of Wellington), Philip Nel (University of Otago), Chris Rudd (University of Otago)

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1:35-
3:05pm

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A1 Post-Broadcast Democracy 1

Chair: Margie Comrie (Massey University)

A1.1 Gutenberg to Google: New Media & the Politics of Power
 Christopher Theunissen (MIT)

A1.2 News 2.0: virtual public or

A2 Conflict Resolution

Chair: Steve Hoadley (University of Auckland)

A2.1 Learning from History: US Foreign Policy Decision-Making From Vietnam to Iraq (via Somalia, Haiti, Rwanda and Bosnia)

A3 Theoretical Perspectives on Public Sector Reform

Chair: Tim Tenbessel (University of Auckland)

A3.1 Two Myths of Convergence in Public Management Reform
 Shaun Goldfinch (University of

A4 War and Economic Issues

Chair: Matthew Gibbons (University of Waikato)

A4.1 The Dollar-Wall Street Regime and New Zealand: A Preliminary Study of the Political Implications of

A5 Theory in History; Theory in Interpretation
 Chair: Stephen Winter

A5.1 The Hermeneutics of Ronald Dworkin: Successes, Failures and Opportunities
 Chris Kerr (University of Otago)

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<p><i>just a noisy crowd?</i> Martin Hirst (AUT University)</p> <p>A1.3 Time, Media and Financial Collapse Wayne Hope (AUT University)</p>	<p>Robert Patman (University of Otago) and David Welch (University of Waterloo)</p> <p>A2.2 The United States and the Kashmir Dispute: A Case Study of the 2001-02 Kashmir Crisis Rashid Ahmed Siddiqi (University of Auckland)</p> <p>A2.3 Presidents Making Peace? U.S. Diplomatic Efforts to Resolve the Arab-Israeli Conflict, 1967-2009 Jeremy Pressman (University of Connecticut)</p>	<p>Nottingham) and Joe Wallis (American University of Sharjah)</p> <p>A3.2 From backrooms to frontlines: Implications for democratic accountability of the new focus on core business and fiscal prudence in the New Zealand state sector. Julienne Molineaux (AUT University)</p> <p>A3.3 Democracy's myopia: the search for long-term policy correction aids Ton Buhrs (Lincoln University)</p>	<p><i>Financial Market Liberalization in New Zealand</i> Byron Richards (University of Otago)</p> <p>A4.2 War on Terror as Fought through the Popular Media in Australia and Canada Piper Rodd (Deakin University)</p> <p>A4.3 "I haven't done anything too stupid, yet": New MPs, the Media and Political Socialisation Steven Barnes (Victoria University, Wellington)</p> <p>A4.4 Voting Patterns, party spending and space David Cutts and Don Webber (University of Manchester; University of the West of England, Bristol)</p>	<p>A5.2 On the moral and epistemic resilience of societies Xavier Marquez (Victoria University of Wellington)</p> <p>A5.3 Damn the consequences? Quentin Skinner, Political Thought and Communicative Effects Geoff Kemp (University of Auckland)</p>	
3:05-3:25pm	Afternoon Tea				
<p>3:25-4:55pm</p> <p>B</p>	<p>B1 Media & NZ 2008 Election Chair: Joe Atkinson (University of Auckland)</p> <p>B1.1 "The Heavenly Chorus": Interest Group Voices in the Media during the 2008 Election Campaign. Chris Rudd (University of Otago)</p> <p>B1.2 A different perspective? Māori Television and the 2008 General Election Margie Comrie (Massey University)</p>	<p>B2 The New Regionalisms Chair: Jacqui True (University of Auckland)</p> <p>B2.1 IBSA: The New Kid/Bully on the Block? Philip Nel (University of Otago)</p> <p>B2.2 Why Do 'Regional Norms' Evolve? ASEAN and the Case for Examining 'Legitimacy' in Regional Organisations Avery Poole (University of British Columbia)</p> <p>B2.3 Industrial Relations and</p>	<p>B3 Public Policy, Controversy, and Issue Framing Chair: Rebecca Bollard (University of Auckland)</p> <p>B3.1 Measuring 'Success' in Film Policy Emma Blomkamp (University of Auckland)</p> <p>B3.2 Abortion Politics in Kenya Jane Wambui (University of Waikato)</p> <p>B3.3 Not a Small Matter: The Politics of Nanotechnology</p>	<p>B4 Parties and Ideology in New Zealand Chair: Hilary Pearse (Victoria University of Wellington)</p> <p>B4.1 The changing nature of ideological conflict in New Zealand electoral politics (1996-2008): The rush to the centre & the rise of post-materialist issues Bryce Edwards (University of Otago)</p> <p>B4.2 A Middle-Class</p>	<p>B5 Critical theory and the International Chair: Stephen Winter (University of Auckland)</p> <p>B5.1 Deleuze, Social Complexity and the 'International' Robert Deuchars (Victoria University of Wellington)</p> <p>B5.2 Negotiating the Broken Middle: Gillian Rose and the Work of Mourning Kate Schick (Victoria University of Wellington)</p>

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	<p>B1.3 Political Communications in New Zealand: A Study of Political Party Advertising in the 2008 General Election Ashley Murchison (University of Otago)</p>	<p><i>Institutional Change in Sweden: A Response to European Integration</i> Kelvin Bannan (Victoria University of Wellington)</p>	<p>Priya Kurian and Debashish Munshi (University of Waikato)</p>	<p><i>Diversion from Working-Class Struggle? The New Left in New Zealand</i> Toby Boraman (Waitangi Tribunal)</p> <p>B4.3 New Zealand political parties' policies and the persistence of the left-right divide Matthew Gibbons (University of Waikato)</p> <p>B4.4 Party reorientation in New Zealand: What the historical record of conscience voting reveals about the increasing importance of postmaterialist issues David Lindsey (University of Auckland)</p>	<p>B5.3 Fanon's Sociogenic Approach to Inter-cultural Relations Robbie Shilliam (Victoria University of Wellington)</p> <p>B5.4 The last Marxist?: Habermas and global governance Ben Thirkell-White (Victoria University of Wellington)</p>
<p>4:55-6:25pm</p> <p>C</p>	<p>C1 The End of Journalism? Chair: Gavin Ellis (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C1.1 Fake News and Real Democracy: Are they Compatible? Joe Atkinson (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C1.2 The Bad News: Investigative Journalism in the Information Age Helen Malmgren (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C1.3 Re-Connecting Democracy, Re-engaging the Citizenry Kate Stone (Victoria University of Wellington)</p>	<p>C2 Images, Norms and Activism in IR Chair: Jacqui True (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C2.1 The Ad-Hoc Period in International Politics and the Illusion of the CNN Effect Douglas Van Belle (Victoria University of Wellington)</p> <p>C2.2 Transnationalising Activism under Burma's Authoritarian Regime Adam Simpson (University of South Australia)</p> <p>C2.3 The crisis of hegemony and national identity in Thailand John Moore (University of Otago)</p>	<p>C3 Public Policy, Justice, and Human Rights Chair: Stuart Mullin (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C3.1 Can justice be left to the vagaries of voluntarism? Structure and governance issues in Auckland's restorative justice system. Shirley Julich and Julienne Molineaux (AUT University)</p> <p>C3.2 A human rights-based approach to the discourses governing active recreation in New Zealand Paula Gillon (AUT University)</p> <p>C3.3 Local governance in Aotearoa New Zealand: Integrating Maori and Pakeha perspectives Karen Webster (Auckland City)</p>	<p>C4 Government Leaders and Coalitions in New Zealand Chair: Margaret Joiner (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C4.1 Government, leaders and coalitions in New Zealand Structural Presidentialisation and The Prime Minister of New Zealand Andrew Eames (University of Otago)</p> <p>C4.2 Coalition politics and the Clark/Key governing model Jacob Quinn (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C4.3 Evolving norms of good government</p>	<p>C5 Wrongs, Reconciliation and Resolution Chair: Peter Skilling (AUT University)</p> <p>C5.1 So you're sorry: what does that mean? Tapei Fa'alogo (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C5.2 Narrating Northern Ireland: The Impossibility of Conflict Resolution? Adrian Little (University of Melbourne)</p> <p>C5.3 Legitimacy and State Redress Stephen Winter (University of Auckland)</p> <p>C5.4 Discrimination and Culture</p>

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			Council)	Hilary Pearse (Victoria University of Wellington)	Nicholas Smith (Massey University)
7:15pm	Conference Dinner Cin Cin on the Quay, 99 Quay St				
Tuesday 1 Dec					
8:45-9:15am	Registration				
9:15-10:45am	<p>D</p> <p>D1 Political Economy of Media Chair: Alan Cocker (AUT University)</p> <p>D1.1 <i>The Way of the World', Neo-liberal Discourse, the Media and Fisher & Paykel's Offshore Relocation</i> Olivier Jutel (University of Otago)</p> <p>D1.2 <i>Interpretation of Constitutional Rule – Not by Court but by Political Performance Staged by Media</i> Herlin Chien (National Sun Yat-sen University)</p> <p>D1.3 <i>Nationwide News Distribution: An update</i> Gavin Ellis (University of Auckland)</p>	<p>D2 Middle East Revisited Chair: Jian Yang (University of Auckland)</p> <p>D2.1 <i>The Catholic Church as a Transnational Actor in the Middle East: Assessing Its Footprint in Politics and the Media</i> John Bradley (University of Edinburgh)</p> <p>D2.2 <i>The Afghanistan Presidential Election: The Taliban the Real Winner!</i> Najib Lafraie (University of Otago)</p>	<p>D3 Local governance in Aotearoa New Zealand: Integrating Maori and Pakeha perspectives Chair: David Wilson (AUT University)</p> <p>D3.1 <i>Auckland – The First Step in another Round of Local Government Reform?</i> Jean Drage (University of Canterbury)</p> <p>D3.2 <i>What leadership can we expect from the new Auckland Council?</i> Andy Asquith (Massey University, Albany)</p> <p>D3.3 <i>Supersize Me Too: The Proposal for Local Government Reform in the Waikato</i> Patrick Barrett (University of Waikato)</p>	<p>D4 Party Strategy Chair: Claire Robinson (Massey University)</p> <p>D4.1 <i>The emergence and development of small parties: the case of New Zealand First</i> Margaret Joiner (University of Auckland)</p> <p>D4.2 <i>Explaining differences in the prominence of 'policy' in the campaigns of political parties in recent New Zealand general elections</i> Kieran Knight (University of Otago)</p> <p>D4.3 <i>Political Marketing Globalised but contextualized: results from a comparative political marketing study</i> Jennifer Lees-Marshment (University of Auckland), Jesper Stromback (Mid-Sweden University) and Chris Rudd (University of Otago)</p>	<p>D5 Intimate Politics Chair: Stephen Winter</p> <p>D5.1 <i>Circles of Friendship: Political Inclusion and Exclusion</i> Heather Devere (AUT University) and Graham Smith (Lancaster University)</p> <p>D5.2 <i>Towards a policy analysis of emotions: example of politics of intimacy</i> Anna Durnova (University of Vienna)</p> <p>D5.3 <i>Concepts of Power in Montesquieu's Persian Letters and Montagu's Turkish Embassy Letters</i> Vicki Spencer (University of Otago)</p>
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11:05am-12:35pm E	<p>E1 Post-Broadcast Democracy 2 Chair: Terry Flew (Queensland University of Technology)</p> <p>E1.1 Politics of Internet: Case Study of Iranian Recent Election Nazanin Ghanavizi (University of Sydney)</p> <p>E1.2 The Impact of the Information and Communications Technologies upon China's Governance in the Information Age: Case Study of the Xiamen PX Plant Chin-fu Hung (National Cheng Kung University)</p> <p>E1.3 Chinese Language Media and the NZ 2005 Election Phoebe Li (University of Auckland)</p>	<p>E2 Environmental and Security Governance Chair: Stephen Hoadley (University of Auckland)</p> <p>E2.1 Democracy and Environmental Governance in Thailand Adam Simpson (University of South Australia)</p> <p>E2.2 New Zealand's Institutional Positioning in Antarctic Regime Development Peter A Wilson (University of Auckland)</p> <p>E2.3 Security and Development in Africa Greg Rublee (University of Auckland)</p>	<p>E3 Workshop on Journal Publishing Douglas Van Belle (Victoria University of Wellington)</p>	<p>E5 Nations, Cultures and Rights Chair: Katherine Smits (University of Auckland)</p> <p>E5.1 Constitutional Conflict and the Judicial Recognition of Aboriginal Rights Guy Charlton (AUT University)</p> <p>E5.2 Nationalism in the New Zealand Blogosphere Hugh Eldred-Grigg (Victoria University of Wellington)</p> <p>E5.3 Indigenous Self-determination Lindsey MacDonald (University of Canterbury)</p> <p>E5.4 Indigeneity and the Politics of Post-colonial Citizenship Dominic O'Sullivan (Charles Sturt University)</p>
12:35-1:35pm	<p>Lunch</p> <p>NZPSA AGM</p>			
1:35-3:05pm	<p>Roundtable 3: Maori Political Representation Chair: Katherine Smits (University of Auckland) Panellists: Ann Sullivan (University of Auckland) Janine Hayward (University of Otago), Dominic O'Sullivan (Te Rarawa and Ngati Kahu; Charles Sturt University), Kaapua Smith (Ngati Porou, Ngati Awa, Te Puni Kokiri), Kim Summersby (Waitangi Tribunal), Ngarimu Blair (Ngati Whatua)</p>			

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5:00-6:00pm	Farewell Function				