

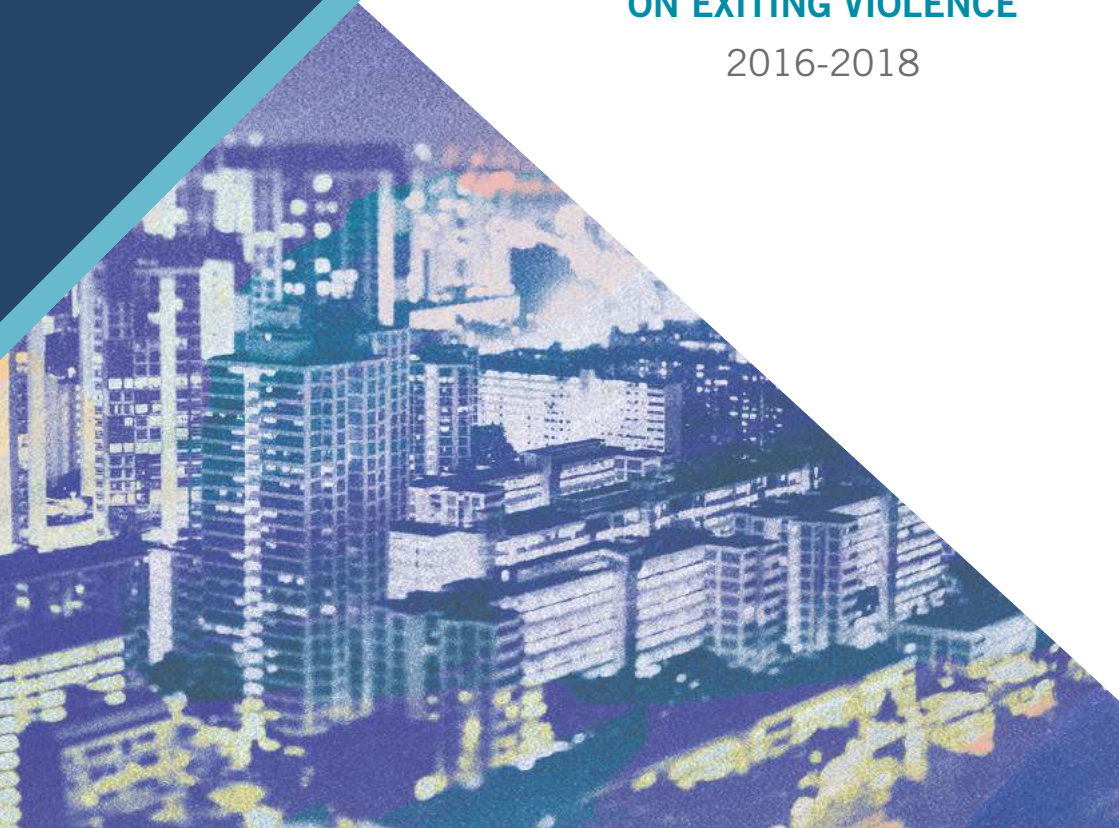


**International Panel
on Exiting Violence**



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2016-2018





THE PANEL

While violence, in all its forms, has always constituted an important object in social science, little research exists on exiting violence.

The International Panel on Exiting Violence aims at bridging this gap and at laying the groundwork for a new research field.

The IPEV project brings together a multidisciplinary community of researchers and specialists who have gained international recognition for their work on contemporary forms of violence. Its objective is to produce an analytical report containing recommendations for political and social decision-makers.



CALENDAR OF MEETINGS

Launch conference and first meeting of the working groups

Paris, France, 18-20 January 2017

Second meeting of the working groups

Hosted by the leaders of the working groups

First semester 2017

Conferences and roundtables with the members

Tunis, Tunisia, July 2017

Roundtables with the members

New-York and Washington DC, United States, 14-15 Novembre 2017

Third meeting of the working groups

Hosted by the leaders of the working groups

First semester 2018

International Conference: restitution of work

Beirut, Lebanon, 20-21-22 June 2018

10 MULTIDISCIPLINARY WORKING GROUPS

◆ **Radicalisation: a comparative perspective**

Under the leadership of Farhad KHOSROKHAVAR, director of studies at the École des hautes études en sciences sociales (EHESS) and director of the FMSH Observatory on Radicalisation, and Jérôme FERRET, Sociology lecturer at the University of Toulouse 1 Capitole.

◆ **Deradicalisation: a comparative perspective**

Under the leadership of Shashi JAYAKUMAR, head of the Centre of Excellence for National Security at the Nanyang Technological University in Singapore.

◆ **Salafism, sectarianism and violence: the new faces of radicalism**

Under the leadership of Mohamed Ali ADRAOUI, researcher at the Middle East Institute of the National University of Singapore.

◆ **Independence, separatism, irredentism and State building**

Under the leadership of Adel BAKAWAN, sociologist at the University of Evry and board member of the Dabran Foundation.

◆ **The role of history and memory in exiting extreme violence and mass violence : comparative lessons**

Under the leadership of Scott STRAUS, political sciences professor at the University of Wisconsin, Madison.

◆ **Public policy against violence: comparative lessons**

Under the leadership of Sandrine LEFRANC, researcher at the Institut des sciences sociales du politique (ISP-CNRS) and Eduardo PIZARRO, professor at the Institut d'études politiques et des relations internationales of the National University of Colombia and Colombian diplomat until 2015.

◆ **Reconciliation and justice: comparative lessons**

Under the leadership of Elisabeth CLAVERIE, Director Emeritus for research at the Institut des sciences sociales du politique of the CNRS and Peter WALLENSTEEN, professor at the Department of Peace and Conflict Research at the University of Uppsala.

◆ **Reconstructing the self: comparative lessons**

Under the leadership of Richard RECHTMAN, director of studies at EHESS, consultant psychiatrist in Paris.

◆ **Women and violence with a gendered approach: MENA region and diaspora**

Under the leadership of Danièle JOLY, Professor Emeritus of sociology at the University of Warwick, and Pénélope LARZILLIÈRE, research fellow at the Institute for Research on Development in Paris, and associate fellow at the School of Advanced Studies in Social Sciences in Paris.

◆ **Roles of strong and weak states in the production of violence in the Arab world.**

Under the leadership of Tarek MITRI, Director of the Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Affairs at the American University of Beirut.

THE REPORT

The panel will produce an analytical report containing recommendations to international, regional and national institutions, policy-makers, representatives of NGOs and practitioners. The goal is to establish joint strategies and identify good practices for exiting violence. These reflections are intended to become valuable insights for a process of exiting violence, promoting citizens' integration and the construction of safe and democratic societies.

A new research field

Current research on exiting violence is still essentially sparse, monographic and confined to certain expertise. It is therefore a matter of meeting the existing critical need for collective and collaborative analysis in order to provide the basis for structuring and laying the foundations of a new research field.

A new approach

Exiting violence, whether avoiding or mitigating it, encompasses a wide range of processes and stages which integrate several levels of analysis, from individual to collective and from local to global, and takes into account the processes involved in the beginnings and exit of violence already experienced in several geographical areas. Particular emphasis is placed on the situation in the Middle East.

Dialogue with policy-makers and practitioners

This reflection is the subject of an ongoing dialogue between researchers, policy-makers and legal and humanitarian players. To this end, the opportunities for exchange will be increased in order to produce and disseminate empirical data, knowledge and debate with a view to informing and guiding public action.



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Within the context of its duties, the Foundation supports the creation of research platforms, which constitutes a priority with respect to its scientific policy. The IPEV project forms part of the Violence and Exiting Violence Platform implemented by the Foundation in 2015 with the aim of fostering research and developing national and international networks in the areas of violence and exiting violence.

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