



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

***The Colonels' Dictatorship, 1967-1974:
Internal and International dimensions***

Institute of International Relations (3-5 Hill Street, Athens)

16-18 June 2017

PROGRAM

LIST OF SPEAKERS



Friday, 16 June 2017

(Working language: Greek)

17:00 **Welcome addresses**

17:15-18:15 **The regime I**

Chair: Evanthis Hatzivassiliou

Speakers:

- Dimitris Keridis
The Colonels' junta and political theory.
- Thanassis Diamantopoulos
The military regime and its internal divisions.
- Antonis Klapsis
The dictatorship's propaganda.

18:15-19:15 **The regime II**

Chair: Panagiotis Roumeliotis

Speakers:

- Spyros Vlachopoulos
The "constitutions" of the dictatorship (1968, 1973).
- Michalis Tsapogas
The rhetoric against corruption and the "Commissioner of the Administration".
- Ioannis Konidaris
The repercussions of the interventions of the dictatorship in the Church.

19:15-19:30 **Break**

19:30-21:00 **Roundtable discussion.**

Coordinator: Constantine Arvanitopoulos

Discussants:

- Thanassis Valtinos
- Theodore A. Couloumbis
- Christos Rozakis
- Stathis Kalyvas
- Alexis Papahelas

Saturday 17 June 2017

(Working language: English)

10:00-11:45 **Comparative approaches**

Chair: Dimitris Keridis

Speakers:

- Charles Powell
The international dimension of Spain's democratic transition.
- Mario del Pero
The Portuguese Revolution, the Cold War and the Southern European "malaise".
- Mogens Pelt
The Colonels' coup 1967 and the military take-overs in Turkey in 1960 and 1971: A comparison.

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- Costas Lavdas
From authoritarian pluralism to illiberal democracy? Southern Europe in comparative perspective.
- Dimitris Thomakos
On the bellicosity of the Military Dictatorial Regimes: The cases of Argentina and Greece.

11:45-12:00 Break

12:00-13:30 International actors.

Chair: Effie G. H. Pedaliu

Speakers:

- Antonio Varsori
Italy and the Greek Colonels' regime from the coup d'état to the fall of the dictatorship.
- Harry Papasotiriou
Nixon's policy towards the Papadopoulos dictatorship.
- Sotiris Rizas
The US, Greece and the transition to democracy in Southern Europe.
- Sotiris Walldén
The Greek dictatorship and the communist regimes.

13:30-13:45 Break

13:45-14:45 Keynote address

Michael Cox

The crisis of the Cold War: Greece and the 1960s revisited.

Chair: Ismene Kriari

14:45-15:45 Break

15:45-17:15 International Institutions.

Chair: Harry Papasotiriou

Speakers:

- Richard Clogg
The propaganda battle in Britain during the eptaetia.
- Effie G. H. Pedaliu
The UN and human rights abuses in Greece during the junta years.
- Eirini Karamouzi
The EEC and the Greek junta: Rise of a political actor?
- Evanthis Hatzivassiliou
The pressures of modernism: Greece, environmentalism and the NATO Committee on the Challenges of Modern Society, 1969-1976.

17:15-17:30 Break

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17:30-19:15 Internal Processes I

Chair: Spyros Vlachopoulos

Speakers:

- Constantine Arvanitopoulos
The junta's attempts for institutional organization and ideological legitimization.
- Haris Meletiadis
From social sciences to the anti-junta resistance: The democratic defence.
- Costis Cornetis
Between Marat and De Sade: Student resistance against the dictatorships of the European south in the long 1960s.
- Konstantina E. Botsiou
The "Karamanlis solution": Plans for a break and a transition to democracy.
- Antigoni Poimenidou
Culture, suppression and censure: The view of the French Foreign Ministry.

19:15-19:30 Break

19:30-21:00 Roundtable discussion.

Coordinator: George Anastassopoulos

Discussants:

- Ioannis Varvitsiotis
- Theodore Pangalos
- Andreas Loverdos
- Thanassis Pafilis

Sunday 18 June 2017

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10:00-11:30 Internal Processes II

Chair: Antonis Klapsis

Speakers:

- Dora Papadopoulou
The political "teacher" Panayiotis Kanellopoulos. Intellectual individuality and political leadership, 1967-1974.
- Evangelia Papadimitriou
Panayiotis Kanellopoulos: Theory and practice of the resistance against the dictatorship.
- Christos Christidis
"Conservatives" versus dictators. Options and dilemmas: Focusing on Panayiotis Kanellopoulos and Heleni Vlachos.
- Giorgos Georgis
George Seferis: The major intellectual response to the dictatorship.
- Dimitris Papadiamantis
A sui generis case of a collaborator of the dictatorship: Ioannis Triantafyllopoulos.

11:30-11:45 Break

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11:45-12:45 *The dictatorship and international relations I*

Chair: Angelos Syrigos

Speakers:

- Eirini Cheila
Dictatorship and international organization: The United Nations.
- Konstantina Maragkou
The “Greek Case” in the Council of Europe: Unknown aspects of the triumph of human rights.
- Alexandros Nafpliotis
Western Europe and the Colonel’s dictatorship.

12:45-13:00 *Break*

13:00-14:15 *The dictatorship and international relations II*

Chair: Dimitris Chrysochoou

Speakers:

- Angelos Syrigos
The foreign policy of the dictatorship.
- Costas Yfantis
The junta’s policy in the Cyprus question: the “logic” of action against the logic of the balance of power.
- Dimitris Apostolopoulos
West Germany and the Colonels’ dictatorship.
- Despoina-Georgia Konstantinakou
War reparations and the colonels’ dictatorship: Using the legacy of the world wars as a means of imposition.

14:15-14:30 *Break*

14:30-15:45 *Dictatorship and international relations III*

Chair: Marilena Koppa

Speakers:

- Spyros Sfetas
Aspects of Greek-Yugoslav relations in the context of the junta’s Balkan policy.
- Manolis Koumas
The colonels’ dictatorship and the Arab-Israeli dispute, 1967-1973.
- Dionysios Chourchoulis
The establishment of diplomatic relations between Athens and Beijing and Makarezos’ visit to the PRC, 1972-1973.
- Anastasios Panoutsopoulos
The African dimension of the Colonels’ foreign policy: Libya, Congo, Central African Republic.

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- Anastasopoulos George, former Vice-President of the European Parliament, former Minister.
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- Nafpliotis Alexandros, PhD, London School of Economics and Political Science.
- Pafilis Thanassis, Member of the Central Committee and Parliamentary Representative, Communist Party of Greece.
- Pangalos Theodore, former Minister.
- Panoutsopoulos Anastasios, PhD Candidate, University of Athens.
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