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GENERAL OBJECTIVES, RESEARCH QUESTIONS AND SCIENTIFIC RELEVANCE

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Session 1 Policy Advice and Policy Formulation: Comparative Analyses

Thursday, June 29th 08:15 to 10:15 (Block B 4 - 1)

Discussants

Meng Hsuan Chou (Nanyang Technological University)

Preparing policy designers: Can effective formulation of policies be taught?

Arnost Veselý (Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University)

Regime Institutional Politics, policy narrative and formulating public policy: A study of national advisory council in india

Gopal G Reddy (Osmania University)

G. Ram Reddy (Osmania University)

Institutional Capacities in Agenda-Setting and Policy Formulation in the Philippine House of Representatives

Lorena Fernandez (University of the Philippines)

Whose Order? From Yes Minister to Bottom Up: Health Policy Making in France and Turkey

Ozge Uluskaradag (Concordia University)

Analysis of local tax system formulation process

Masato Miyazaki (Saitama University)

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Session 2 Policy Consultants: Consultocracy or Advisors Like Any Other?

Thursday, June 29th 10:30 to 12:30 (Block B 4 - 1)

Discussants

Caspar VAN DEN BERG (Leiden University)

Trends in Policy Consulting in the Philippines: A database analysis of procurement notices for policy consultants

Kidjie Ian Saguin (University of Amsterdam)

Externalization of Policy and Program Development: the Big Four Accounting-Consulting Firms in Australia in Recent Decades

Michael Howard (University of Newcastle)

Investigating New Data on U.S. Policy Consulting: The American Experience in Comparative Perspective

Michael Howlett (Simon Fraser University)

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Session 3 Policy Advice and Decision-Making: Case Studies

Thursday, June 29th 13:30 to 15:30 (Block B 4 - 1)

Discussants

Nihit Goyal (Yale-NUS College)

Higher education, migration and policy design of the Philippine Nursing Act of 2002

Exequiel Cabanda (Asia Research Institute, National University of Singapore)

Explaining social actors influencing government agenda by adding an institutional analysis of the decision-making arena

Sandra Gomes (Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN))

JOANA TEREZA Moura (Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Norte)

Jenair Silva (Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Norte)

Policy Confusion - Social Cohesion or Countering Terrorism?

Katharine Gelber (University of Queensland)

A literature review on the formulation of public policies in Brazil

Elines Tatianes Pereira dos Santos (Universidade Federal Rural do Rio de Janeiro-UFRRJ)

Biancca Scarpeline de Castro (Universidade Federal Rural do Rio de Janeiro)

Public policy formulation in contemporary Brazil: the role of religious values

Joao Gois (Universidade Federal Fluminense)

Graziela Quintão (Universidade Federal Fluminense)

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Session 4 Policy Formulation in Theory and Practice

Friday, June 30th 08:15 to 10:15 (Block B 4 - 1)

Discussants

Ishani Mukherjee (Singapore Management University)

Between the idea and the reality: what influences public policy development?

Mitzi Bolton (Monash University)

How decision-makers do the 'right choice'? Assessing instruments selection between legitimacy and instrumentality: evidence from the Secondary Education policy in Italy (1994-2014)

Giliberto Capano (University of Bologna)

Andrea Lippi (Department of Political and Social Sciences, University of Florence)

A Game Theoretic Model of Blame Avoidance and Inaction

Ching Leong (Institute of Water Policy, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, Singapore)

Policy-Making for the Long Run: How Actors' Considerations of Long Term Policy Effects Influence Policy Formulation

Philipp Pechmann (Department of Political Science, Aarhus University)