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The Guild Lounge, Scott Hall
Northwestern University
October 10-11, 2014

Conference Program

Friday, October 10, 2014 - 9.30 AM: Welcoming Remarks by Sinan Ciddi, Rita Koryan, and Kent Schull

10.00-12.00: Panel I

Moderated by **Elizabeth Shakman Hurd**, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University
Evren Savci, Assistant Professor, Women and Gender Studies, San-Francisco State University
“Neoliberal Democracy with Teargas: Re-theorizing governance through the “Turkish model”
Discussant: **Nisa Goksel**, Department of Sociology and Gender Studies, Northwestern University
Zeynep K. Korkman, Assistant Professor, Gender and Women’s Studies, University of Arizona
“Beyond the Public Sphere: Intimate Publics of Feminized Divination in Turkey”
Discussant: **Lisel Hintz**, Department of Political Science, George Washington University

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2.00-5.00 PM Panel II

Moderated by **Brian Edwards**, Associate Professor of English, Comparative Literary Studies, & American Studies Director,
Program in Middle East and North African Studies (MENA)
Esra Akcan, Associate Professor, Cornell University College of Architecture, Art, and Planning
“The Architecture of AK Party’s Istanbul”
Discussant: **Hannah Feldman**, Associate Professor, Department of Art History, Northwestern University
Ozge Samanci, Assistant Professor, School of Communication, Northwestern University
“Developing Country”
Discussant: **Sibel Oktay**, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, University of Illinois-Springfield
Christopher Dole, Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology, Amherst College
The House That Saddam Built: Protest and Psychiatry in Post-Disaster Turkey
Discussant: **Orit Bashkin**, NELC and History, University of Chicago (TBC)

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Saturday, October 11, 2014 - 10 AM: Panel III

Moderated by **Kaya Sahin**, Assistant Professor, Indiana University Bloomington
Salih Can Aciksoz, Assistant Professor, School of Middle Eastern and North African Studies, University of Arizona
“Being-on-the-Mountains: Affective Afterlife of War”
Discussant: **Arda Gucler**, Department of Political Science, Northwestern University
Esra Akin-Kivanc, Assistant Professor, Department of Art and Art History, University of South Florida
“Written Sources of Ottoman Art History: A local and Cross-cultural Analysis”
Discussant: **Ipek Yosmaoglu**, Associate Professor, Department of History, Northwestern University

12:00-12:30 PM: Roundtable and Closing Remarks by Ciddi, Koryan, and Schull

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