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## **MASTERS PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAM**

Master's in Contemporary Migrations, Rights and Social Cohesion, UAB/UB; Master's in International Relations – Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI); Master's in Arab and Islamic World, UB; Master's in History and Identities in the Western Mediterranean (15th – 19th centuries), UB/UA/UV/ Universitat Jaume I; Master in Migration Studies, UPF; Master's in Diplomacy and International Organizations, CEI/UB; Master's in International Relations, Security and Development, UAB; Master's in International Studies – Organizations and International Cooperation, UB; Master's in International Journalism, Blanquerna - Universitat Ramon Llull; Master's in Advanced Studies in International Affairs, Blanquerna – Universitat Ramon Llull; Master's in Logistic and International Trade, Universitat Abat Oliba – CEU; Master's in Contemporary Arabic Studies - UAB

## **PLACE**

Conference room IEMed, Girona, 20 - Barcelona and/or  
Zoom and IEMed Youtube Channel

## **TIME**

6.30 p.m.

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## OCTOBER

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### 19 Iran and the United States: new presidents, old same story?

Master's in Diplomacy and International Organizations, CEI/UB

*Anoush Ehteshami*, professor of International Relations, Durham University

*Jordi Quero*, professor at CEI International Affairs and coordinator of the Master's, CEI-UB

Language: English

Zoom and IEMed Youtube Channel

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### 28 Opening of the Aula Mediterrània 2020-21 lectures

*Muntsa Vilalta*, director general for Foreign Affairs, Generalitat de Catalunya

*Senen Florensa*, executive president, IEMed

#### Lecture: Princesses in the Mediterranean in the modern age

Master's in History and Identities in the Western Mediterranean (15th – 19th centuries), UB/UA/UV/ Universitat Jaume I

*Maria Ángeles Pérez Samper*, emeritus professor of Modern History, UB

*Xavier Gil Pujol*, full professor of Modern History, UB

Language: Catalan and Spanish

Conference Room – European Institute of the Mediterranean

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## NOVEMBER

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### 2 Gibraltar: current situation and future prospects

Master's in International Studies – Organizations and International Cooperation, UB

*Alejandro del Valle*, full professor of Public International Law and International Relations, Universidad de Cadiz

*Ana Maria Badia Martí*, full professor of Public International Law and International Relations and director of the Master's, UB

Language: Spanish

Conference Room – European Institute of the Mediterranean

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### 15 Information networks and communication policy on natural disasters in the Hispanic monarchy

Master's in History and Identities in the Western Mediterranean (15th – 19th centuries), UB/UA/UV/ Universitat Jaume I

*Domenico Cecere*, researcher and professor of Modern History, Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II

*Diego Sola*, lecturer of Modern History and coordinator of the Master's, UB

Language: Spanish

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### 23 Borderlands: Europe and the Mediterranean Middle East?

Master's in International Relations – Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI)

*Raffaella del Sarto*, associate professor of Middle East Studies, School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University

*Elisabeth Johansson-Nogués*, associate professor at IBEI, Barcelona

Language: English

*\*to be confirmed*

**30 Transnational is not Diasporic: the Austrian-Lebanese community. National belonging in the age of globalization**

Master in Migration Studies, Interdisciplinary Research Group on Immigration (GRITIM-UPF)

*Paul Tabar*, director of the Institute for Migration Studies and professor in Sociology and Anthropology at the Lebanese American University, Beirut

*Ricard Zapata*, full professor, department of Political and Social Sciences, UPF, and director of GRITIM

Language: English

## DICEMBER

**2 Death in the works of Alia Mamdouh**

Master's in Contemporary Arabic Studies - UAB

*Alia Mamdouh*, Iraqi journalist and writer

*Anna Gil-Bardají*, professor in the department of Translation and Interpreting and director of the Master's degree

Language: Arabic (translation services provided)

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**16 The establishment of the Catalan fishing community in Marseille after 1725**

Master's in History and Identities in the Western Mediterranean (15th – 19th centuries), UB/UA/UV/ Universitat Jaume I

*Daniel Faget*, associate professor of Modern History, Aix-Marseille University

*Jaume Dantí i Riu*, full professor in Modern History, UB

Language: French

## JANUARY

**19 The politics of maritime infrastructures across the Mediterranean**

Master's in Logistic and International Trade, Universitat Abat Oliba – CEU

*Laleh Khalili*, professor of International Politics, School of Politics and International Relations, Queen Mary University of London

*Sergio Rodríguez López-Ros*, vice-rector of Institutional Relations, Universitat Abat Oliba CEU

Language: English

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**26 The new / old cold wars: geopolitics of North Africa and the Middle East in the age of the Arab revolts**

Master's in Advanced Studies in International Affairs, Blanquerna – Universitat Ramon Llull

*H. A. Hellyer*, senior associate fellow, Royal United Service Institute, London

*Lurdes Vidal Bertran*, director of the Arab and Islamic, IEMed, and professor of the Master's degree

Language: English

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## FEBRUARY

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### 2 Young people with a migratory background in the Mediterranean

Master's in Contemporary Migrations, Rights and Social Cohesion, UAB/UB

*Francesca Lagomarsino*, associate professor, department of Educational Sciences, Università di Genova

*Romina Tavernelli*, researcher, department of Sociology, UAB

Language: Spanish

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### 8 The development of intellectual knowledge on the West in the contemporary Arab World

Master's in Arab and Islamic World, UB

*Nieves Paradela*, associate professor of Arabic Language and Modern Arabic literature, Autonomous University of Madrid

*Èlia Romo Terol*, researcher and co-director of the Master's degree, UB

Language: Spanish

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### 16 Iraq in the context of the Middle East

Master's in International Journalism, Blanquerna - Universitat Ramon Llull

*Lahib Higel*, senior analyst for Iraq, International Crisis Group

*Montserrat Arbós*, academic coordinator, department of Humanities, and professor in the Master's degree, URL - Blanquerna

Language: English

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### 24 The Politics of Climate Change and Migration: a Sociological Interpretation

Master in Migration Studies, Interdisciplinary Research Group on Immigration (GRITIM-UPF)

*Gerard Delanty*, professor of Sociology and Social Political Thought, School of Law, Politics and Sociology, University of Sussex, Brighton

*Juan Carlos Triviño*, senior researcher, GRITIM-UPF

Language: English

## MARCH

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### 3 Highly qualified migrations from Southern Europe in times of crisis: gain or waste of brains?

Master's in Contemporary Migrations, Rights and Social Cohesion, UAB/UB

*Yvonne Riaño*, associate professor, Institute of Geography, Université de Neuchâtel

*Sònia Parella*, associate professor, department of Sociology and co-coordinator of the Master's degree, UAB

Language: Spanish

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### 10 The importance of religious considerations in the inceptions and execution of European Union's external actions

Master's in Diplomacy and International Organizations, CEI/UB

*Sarah Wolff*, associate professor of European Policy and International Relations and director of the Center for European Research, Queen Mary University of London

*Jordi Quero*, professor at CEI International Affairs and executive coordinator of the Master's, CEI-UB

Language: English

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## **17** **Choke, push-back and disperse: displacement as a political technology of migration governmentality**

Master in Migration Studies, Interdisciplinary Research Group on Immigration (GRITIM-UPF)

*Martina Tazzioli*, lecturer in Politics and Technology, Goldsmiths University of London

*Zouhair el Hairan*, PhD candidate, GRITIM-UPF

Language: English

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## **24** **Nationalism, Islam and democracy**

Master's in International Relations – Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI)

*Umut Özkirimli*, senior research fellow at IBEI and associate senior researcher, CIDOB

*Eduard Soler i Lecha*, senior research fellow, CIDOB, affiliated faculty member, IBEI

Language: English

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## **31** **Sustainable tourism in the Mediterranean in the post-COVID situation**

Master's in International Studies – Organizations and International Cooperation, UB

*Maria Gavari Barbas*, director of the Interdisciplinary Research Team on Tourism (EIREST), Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne

*Laura Huici Sancho*, associate professor in Public International Law and International Relations and adjoint director of the Master's degree, UB

Language: French (translation service provided)

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# **APRIL**

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## **7** **Rap, dissidence and Arab women**

Master's in Contemporary Arabic Studies, UAB

*Houda Abouz "Khtek"*, Moroccan rapper

*Itzea Goikolea*, postdoctoral researcher, Center for Cultural, Literary and Postcolonial Studies, SOAS University of London

Language: English

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## **21** **Border control in the Mediterranean and refugee protection**

Master's in Contemporary Migrations, Rights and Social Cohesion, UAB/UB

*Violeta Moreno-Lax*, reader in Communitarian Law, Queen Mary University of London, and expert in European Migration Law

*David Moya*, associate professor in Constitutional Law and co-coordinator of the Master's degree, UB

Language: Spanish

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## 28 Greening the desert: environmental imaginaries in Egyptian future fictions

Master's in Arab and Islamic World, UB

*Teresa Pepe*, associate professor, department of Culture Studies and Oriental Languages, University of Oslo  
*Èlia Romo Terol*, researcher and co-director of Master's, UB

Language: English

## MAYO

### 12 Buying Morocco's cooperation in border control? Unpacking the role of aid in the management of the Euro-Moroccan border

Master's in International Relations, Security and Development, UAB

*Lorena Gazzotti*, researcher, Center for Research in the Arts, Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Cambridge

*Blanca Camps-Febrer*, lecturer, faculty of Political Science and Sociology, UAB

Language: English

### 19 Colonial regulationism in the Maghreb from 1830 to 1962: biopolitics of gender, class, and race?

Master's in International Relations, Security and Development, UAB

*Christelle Teraud*, professor of History, New York University and Columbia University, Paris, member of the Center for the History of the XXI Century, Université Paris I and Paris IV

*Blanca Camps-Febrer*, lecturer, faculty of Political Science and Sociology, UAB

Language: French (translation services provided)

### 26 Iran's Turn East: The Socio-Political Implications of Iran's New Foreign Policy

Master's in International Relations, Security and Development, UAB

*Narges Bajoghli*, assistant professor of Middle Eastern Studies, Johns Hopkins University

*Olivia Glombitza*, lecturer, faculty of Political Science and Sociology, UAB

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