

# Men of Disorder

*Masculinity, Violence and Urban Networks in the Modern Middle East and Central Asia*

Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg



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## International Workshop, Programme 24 – 26 April 2014

**Thursday, April 24, 2014**

18.00 – 19.45 Kollegiengebäude I, HS 1015

*Welcome address*

**Tim Epkenhans** (Professor of Iranian Studies, Project director, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)

*Keynote/Public lecture*

**Ulrich Bröckling** (Professor of Sociology, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)

*Rackets and racketeers. A sociological approach to 'Men of Disorder'*

20.00 – 21.00 Kollegiengebäude III, HS 3101

*Conference Reception*

*Conveners:  
Tim Epkenhans,  
Olmo Götz*

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**Friday, April 25, 2014 – Liefmann House**

9.15 – 11.45

Session I – *Javanmardi: Framework of Heroizations*  
Chair: **Tim Epkenhans** (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)

**Sivan Balslev** (Tel Aviv University)  
*Javanmardi as Hegemonic Masculinity in Late-Qajar Iran*

**Olmo Gölz** (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)  
*Heroes of Javanmardi – The Advantages of Hybrid Masculinities*

**Pedram Partovi** (American University, Washington DC)  
*Masculinity, Homosociality, and Social Transgression in Iranian Cinema*

Venue:  
Liefmann House,  
Guest house at  
Albert-Ludwigs-  
Universität  
Freiburg,  
Goethestraße 33,  
79000 Freiburg

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Pre-registration is  
required.

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13.00 – 14.45

Session II – *Enforcing Order: Criminal Network-Leaders*  
Chair: **Pedram Partovi** (American University, Washington DC)

**Tim Epkenhans** (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)  
*Masculinity, Crime and Violent Conflict: The Origins of the Civil War in Tajikistan Revisited*

**Tolga Esmer** (Central European University, Budapest)  
*The Precarious Intimacy of Honor in Late-Ottoman Accounts of Paramilitarism and Banditry*

15.15 – 17.00

Session III – *Shaping Normative Masculinities: Uprising in Egypt*  
Chair: **Johanna Pink** (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)

**Hanan Hammad** (Texas Christian University)  
*Representing Masculinity: Futuwwat and Afandiyya in al-Mahalla Revolt, Egypt 1925*

**Wilson Chacko Jacob** (Concordia University, Montreal)  
*The Gender of a New World Order: Modernity, Masculinity, and Sovereignty*

19.30

Conference dinner

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**Saturday, April 26, 2014 – Liefmann House**

9.00 – 10.30

Session IV – *Modes of Urban Violence: Men Defending Boundaries*

Chair: **Demet Lüküslü** (Yeditepe University, Istanbul)

**Aksana Ismailbekova** (Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin)

*Women in Osh after the June Conflict: Male Violence and Women Sexuality*

**Danielle Widmann** (James Madison University, Harrisonburg)

*Mobilizing Muslim Men: Religion, Pluralism, and the Social Imagination of Nonviolence in Indian Slums*

10.45 – 12.15

Session V – *Rethinking Concepts*

Chair: **Wilson Chacko Jacob** (Concordia University, Montreal)

**Demet Lüküslü** (Yeditepe University, Istanbul)

*'Hegemonic Masculinity' as a Keyword for Studying the 1968 Generation in Turkey: A Study on the Masculine Discourse of the 1968 Generation*

**Marko Juntunen** (University of Tampere)

*Masculine, Mobile and Marginal: Moroccan Men between Morocco and Spain*

13.00 – 14.00

*Workshop conclusion*

Round table discussion

## Times

- Thursday 18.00 – 21.00
- Friday 9.15 – 17.00
- Saturday 9.00 – 14.00

## Venue

- Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg, HS 1015, HS 3101
- Liefmann House

