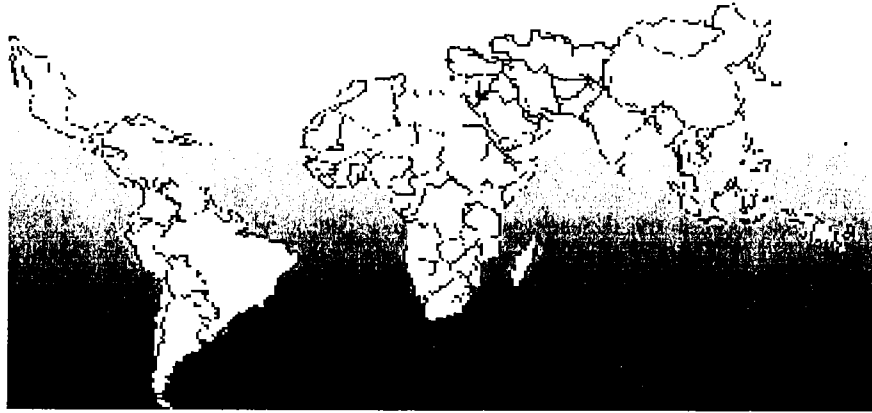


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PROGRAM

Thursday October 19, 2000

Registration 3:00 - 6:00p.m.

Denver Marriot City Center, 1701 California St., Denver (Conference lodging site)

Reception: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m., October 19, 2000

Denver Marriot City Center, 1701 California St., Denver (Conference lodging site)

Friday October 20, 2000

Registration 7:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Tivoli Student Union, Metropolitan State College of Denver,(Conference panel site)

SESSION 1 - 8:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

1.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "East Asia: Cold-War & Post Cold-War Era," **Room 442, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Chong K. Yoon, James Madison University

1. "Sino-Korean Relations and Their Place in International Politics"

Yi Sun, University of San Diego

2 "Obstinate Effects of Korean War-Era Self-Indoctrination on Mediated Political Discourse
between the Far East and the U.S"

Jin K. Kim, State University of New York at Plattsburgh

3. "Toward a North-South Reconciliation in Korea and the Prospects for Reunification"

Chong K. Yoon, James Madison University

Discussant: Audience Participation

(Round-table discussion)

1.2 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 2 "Constitutionalism in Africa," **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Julius Ihonvbere, The Ford Foundation

1. "Governance and Minority Rights in Africa: What Role for Constitutionalism?"

John Mbaku, Weber State University

2. "Secularism in the Liberal Constitutional Order: An Examination of the Sharia in Nigeria's
Polytechnic Federalism"

John Boye Ejobowah, University of Toronto (Canada)

3. "Containing the African Military: New Constitutional Directions in Sub-Saharan Africa"

Pita Agbese, University of Northern Iowa & Julius Ihonvbere, The Ford Foundation

4. "Gender and Constitutionalism in Uganda"

Maria Samakula Nassari, Kituo cha Katiba (Uganda)

Discussants: Femi Falana, Committee for the Defense of Human Rights (Lagos, Nigeria)

George K. Kieh, Jr., Morehouse College

1.3 ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

Panel 3 "Globalization: The New Challenges to the Third World," **Room 640, Tivoli Bldg.**
Moderator: Amin M Kazak, University of Colorado at Denver

Panel participants:

1. "Africa" Kalechi Kalu, University of Northern Colorado at Greeley
2. "Middle East" Jacob Abadi, United States Air Force Academy
3. "Globalization and the Islamic World" Akbarali Thobhani, Metropolitan State College of Denver
4. "General Discussion" Amin M. Kazak, University of Colorado at Denver

SESSION 2 - 10:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

2.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "ASEAN Perspectives," **Room 442, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Paul A. Rodell, Georgia Southern University

1. "Chinese-Burmese Relations: Implications for Regional Security"
Ross Marlay and Bryan Ulmer, Arkansas State University
 2. "ASEAN and Globalization: A Malaysian Perspective on Security Initiatives for the 21st Century"
Sharifah Munirah Alatas, Institute of Diplomacy and Foreign Relations, Malaysia
 3. "Cambodia at the Start of the 21st Century: The Challenges for ASEAN"
Pamela Sodhy, Georgetown University
 4. "Why Socialist Republic of Vietnam Pursues Globalization via ASEAN, APEC and the WTO"
Robert Curry, Prof. Emeritus, California State University at Sacramento
- Discussant: Paul A. Rodell, Georgia Southern University

2.2 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 2 "The Imperative of Language in the Third World," **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Abdul Karim Bangura, American University/Howard University

1. "Language, Literature and Dynamics of Social and Political Change in West Africa"
Adjai Robinson, Baltimore City Public School Systems
 2. "Attitudes toward Nicaraguan Creole"
Marva Joy Spence, Universidad de Costa Rica
 3. "Pax Sierra Leona: A Typology of the Conceptualizations of Peace in Sierra Leonean Languages"
Abdul Karim Bangura, American University/Howard University
- Discussant: Mario D. Fenyo, Bowie State University

2.3 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "The United States, Latin America, and the Chiapas Insurgency" **Room 640, Tivoli Bldg.**

Chair: Harold Isaacs, Georgia Southwestern State University

1. "The United States and Ecuador: the Genesis of a Relationship"
George M. Lauderbaugh, Jacksonville State University (Alabama)
2. "Caudillismo and Democracy in Latin America Today"
Kenneth L. Johnson and Matthew Hameling, Eastern Kentucky University
3. "Is Peace Possible in Chiapas?"
Michael Maguire, Independent Scholar
4. "Chiapas-Communist Insurgency or Indigenous Protest: the 'First Post-Modern Rebellion' as Framed by U.S. Television News"
Walter C. Soderland, University of Windsor (Canada)

Discussant: Harold Isaacs, Georgia Southwestern State University

2.4 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Panel 4 "From the Research Field, to Textbooks, to the Classroom: Teaching American Undergraduate Students about Africa" **Room 320A, Tivoli Building**

Moderator: Joseph Takougang, University of Cincinnati

Panel Members:

- Joseph Takougang, University of Cincinnati
Femi Vaughan, State University of New York at Stony Brook
Kalechi Kalu, University of Northern Colorado
A. B. Assensoh, Indiana University
Felix K. Ekechi, Kent State University

LUNCH -- 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

SESSION 3 - 1:45 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

3.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "The Enclaves of Western Imperialism at the End of the 20th Century"
Room 442, Tivoli Building

Chair: Eric Roorda, Bellarmine College

1. "Making the Dragon Whole Again: China's Recovery of Hong Kong and Macao in Historical and Ideological Perspective"
George Pruden, Armstrong Atlantic State University
2. "The Children of the Canal and the Children Who Hated Them: Panama, 1964"
Alan McPherson, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
3. "The Other Reconquista: Spain's North African Presidios and Moroccan Attempts to Achieve Territorial Integrity"
Michael Hall, Armstrong Atlantic State University

Discussant: Eric Roorda, Bellarmine College

3.2. ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Panel 2 "Turkey, Israel, and Their Neighbors" **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Moderator: Michael B. Bishku, Augusta State University

1. "Turkey and the European Union"
James E. Sowerwine, Kutztown University
2. "Turkey and Water Issues with Syria and Iraq"
Michael B. Bishku, Augusta State Univ.
3. "Israel and Water Issues with Syria and the Palestinians"
Robert Hazan, Metropolitan State College of Denver
4. "Israel, Greece, and the Balkans"
Jacob Abadi, U.S. Air Force Academy

3.3. PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "International Relations of the African States and South Asia" **Room 640, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Bhim Sandhu, Westchester University of Pennsylvania

1. "United States Foreign Policy and the African Crisis Response Initiative"
George K. Kieh, Jr., Morehouse College
 2. "Western Proposal for UN Security Council Enlargement: A Critical Examination"
Osita G. Afoaku, University of Northern Colorado &
Okechukwu Ukaga, University of Minnesota-Coquet
 3. "Western Sahara: Will the Referendum Ever Take Place?"
Akbarali Thobani, Metropolitan State College of Denver
 4. "Kashmir: Volcano of South Asia and Danger of Nuclear War"
A. Z. Hilali, Center for Security Studies, University of Hull (United Kingdom)
- Discussant: Jeffrey M. Elliot, North Carolina Central University

3.4 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 4 "ASEAN Issues" **Room 320A, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Paul A. Rodell, Georgia Southern University

1. "National Ideological Translations and ASEAN's Discontent"
Stephen A. Douglas, Professor Emeritus, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
 2. "For the Want of a Nail: Creating Ties to Forge the nation of East Timor"
Christopher Lundry, Arizona State University
 3. "Economic Crisis and Recovery in ASEAN: Simple Stories to Explain Differential Experiences"
James Cobbe, Florida State University
 4. "An Analysis of Defense Spending in ASEAN"
Chien-pin Li, Kennesaw State University
- Discussant: Paul A. Rodell, Georgia Southern University

SESSION 4 - 3:45 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

4.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "Political Economy, Human Right Issues of Northeast Asian and Central Asian Countries" **Room 442, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Jin K. Kim, State University of New York at Plattsburgh

1. "WTO and Human Rights in the Third World"

Zhiqun Zhu, University of South Carolina

2. "Examination of the Political and Economic Transition of Mongolia since the Collapse of the Soviet Union"

Hugh Arnold, Clayton College and State University &

Julia S. Bilskie, Georgia State University

Discussant: Jin K. Kim, State University of New York at Plattsburgh

4.2 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Panel 2 "On Professor John Mbaku's Works" **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: E. Ike Udogu, Francis Marion University

Panel participants:

Bennett A. Odunsi, Jackson State University

A. B. Assensoh, Indiana University

Joseph Takougang, University of Cincinnati

Nwafejoku Okolie Uwadibie, Palm Beach Community College

Ebere Onwudiwe, Central State University

4.3 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "Cross-Cultural Nationality Group Comparison and Conflict Resolution Methods" **Room 640, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Stephen Buggie, University of New Mexico

1. "American Indians and Their Relationships with Indigenous Peoples of the Third World"

Stephen Buggie, University of New Mexico

2. "*El Penco*"

Benito Cordova, University of New Mexico

Connie Casebolt, University of New Mexico

3. "African Conflicts: Would Traditional Conflict Resolution Mechanisms be Relevant?"

Kidane Mengisteab, Pennsylvania State University &

Assefaw Bariagaber, Seton Hall University

Discussant: Kidane Mengisteab, Pennsylvania State University

4.4 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 4 "Political Economy of Central Asian Republics and South Asia" **Room 320A, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Dorothea A. L. Martin, Appalachian State University

- 1. "Privatization: Promises and Peril in Central Asia"

Ali Kamali, Missouri Western State College

- 2. "Problems of Consolidation of Independence in the Central Asian Republics"

Shams Ud Din, Jawaharlal Nehru University (India)

Discussant: Dorothea A. L. Martin, Appalachian State University

Friday, October 20, 2000 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Banquet Keynote Speaker: The Honorable Yoo Tae-hyu

Consul-General of the Republic of Korea
Consulate-General, San Francisco, California

Room 320, Tivoli Student Union
Metropolitan State College of Denver

Saturday, October 21, 2000

SESSION 5 - 8:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.

5.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "Gender Issues in the Third World Nations" **Room 440, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Marcia Jones, Georgia Southern University

- 1. "Reaching Women under the Taliban: Post-Cold War Humanitarian Assistance in Afghanistan"

Megan E. Reif, The Carter Center

- 2. "Women Exploited, Women Freed: The Two Faces of Globalization in South India"

Sudha Ratan, Georgia Southern University

Discussants: Yassaman Saadatmand, Armstrong Atlantic State University &
Marcia Jones, Georgia Southern University

5.2 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 2 "Popular Culture: U.S. Perceptions of the Conquest of the Aztecs as They Appeared in U.S. Literature" **Room 442, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Tom Leonard, University of North Florida

1. "Lew Wallace and Edward Eggleston and their Representation of Montezuma"
Douglas A. Noverr, Michigan State University
2. "Francis Stevens and the Aztec Lost World Adventure"
Gary Hoppenstand, Michigan State University
3. "Perceptions of the Aztecs in both Book and Film 'The Captain from Castile'"
John F. Bratzel, Michigan State University

Discussant: Tom Leonard, University of North Florida

5.3 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "Human Rights Issues in Rwanda, Trinidad, and East Timor" **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Paul Magnarella, University of Florida

1. "International Peacekeeping and the Long Road to Statehood: The Case of East Timor"
Dan Turack, Law School, Capitol University
2. "Settling the Stage for Genocide: International Involvement in East Timor"
Alynn J. Lyon, Southeast Missouri State University
3. "Recent Development at the United Nations Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda"
Paul Magnarella, University of Florida

Discussant: Daniel Skidmore-Hess, Armstrong Atlantic State University

5.4 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 4 "Third World Developmental Theories: A New Developmental Paradigm?" **Room 329, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Gary Kline, Georgia Southwestern State University

1. "Democracy, Constitutional Liberalism, and Socio-Economic Performance in Developing Countries"
Ryszard Zukowski, Universidad de las Americas (Puebla, Mexico)
2. "Non-Governmental Organizations, Development, and the Crisis of State Legitimacy in the Third World"
J. Wagona Makoba, University of Nevada-Reno
3. "Democratic Reformism and Neo-liberal Distress: The Cases of Costa Rica and Venezuela, 1980-2000"
Kenneth M. Coleman, Independent Scholar
4. "In Search of a New Development Paradigm"
Gary Kline, Georgia Southwestern State University

Discussant: Gary Kline, Georgia Southwestern State University &
Robert Olson, University of Kentucky

SESSION 6 - 10:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

6.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "Africa: Wild Life Law, Cross-Cultural Euro-African Gender Encounter, and Conflict Resolutions" **Room 440, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Cathy Skidmore-Hess, Georgia Southern University

1. "Gendered Voyages: Encounters with Frances Cobbe and Njinga of Matamba"
Sandra Peacock, Georgia Southern University &
Cathy Skidmore-Hess, Georgia Southern University
 3. "Relevance of Traditional African Resolution Mechanisms"
Anne Nangulu-Ayuku, West Virginia University
 4. "Beleaguered Zimbabwe Government Resorts to Repressive Colonial-Era Methods to Suppress Dissent"
Tendayi S. Kumbula, Ball State University
- Discussant: Cathy Skidmore-Hess, Georgia Southern University

6.2 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 2 "Indian Sub-Continent Political, Economic, and Educational Issues" **Room 442, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Bhim Sandhu, West Chester University of Pennsylvania

1. "Economic Policy of the Hindu Religious Revivalists in India: Exposed to Delusion"
Santosh C. Saha, Mount Union College
 2. "Building Civil Society?: NGOs and Politics in Bangladesh"
Jefferey E. Key, Sweet Briar College
 3. "Indian Economic Reform: An Evaluation"
Kallury C. Reddy, Andhra University (India) &
Yassaman Saadatmand, Armstrong Atlantic State University
- Discussant: Bhim Sandhu, West Chester University of Pennsylvania

6.3 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "The Creation and Transmission of National Identities" **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Lewis Mennerick, University of Kansas

1. "Differing Approaches and Strategies for Teaching about the Third World"
Lewis Mennerick and Mehrangiz Najafizadeh, University of Kansas
 2. "Contestatory Historiography in South Asia: the Islamization of Pakistani Social Studies Textbooks"
Yvette C. Rosser, University of Texas-Austin
 3. "Philippine Nationalists Discourses and the Politics of Global Representation Continuing Relevance of Decolonization in the Third World Academy"
S. Lily Mendoza, University of Denver
 3. "Using the Past to Create the Future: The Belize Arts Council"
Michael Phillips, Brigham Young University
- Discussant: Michael Phillips, Brigham Young University

6.4 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 4 "The Arab-Israeli Relations Since the 1940s" **Room 329, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Robert Olson, University of Kentucky

1. "Social Background Characteristics as Determinant of Political Behavior of the Arab Political Leadership of Palestine Under the British Mandate"
Taysir Nashif, Arabic Reporting Section, The United Nations
 2. "The Turkey, Israel, American Jewish Alliance, 1996-2000: Genesis and Implications"
Robert Olson, University of Kentucky
- Discussant: Robert Olson, University of Kentucky

LUNCH -- 11:45 a.m. - 1:45 p.m.

SESSION 7 - 1:45 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

7.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 2 "The European Union & Latin America: Political/Military Comparisons" **Room 442, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Jeffery M. Elliot, North Carolina Central University

1. "The European Union and Latin America"
Tom Leonard, University of North Florida
 2. "Ideology and Civil Military Relations in Developing Countries: Cuba and Iran"
David Schwam-Baird, University of North Florida
- Discussant: Jeffrey M. Elliot, North Carolina Central University

7.2 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "Israel's War in Lebanon and Land Reform Politics in Third World Nations" **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Abdul Karim Bangura, American University/Howard University

1. "Israel's War in Lebanon: A Case Study of Mirror Imaging"
Abdul Karim Bangura, American University/Howard University
 2. "Politics of Land Reforms in Third World Countries"
Mohamad Z. Yakan, United States International University
- Discussant: Mohamad Z. Yakan, United States International University

7.3 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 4 "Kenya: Political Development, Language Politics, and Modernization Process" **Room 329, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Marcia Jones, Georgia Southern University

1. "From the Outside Looking in: Western Literary Perspectives on African Dictatorships, A Reading of Giles Foden's *The Last King of Scotland*"
Joyce W. Nyairo, Moi University (Kenya)
 2. "Languages, Politics, and Power: The East African Experience"
Chacha Nyagotti-Chacha, Higher Education Loans Board, (Kenya)
- Discussant: Daniel Skidmore-Hess, Armstrong Atlantic State University

**ATWS Executive Council: Business Meeting, Room 542
Tivoli Building, 3:30p.m.-5:00p.m.**

SESSION 8 - 3:45 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

8.1 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 1 "Graduate Students' Panel": "Decentralizing Development: Comparing Trends,
Issues and Outcomes Across Cases in East and Southern Africa" **Room 440 Tivoli Bldg.**

Chair: Franklin Vivekananda, Our Lady of the Lake University

1. "Decentralizing Institutions: A Comparative Analysis of Resource Conservation Outcomes under National Park and Forest Reserve Regimes in Mt. Elgon Forest Ecosystem"

Esther Mwangi, Indiana University

2. "Centralization or Decentralization? A Comparative Analysis of the Impact of Education Management in Kenya and Uganda"

Auma Okwany, Indiana University

3. "Educational Decentralization in South Africa: An Examination of Issues and Outcomes in the Eastern Cape Provinces"

Nolutho Diko, Indiana University

Discussant: Andrew Luma, Palm Beach Community College

8.2 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 2 "Africa in the 21st Century" **Tivoli Building, Room 442**

Chair: Daniel A. Omoweh, Nigerian Institute of International Affairs (Nigeria)

1. "Democracy in Africa: A Rethink in the Twenty-First Century"

Innocent Ojefia, Delta State University (Nigeria)

2. "Repositioning Africa's Economic Groupings in the Twenty-First Century"

Daniel Omoweh, Nigerian Institute of International Affairs (Nigeria)

3. "Rethinking the Non-Intervention Principle As an Antidote to Conflict Resolution in Africa"

A. S. Akpotor, Ambrose Alli University (Nigeria)

4. "Nigeria and the Challenge of Nation Building in the 21st Century"

Tunde Babawale, University of Lagos (Nigeria)

5. "Women and Constitution Making in Nigeria: A Critical Evaluation"

Omolola Isemede, Committee for Defense of Human Rights (Nigeria)

Discussant: Julius Ihonvbere, The Ford Foundation

8.3 PAPER PRESENTATION

Panel 3 "NGOs, Multinational Corporations in the Third World, and Political Changes in Kenya and Nigeria" **Room 444, Tivoli Building**

Chair: John Mbaku, Weber State University

1. "Suppliers to Multinationals: Opportunities for Increasing Manufacturing Capabilities in Less Developed Countries"
Robert Todd, Enrique F. Cahua, Spencer P. Magleby, William C. Giauque, and Carl D. Sorensen, Brigham Young University
 2. "Confronting Change Amidst Challenges: Power and Politics of Constitutionalism in Post Colonial Kenya"
George Ndege, Saint Louis University
 3. "Human Rights in Nigeria: Past, Present, and Prospects for the 21st Century"
Philip C. Aka, Chicago State University
- Discussant: John Mbaku, Weber State University

8.4 MULTI-MEDIA PRESENTATION (VCR Viewing)

Panel 4 "Female Circumcision in the U.S., Israeli-Arab Conflict Video-interviews, & the Third World Immigrants' Life in the New York City" **Room 329, Tivoli Building**

Chair: Robert Hazan, Metropolitan State College of Denver

1. "An Immigrant's Dilemma: The Availability of Female Circumcision in the United States"
Mary Ann Watson, Metropolitan State College of Denver
 2. "Voices for Peace: Videocases of Israeli-Arab Conflict"
Mary Ann Watson, Metropolitan State College of Denver &
Robert Hazan, Metropolitan State College of Denver
 3. "The Other Side of New York City: Third World Immigrants' Life in Urban Setting"
Robert Forms-Broggi, Metropolitan State College of Denver
Video-viewing of *La Ciudad* (the City)
- Discussant: The Audience Participation

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