War Economies and Post-War Crime
Workshop
October 21st, 2015
(Sala del Consejo, Edificio Mario Laserna, 8th floor)
9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

9 – 9:15 a.m.
Opening Remarks
Felipe Castañeda (Vice-Dean of Research and Graduate Studies, School of Social Sciences, Universidad de los Andes)
Sabine Kurtenbach (GIGA)

9:15 – 9:45 a.m.
“Laying Out the Problem: An Analytical Framework”
Sabine Kurtenbach (GIGA)
Angelika Rettberg (Universidad de los Andes)

9:45 – 10:10
“Natural resources, war economies and post-war crimes”
Philippe Le Billon (University of British Columbia)

Questions and Comments

10:30 – 10:45
Coffee Break

10:45 – 12:30
Panel “Insights on the Links Between Resource-Related Conflicts and Post-war crime”
Chair and discussant: Angelika Rettberg (Universidad de los Andes)
Judith Vorrath (German Institute for International and Security Affairs – SWP), “Ending violence, transforming war economies? How state(building) and illicit economies are linked in Liberia and Sierra Leone”

Enzo Nussio (Institute of Latin American Studies, Stockholm University), “Ex-combatants and post-conflict violence: Are yesterday’s villains today’s principal threat?”


Sabine Kurtenbach (GIGA), “The Case of Guatemala”

Questions and Comments
12:30 – 2 p.m.

Lunch

2 – 3:45 p.m.
Panel “Institutional Capacity and Responses to Breaking the Resource-Criminality Link”
Chair: Sabine Kurtenbach (GIGA)

Mauricio Romero (Pontificia Universidad Javeriana), “Conflicto armado y descentralización: El desenfreno de la codicia y los recursos públicos en Colombia”

Ervyn Norza (Universidad de los Andes), “Dinámicas de Guerra en Colombia: Análisis comparado desde diez municipios de Colombia”

Christoph Heuser (GIGA), “Contested Statebuilding? Examining Drug Trafficking and Local Legitimacy in Post-War Peru”

Juan Diego Prieto (University of California, Santa Cruz), “Who Captures Whom? War and Peace Economies, Regional Coalitions, and Local Institutions”

Questions and Comments

3:45 – 4 p.m.

Coffee Break

4 – 4:30 p.m.
Concluding Remarks and Next Steps