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New approaches to the global dimensions of (local) politics and conflict in Africa

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This panel presents a range of innovative ways of approaching the global dimensions of African politics, with a particular focus on post-conflict societies. It includes a study of the effect of international orthodoxies on local perceptions of Nigerian counter-terrorism; an exploration of participatory video as a means of amplifying women's perspectives on oil conflict in the Niger Delta; a new approach to the African airport as 'gatemaker' not 'gatekeeper'; a comparative study of the trust in the police in post-conflict societies, in both Africa and Latin America; and an analysis of legitimization work by Chinese NGOs.

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