



International Association of Genocide Scholars

July 16-19, 2014

University of Manitoba, Winnipeg-Canada

Conference Papers - Abstracts

Wednesday July 16, 2014

7:30 am Turtle Lodge Excursion- Depart from the Fort Garry Hotel or University of Manitoba

(in front of University Centre) to the Turtle Lodge in Sagkeeng First Nation

- Lunch will be provided at Turtle Lodge

3:00 pm Depart from Turtle Lodge/Sagkeeng First Nation (return to hotels at approximately

4:30)

5:30 pm Bus departs from Fort Garry Hotel for University of Manitoba

6:00 pm Opening Reception in Marshall McLuhan room, University of Manitoba

Reception (complimentary food, cash bar)

7:00 pm Opening Keynote Event, Marshall McLuhan room, University of Manitoba (5

minutes)

- University welcome (5 minutes)

- IAGS welcome and thanks (5 minutes)

- Felix Cardenas Aguilar- Opening keynote address from Vice-Minister of

Decolonization, Bolivia (40 minutes)

Ned Blackhawk (40 minutes)

Q & A (30 minutes)

9:15 pm Return Bus from University of Manitoba to downtown

Ongoing Events

Throughout the conference, please visit the University of Manitoba School of Art Gallery to see:

Photrocity: Mass Violence and Its Aftermaths in the Sovfoto Archive

Thursday July 17, 2014

7:30 and 8:30 am

Buses depart from the Fort Gary Hotel to the University of Manitoba campus

8:00 am Registration opens

9:00 – 10:30 am concurrent sessions

*Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – Genocide's Space, Genocide's Natures

Moderator: Mark Meuwese, University of Winnipeg

- 1. Andrew Woolford, University of Manitoba, "Strange Agents: Non-Human Allies and Settler Colonial Genocide"
- 2. Lyndsey Amott, Legal Aid, Winnipeg, "Germs and Genocide: Did the British use Smallpox-Infected Blankets to Exterminate the Indians?"
- 3. Tasha Hubbard, University of Saskatchewan, "Kill, skin and sell': Buffalo Genocide"
- 4. Natalia Ilyniak, University of Manitoba, "Understanding One Micro-Instance of Colonial Genocide: A Practice in Decolonizing Self and Research"

*Room UC 220 (Russell) – Rwanda and the Space of Peace Building and Reconciliation

Moderator: Borislava Manojlovic, Steton Hall University

- 1. Jobb Arnold, Queen's University, "Rwandan Student Genocide Survivors: Space for Alternatives?"
- 2. Marshal N. Mapondera, Zimbabwe Institute of Legal Studies, "Rebuilding and strengthening local government in a post-conflict state: exposing Rwanda's twenty-year success secret"
- 3. Tim Gallimore, Independent Researcher, "Judicial/Legal Narrative as Reconciliation Space in Rebuilding Post-Genocide Rwanda"
- 4. Regine Uwibereyeho King, University of Manitoba, "'If you knew who you were and who I was, you would not have killed me.' Meanings and Identities of genocide memorial sites in Rwanda explored."

*Room 224a (St. Anne) - Genocide Anxieties and Spheres of Responsibility

Moderator: Peter Karari, University of Manitoba

- 1. Robert A. Lord, American University, "Unindicted: A Contemporary Analysis of French Responsibility for the Rwandan Genocide"
- 2. Emmanuel Nkurunziza, York University, "Amnestied or Wanted? The Burundian Suspects in the Rwanda Tutsi Genocide"
- 3. Rory Pilossof, Waterloo University; Wilfrid Laurier University and Yehonatan Alseh, University of the Free State, "Genocidal Anxieties among White Farmers in South Africa"

Room UC 217 (GSA Lounge) - ARTS

Artist: Osman Ahmed, Ministry of Culture and Youth, Kurdistan Regional Government

11:00 am - 12:30 pm Concurrent sessions

*Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – Genocide and American Indians, 1640-1890

Moderator: Ned Blackhawk, Yale University

- 1. Mark Meuwese, University of Winnipeg, "Frontier War or Genocide? Kieft's War in New Northwest Ordinance of 1781"
- 2. Jeffrey Ostler, University of Oregon, "Just War on Genocidal War in the (U.S) Northwest Ordinance of 1781"
- 3. Benjamin Madley, University of California, Los Angeles, "California and Oregon's Modoc Indians: How Indigenous Resistance Camouflages Genocide in Colonial Histories"
- 4. Discussant: Ned Blackhawk, Yale University

*Room UC 220 (Russell) – Ecologies and Spaces of Genocidal Destruction

Moderator: Daniel Feierstein, National Scientific and Technical Research Council CONICET; National University of Tres de Febrero (UNTREF)

- 1. Louise Wise, King's University; KCL War Crimes Research Group, "Colonial Dimensions of Genocide in Sudan"
- 2. Jeff Stonehouse, Independent Scholar, "Concentrate to Annihilate: Strategy, Massacre and genocide in Rwanda"
- 3. José A, Marimán Quemenado, Universidad de Santiago de Compostela, "Favoring the Existence of Some Indians and Exterminating Others: The Chilean Experience"
- 4. Paula I. Smith and Stephen L. Egbert, University of Kansas, "An Unwelcome Landscape: Impacts of Indian Land Allotment and the Kickapoo Tribe in Kansas as Revealed in Contemporaneous Map Patterns"

Room 224a (St. Anne) – Heroic Movements: Survivors, Rescuers and Resilience

Moderator: Peter Karari, University of Manitoba

- 1. Sarah E. Brown, Clark University, "Women Rescuers During the Rwandan Genocide"
- 2. Bruna Fonseca, Uppsala University, and Andrew Basso, University of Calgary, "Complex Heroes: Social Memory and Contrasting traits of Specific Individuals in Genocide"
- 3. Odeth Kantengwa, National Commission for the Fight against Genocide, Rwanda, "How motherhood triumphs over traumahood among survivors of genocide rape in Rwanda"
- 4. Rubina Peroomian, University of California, Los Angeles, "The Plight of Armenian Genocide Survivors: Within the Context of the Global Issue of Uprooted People"

Room 224b (Souris) – Canadian Settler Colonialism and Memory Spaces

Moderator: Tricia Logan, University of London

- 1. Menachem Freedman, Montreal Holocaust Museum Centre, "A Place where Words Fail: Commemoration and Memorial as an Integral Part of the Indian Residential Schools Settlement Agreement"
- 2. Karen Ella McCallum, University of London, "Redrawing the Boundaries of Public Memory: Indigenous Residential School Survivor Testimonials and their Ideological Translation"
- 3. Charlene Bearhead, Native Counselling Services of Alberta (NCSA), Trina Cooper-Bolam, Aboriginal Healing Foundation; Carleton University, "Healing and/or Reconciliation: Rethinking Commemoration of Canada's Indian Residential School System"
- 4. Stacey Jessiman, Stanford Archaeology Center; University of British Columbia, "Cultural Heritage Repatriation as a Means of Restorative Justice, Affirmation and Cultural Revival for Aboriginal Peoples in Canada"

*Room 224c (Steinbach) – Workshop: Community-Based Approaches to Atrocity Prevention

Moderator: David Simon, Yale University

Workshop Leaders:

- 1. Saghar Birjandian, George Mason University and SCAR's Genocide Prevention Program, "Entry points for prevention through community-based approaches to justice, healing, and reconciliation Uganda"
- 2. Borislava Manojlovic, Seton Hall University, "Individual responsibility and atrocities prevention"
- 3. Bridget Moix, George Mason University; USAID's Office of Conflict Management and Mitigation, "How community-led early warning, early response systems can close the response gap Kenya, Liberia, Burundi, and CAR"
- 4. Tetsushi Ogata, George Mason University and SCAR's Genocide Prevention Program, "Atrocity Prevention Translated at the Community Level"

12:30 – 2:00 pm *Lunch*

Marshall McLuhan Hall: Complimentary Lunch and Genocide Studies and Prevention Journal presentation

2:00 – 3:30 pm concurrent sessions

Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – Genocide Studies and the Continuing Challenge of Genocide Conceptualization

Moderator: Chris Powell, Ryerson University

- 1. Maureen S. Hiebert, University of Calgary, "The Role of Law in the Perpetration of Genocide: Legitimation and the Definition of 'Deviance'"
- 2. Daniel Feierstein, National Scientific and Technical Research Council CONICET; National University of Tres de Febrero (UNTREF), "Indigenous and national Identities: The Risk of a new Racism as Opposed to Assuming Multiple Identities"
- 3. Adam Jones, University of British Columbia, "Israel and genocide"
- 4. Adam Muller, University of Manitoba, "Genocide, International Law, and the Return to Raphael Lemkin"

*Room UC 220 (Russell) - Denial

Moderator: Jack Nusan Porter, The Davis Center for Russian and Eurasian Studies, Harvard University

- 1. Gregory D. Boese, Simon Fraser University, Katherine B. Starzyk, University of Manitoba, and Stephen C. Wright, Simon Fraser University, "A Dark Spot in History and the Mind: Towards a Psychological Understanding of Genocide Denial"
- 2. Augustine Brannigan, University of Calgary, "Labeling Genocide: The Constitutive Problem of Genocide Attribution, Genocide Denial, Missed Genocides and Misclassified Atrocities"
- 3. Miguel Salgueiro Meiro, Universidade do Minho; Portuguese Bar Association, "Criminalizing Genocide Denial: A necessary means to prevent genocide or an unnecessary attack on freedom of expression?"
- 4. Ruth Linn, University of Haifa, Israel, "Genocide heroes never die They are just ignored: What do you know about the escape from Auschwitz?"

*Room 224a (St. Anne) – Representations as/of Genocide

Moderator: Amy Fagin, Independent Scholar and Artist

- 1. Jeremy Maron, Canadian Museum for Human Rights (CMHR) "Barriers of Experience: The Holocaust in Canadian Cinema"
- 2. Amy J. Freier, Western University, "Skin and Bones: Photography as Flesh in the Aftermath of Genocide"
- 3. Arthur Anyaduba, University of Manitoba, "The Uses and Abuses of the Dead: Mass Graves in Boubacar Boris Diop's Murambi Book of Bones"
- 4. Simarjit Kaur, Independent Scholar, "Voices of the Sikh Genocide with Excerpts from Saffron Saffron"

Room 224b (Souris) - Finding Peace in Local and International Space

Moderator: Kimberley Ducey, University of Winnipeg

- 1. Vahram Ayvazyan, Independent Scholar, "Globalization and 'Humane' Culture"
- 2. Peter Karari, University of Manitoba, "The Role of the 4Cs in de-THEMification and Genocide Prevention: The Kenyan Case Study"
- 3. Tushar Kanti Saha, University of Lesotho, "Experiment with Truth and Reconciliation Commission: A South African Perspective"
- 4. Gulstan Abuzeyit, University of Waterloo, "Turning a Blind Eye to the Kurdish Genocide"

3:35 – 4:35 pm Special Guest Presentation

Room 210 (Killarney): The Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada Commissioners Marie Wilson and Wilton Littlechild

4:40 – 6:10 pm *Keynote Lecture*

Room 210 (Killarney): Amy Lonetree, *Decolonizing Museums and Addressing the Hard Truths of Colonization*

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Friday July 18, 2014

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8:00 am Registration opens

9:00 to 10:30 am concurrent sessions

*Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – Workshop: Speech, Violence Prevention: Genocide and the Politics of Denial

Workshop leaders:

- 1. Gregory S. Gordon, UND Center for Human Rights and Genocide Studies
- 2. Gregory H. Stanton, Genocide Watch; George Mason University
- 3. David J. Simon, Yale University

*Room UC 220 (Russell) - Spaces of Dispossession and Displacement I

Moderator: Tricia Logan, University of London

- 1. Suren Manukyan, Armenian Genocide Museum-Institute, "Newcomers and Indigenous: Homogenization of Armenian Homeland as Nation and State Building Project in the Late Ottoman Empire"
- 2. Carroll P. Kakel, Johns Hopkins University Center for Liberal Arts, "Hitler's 'Indian Wars' in the 'Wild East': The Holocaust as Colonial Genocide"
- 3. Sharon Venne, Cree Lawyer and Scholar, and Irene Watson, University of South Australia, "Comparative Stories of Genocide: About the Settler Colonial States of Canada and Australia"
- 4. Chris Mato Nunpa, Southwest Minnesota State University, "Sica Tanka Kin, 'The great Evil': Genocide and the Dakota People of Minnesota"

*Room 224a (St. Anne) – Indian Residential School Records: Creation, Acquisition and Use

Moderator: Kristin Burnett, Lakehead University

- 1. Brenda Elias, University of Manitoba, "The challenge of counting the missing when the missing were not counted"
- 2. Ry Moran, University of Manitoba, "Indian Residential School Records: What has been collected?"
- 3. Karen Busby, University of Manitoba, "The Paper Chase: Using Litigation to Get Indian Residential Schools"
- 4. Camille Callison, University of Manitoba, "Honouring Indian Residential School Archives"

*Room 224b (Souris) – Gendering Genocide Across Time and Space

Moderator: Kimberley Ducey, University of Winnipeg

- 1. Azra Rashid, Independent Scholar/Filmmaker, "Gender, Nationalism and Genocide"
- 2. Emily Sample, Holocaust Museum Houston, "Lysistrata Rising: Women Peace- builders in Post-conflict Uganda"
- 3. Carmelo Domenico Leotta, Università Europea di Roma, "Rape as a Genocidal Act: A Study of ICTR's Leading Cases"

4. Myriam J.A. Chancy, PMLA; Fetzer Institute, "On the Edge of Silence: (*l'in*)-imaginable and (gendered) representations of the Rwandan Genocide in photography and Raoul Peck's *Sometimes in April*."

*Room UC 217 (GSA Lounge) – ARTS

Artist: Sonya de Laat, "Memories Witness: Photographs of unrepresentable suffering after genocide"

10:30 – 11:00 am *coffee break*

11:00 am – 12:30 pm concurrent sessions

*Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – Workshop: An Optional Protocol to the Genocide Convention: A Proposal

Moderator: Gregory Gordon, UND Center for Human Rights and Genocide Studies

Workshop Leaders:

- 1. Gregory Stanton, Genocide Watch; George Mason University
- 2. Jean-François Bussière-Wallot, Genocide Watch; University of Québec

*Room UC 220 (Russell) - Genocide Memory: Time, Space and Movement I

Moderator: Adam Muller, University of Manitoba

- 1. Amy Fagin, Independent Scholar, "Cultures Under Glass: The Evolution of 'The Modern Museum' and the Representation of Indigenous Peoples of the Northeast US. Four Case Studies"
- 2. Karen Frostig, Lesley University; Brandeis University, "The Vienna Project: History, Memory and Participatory Processes"
- 3. Alexander Hinton, Rutgers University, "Darkness into Light: Art, Politics, and Memory at the Tuol Sleng Museum of Genocide in Cambodia"
- 4. Dylan Coleman, University of Adelaide, "Narratives from Genocide to Self-Government Empowerment through a Narrative Storyboard Toolkit"

Room 224a (St. Anne) – The Construction of Rwandan Identity through Time and Space

Moderator: Timothy Gallimore

- 1. Rangira Béa Gallimore, University of Missouri, "Beyond Ethnicity: Cultural and National Identity in Post-genocide Rwanda through Space and Time"
- 2. Joseph Karorero, National Commission for the Fight Against Genocide, "Identity of Border Populations and Regional Stability in East Africa"
- 3. Anastase Shyaka, Rwanda Governance Board, "The Politics of Identity"

*Room 224b (Souris) - Genocide in and through the Media

Moderator: Stefan Wolejszo, Government of Canada

- 1. Maria Paula Kugler, University of Buenos Aires, "News media in the Reorganizing genocides"
- 2. Joel Hughes, Concordia University, "'Not a single Indian': Tracing Assimilationist Ideology in Contemporary Canadian News Media
- 3. Jane Griffith, York University, "Time and Space in the Newspapers of Indian Residential School"
- 4. Jeff Benvenuto, Rutgers University, "The Rhetoric of Genocide: A Discourse Analysis of the IRS System in Major Canadian Newspapers"

*Room 224c (Steinbach) – The Space for Truth, the Time for Reconciliation

Moderator: David Macdonald, University of Guelph

- 1. Janis Judson, Hood College, "A Truth and Reconciliation Commission for American Indian Genocide"
- 2. Bennett Collins, University of St. Andrews, Scotland; University of Oxford, UK and Alison Watson, University of St. Andrews, Scotland, "'The silence is not working for us': Deconstructing the Maine Wabanaki-State TRC and the Canadian TRC within the Context of the Wabanaki Confederacy"
- 3. John G. Hansen, University of Saskatchewan, "Colonialism, Genocide and Indigenous Justice: Indigenous Perspectives on Healing from Colonialism"
- 4. Denis Bikesha, Rwanda National University, "Contribution of Restorative Justice to Memory and Memorization in Post-Genocide Rwanda"

Room UC 217 (GSA Lounge) - Genocide's Present and Future

Moderator: Andrew Woolford, University of Manitoba

- 1. Christopher Powell, Ryerson University, "Genocide and Global Human Society: Past Connections and an Undecided Future"
- 2. Margaret Urban Walker, Marquette University, "Radical Hope and the Aftermath of Genocide"
- 3. Maria Krause, Queen's University, "Institutionalizing Ethnic Identity in Rwanda"
- 4. Stephanie Wolfe, Weber State University, "Rwanda's 'Coming to Terms with the Past'"

12:30 – 2:00 pm *Lunch*

Marshall McLuhan Hall: Complimentary Lunch and IAGS Business Meeting

2:00 – 3:00 pm Special Panel Presentation

*Room 210 (Killarney): A Presentation from the Canadian Museum for Human Rights

3:05 – 4:35 pm concurrent sessions

*Room UC214 (Neepawa) – Genocide: Prevention, Rescue, and Silence

Moderator: Gregory Stanton, Genocide Watch; George Mason University

- 1. Rhiannon Sian Iris Neilsen, University of Queensland, "'Toxification' as a more Indicative Early Warning Sign for genocide"
- 2. Barbara Harff, U.S. Naval Academy, "Genocide Risks in 2014 and Beyond: A New Global Risk Assessment"
- 3. Morton Winston, The College of New Jersey, "Implementing the Right to Rescue"

4. Janja Bec-Neumann, Faculty of European Legal and Political Studies, Novi Sad University, "Zones of Silence"

Room UC 220 (Russell) - Spaces of Dispossession and Displacement II

Moderator: Rochelle Johnston, University of Toronto

- 1. Jeremy Patzer, Carleton University "Dispossession and Disempowerment: Walking the Road to Residential School"
- 2. Stephen L. Egbert, University of Kansas; Haskell Indian Nations University, "A Tyranny Sincerely Exercised for the Good of its Victims': Indian Allotment in the U.S. and the Assimilationist Geographical Imagination"
- 3. Andrew R. Basso, University of Calgary, "Towards a Displacement Atrocities Theory: The Cherokee, Herero, and Pontic Greeks"

*Room 224 (St. Anne) – The Fraught Spaces of Genocide Law and Memory

Moderator: Karen Busby, University pf Manitoba

- 1. Stefan Wolejszo, Government of Canada, "Finding the Core of Illegality: The Canadian Prosecution of Désiré Munyaneza"
- 2. Mofidul Hoque, Liberation War Museum, "International Crimes Tribunal of Bangladesh: Contested Space of a Domestic Trial"
- 3. Arua Oko Omaka, McMaster University, "When Perpetrators become Prosecutors: The Nigerian Government and the International Observer Team in the Alleged Genocide in Biafra"
- 4. Prosper Baseka wa Baseka, Reinwardt Academy, "Rwanda Memorial Museums: The Impact of Displaying Human Remains

*Room 224b (Souris) – Genocode and the Time of Childhood

Moderator: Leslie Thielen-Wilson, Nipissing University

- 1. Ruth Amir, Yezreel Valley College, "Killing Them Softly: The (Non-Death) Genocides of Children in the Twentieth Century"
- 2. Anas Karzai and Marianne Vardalos, Laurentian University, "Kill the Child Save the Consumer: The Genocidal Practices of Corporate Capitalism"
- 3. Diem Lafortune, Singer/songwriter; activist, "Behind the 60's Scoop Reproductive Privacy and the Privatization of Genocide"
- 4. Tamara Starblanket, Native Education College Vancouver, "The Genocide Convention and the Canadian Criminal Code' in Genocide: Indigenous Nations and the State of Canada"

*Room UC 2177 (GSA Lounge) - ARTS

Sarah Jewett, West Chester University, "Exploring Discrimination in Humanity through Art"

4:40 - 5:30 pm Room **210 (Killarney):** Genocide Commemoration: Rwanda: 20 Years

- 1. Images from Rafiki Ubaldo's Temples of Memory (http://templesofmemory.zenfolio.com/iagswinnipeg2014)
- 2. Residential School Survivor Ted Fontaine reads Rafiki Ubaldo's "The Bullet"
- 3. Regine Uwibereyeho King on Remembering

5:30-7:00 pm *Keynote Address*

Room 210 (Killarney): Tony Barta, La Trobe University, "Liberating Genocide"

7:00 pm Dinner

Marshall McLuhan Hall: Complimentary Dinner

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Saturday July 19, 2014

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8:30 am Registration opens

9:00 to 10:30 am concurrent sessions

*Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – The Temporality of Settler Colonial Genocide in Canada

Moderator: Andrew Woolford, University of Manitoba

- 1. David B. MacDonald, University of Guelph, "Canada's Indian Residential Schools: Genocide, Collective Memory, and Reconciliation"
- 2. Leslie Thielen-Wilson, Nipissing University, "Genocide Ongoing: Indian Residential School Case Law, Intergenerational Impact, and the Settler Collective Across Time"
- 3. Tricia E. Logan, University of London, "Métis peoples and Canada: Illegitimate breeding and perceptions of the 'half-caste'"
- 4. Julia Peristerakis, University of Manitoba, "We must separate them from their families': Canadian policies of child apprehension and relocation from Indigenous communities"

*Room UC 220 (Russell) – Genocide Memory: Time, Space and Movement II

Moderator: Mark Meuwese, University of Winnipeg

- 1. Margo Tamez, University of British Columbia, "In the Shadow of the Wall: Indigenous Memory and Truth Confronting Killing Societies in the Texas-Mexico Region"
- 2. Jeremy Garsha, University of Cambridge, "'Reclamation Road': Contention and Reconciliation in Indigenous Genocide Memorials"
- 3. Rochelle N. Johnston, University of Toronto, "Reflections and perspectives on an Indigenist approach to research on genocide"
- 4. Seema Ahluwalia, Kwantlen Polytechnic University, "Practicing Silence, while Resisting Silencing and Complicity: A Settler-witness account of Lakota support for Teaching and Learning about Genocide"

*Room 224a (St. Anne) -- Genocide Education

Moderator: Kimberley Ducey, University of Winnipeg

- 1. Noreen Barlas, University College of the North, "Cross-cultural perceptions, actions and results in a post-genocide Rwanda institution"
- 2. Susan Henderson, University of the West Scotland, "But we saw birds at Birkenau' some salient findings from a socio-material study of learning at Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial and Museum."
- 3. Jessica Herdman, University of California, Berkley, "'I speak to those who understand': Teaching Music and Conflict"
- 4. Lisa K. Taylor, Bishop's University, "Disrupting colonial futurist logics and intimate publics: Dilemmas in reparative and restitutive pedagogies with preservice teachers"

*Room 224b (Souris) – Genocide's Spaces of Memory and Justice

Moderator: Karen Busby, University of Manitoba

- 1. William Pruitt, Elmira College, "Aggravating and Mitigating Sentencing Factors at the ICTR—An Exploratory Analysis"
- 2. Hollie Nyseth Brehm, University of Minnesota; Christopher Uggen, University of Minnesota; and Jean-Damascène Gasanabo, University of Geneva, "Genocide, Justice, and Rwanda's Gacaca Courts"
- 3. Michelle Renae Dragoo, California State University, "'We Are All Rwandans!' Identity, Genocide and Transitional Justice Systems"
- 4. Mohammed Ayub Khan, McMaster University, "Hyderbad 1948: Reviving the Memory of a Forgotten Genocide"

Room 224c (Steinback) – From Counterfactual and Real Time to Contemporary Manifestations of Genocide

Moderator: Adam Muller, University of Manitoba

- 1. Noah Osher, University of Western Ontario; Tamar Pileggi, Open University and Elihu D. Richer, Hebrew University, "Using Epidemiologic Timelines and Wat-if Counterfactuals to Test Choices in Intervention Against Genocide"
- 2. Elihu D. Richer, Hebrew University, "Defeating Boycott-Divest-Sanctions at APHA: A Case Study"
- 3. Tamar Pileggi, Open University, Yoram Finklestein, Elihu D. Richter, Hebrew University, Shaaray Zedek, Jerusalem Centre for Genocide Prevention, "A Century of Gassing Children: From Turkish to Nazi Physicians to Bashir Assad"

*Room UC 217 (GSA Lounge) - ARTS

Amy Fagin, Independent scholar, "Beyond Genocide: Power Point Presentation"

10:30 – 11:30 am Indian Residential School Survivor Testimony

Room 210 (Killarney) – Ted Fontaine, Discussion and Reading from *Broken Circle: The Dark Legacy of Indian Residential Schools*

11:30 am – **12:00** pm coffee break

12:00 – 1:30 pm concurrent sessions

*Room UC 214 (Neepawa) – Cultural Genocide

Moderator: Mark Meuwese, University of Winnipeg

- 1. Miriam Borenstein, Wayne State University, "'The Flag My Dad Died For': Cultural genocide in Northern Ireland"
- 2. Jeff Bachman, American University, "Indigenous Populations, the Omission of Cultural Genocide, and the Inclusion of the Opt-in Clause in the Genocide Convention"
- 3. Elcin Haskollar, Defiance College, "Understanding Ontological Destruction: The Case of Kurds in Iraq and Turkey"

^{*}Room UC 220 (Russell) - Genocide in Canada: Special Issue of the Journal of Genocide Research

Moderators: Jeff Benvenuto, Rutgers University, and Andrew Woolford, University of Manitoba

- 1. Jennifer Huseman, University of London, "Resource Colonialism: A New Frontier in the Ongoing Genocide of Native North Americans"
- 2. Kristin Burnett, Lakehead University and Travis Hay, York University, "Government Policy, Food, and Indigenous People in Northern Canada in the Post WWII Period"
- 3. Nicholle Dragone, Black hills State University, "Exploring the Gendered Dimensions of Canada's Genocidal Indian Status Act through the Personal Narrative of Yvonne Dion-Buffalo"
- 4. Tamara Starblanket, Native Education College Vancouver, "'The Colonial Framework and the Indian Problem' in Genocide: Indigenous Nations and the State of Canada"

*Room 224a (St. Anne) – Explaining and Understanding Genocide

Moderator: Adam Muller, University of Manitoba

- 1. Kjell Anderson, Independent Scholar, "Instrumental and Prejudicial Motives in Mass Hate Crimes: An Assessment of Indonesian Oppression in West Papua"
- 2. Timothy Williams, University of Marburg and Free University Berlin, "The simple complexity of perpetrator motivations an innovative and multifaceted model of why people participate in genocide"
- 3. Ramu Manivannan, University of Madras, "Doctrine of Double Effect and the Genocide of Ethnic Tamils in Sri Lanka"
- 4. Mohammed H. Tofiq, Independent Scholar, "Anfal as Kurdish Genocide"

Room 224b (Souris) – Genocide's Mutations Across Time and Space

Moderator: Regine King, University of Manitoba

- 1. Alexandra Olshefsky, Mcgill University, "Containing Aboriginal Bodies: A Critique of the Safe Streets and Communities Act"
- 2. Lucrecia Molinari, Universidad Nacional de Tres de Febrero, "National Security Doctrine, Counterinsurgency and Repression of Labour Union Movement: El Salvador 1963-1972"
- 3. Marcelo Moreno, University of Buenos Aires, "Architecture and Genocide Physical records of the Genocide perpetrated in Argentina and South America 1492/1983"
- 4. Herbert Ekwe-Ekwe, Universidade de Fortaleza, "Longest genocide Since 29 May 1966"

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