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The Klau Institute for Civil and Human Rights, which is part of the Keough School, focuses on both domestic and international rights, particularly with regard to the role of race. The institute is proud to support the work of Professor Búzás in the International Race and Rights Lab. Read more at: klau.nd.edu

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** All times in Eastern Standard Time*

8:45-9:00 am	Introduction
	<u>Panel 1</u> Discussant: Jack Snyder
9:00-9:30 am	M. Rodwan Abouharb, Bernhard Reinsberg, and Keyi Tang <i>IMF Programs and the Distributional Politics of Human Rights Repression</i>
9:30-10:00 am	Jana Lipps, Gino Pauselli, and Christoph Steinert <i>Global Scrutiny? Scope and Intrusiveness in Human Rights Monitoring</i>
10:00-10:30 am	Lucy Song <i>Diasporic Nationalism in the Era of Globalization</i>
10:30-10:45 am	Break

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Panel 2

Discussant: Olivia Rutazibwa

- 10:45-11:15 am** Andrew Rosenberg and Caleb Pomeroy
Apertura? Race in (Mainstream) International Relations
- 11:15-11:45 am** Amoz JY Hor and Jittip Mongkolkeha
Who is HR Theory For? Global Orientations Inbetween the Archipelago
- 11:45 am-12:15 pm** Tarsis Brito
Property, Race, and the Making of International Order
- 12:15-1:15 pm** Break

Panel 3

Discussant: Jamie Gruffydd-Jones

- 1:15-1:45 pm** Taegyun Lim and Stephen Chaudoin
Persuasion and Backlash from International Law in Global Swing States
- 1:45-2:15 pm** Stephanie Char and Lisa Fan
Peer Pressure: Interstate Criticism and Human Rights Treaty Ratification
- 2:15-2:45 p.m.** Perisa Davutoglu
Refugees as Leverage: Human Rights Accountability in the Age of Migration Diplomacy
- 2:45-3:00 pm** Break

Panel 4

Discussant: Alison Brysk

- 3:00-3:30 pm** Salvador Santino Regilme
Death Hierarchies in the Global War on Drugs: Narcopunitiveness and Necrostratification
- 3:30-4:00 pm** Maya Van Nuys
The Trend Toward Militarization: How IOs Influence International Police Reform
- 4:00-4:30 pm** Katherine Beall
Latin America and the Linked Human Rights of Individuals and States
- 4:30-5:00 pm** Wrapping up



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