

Wisconsin Russia Project Young Scholars Conference

June 2-3, 2022

General Information about the Conference:

<https://russiaproject.wisc.edu/wisconsin-russia-project-2022-young-scholars-conference/>

If you will be joining virtually, please make sure you have the most recent Zoom version downloaded: All UW–Madison Zoom accounts and their meeting attendees are required to use the Zoom desktop and/or mobile application version 5.8.6 or later. This requirement does not apply to individuals who use the Zoom web application. [Learn more about this update.](#)

Information on Panels

- A panel will consist of four or five paper presenters, allotted *12 minutes* each; and a discussant, also allotted 12 minutes;
- Remaining time (30 minutes per panel) is for questions and discussion.
- There will be a 15-minute break between panels.
- The chair is responsible for introducing the entire panel and keeping time. There will be a set of printed placards in each room for the chair to use, indicating “5 minutes left” “2 minutes left,” and “Stop.”
- Some panels will be “LIVE” (all panel members are present in Madison), and some will be “HYBRID” (some present in Madison, some participating virtually.) Virtual participants will be able to see and hear the live presentations, and those in the audience in Madison will be able to see and hear virtual presenters. Virtual attendees will be able to ask questions (using the Zoom Q&A function), and virtual presenters will be able to hear questions and respond during the question and answer time. Regardless, all panels will be available to a remote audience through the Zoom webinar links.
- CREECA staff members will be in charge of each Zoom webinar, so that presenters, chairs, and discussants can focus on the content of the conference.

General points:

- In order to efficiently transition from one presenter to the next during each panel, we will be organizing slide decks centrally from UW. Thank you to those who have already submitted your slides. If you have not, please submit your slide deck to russiaproject@creeca.wisc.edu and also to jtishler@wisc.edu ASAP.
- **Note to remote presenters:** because we will be organizing the slide decks centrally from UW, you will not be able to advance your slides manually. You will need to do this verbally, by saying “next” or “next slide.” A CREECA staff member monitoring the Zoom webinar will advance your slides.
- **Note to remote presenters/discussants:** please join the session ~10 minutes before the scheduled start time. A CREECA staff member monitoring the Zoom webinar will make you a “presenter” in the webinar, so that your video and audio will show up for everyone.
- Presentations should be no longer than 12 minutes each. We realize this is a tight time limit, so be sure to focus on your main points in your presentation, leaving detailed evidence and data for later follow-up and, possibly, discussion during the Q&A.

- Virtual participants are encouraged to attend other sessions via Zoom. Please help provide active audiences for other presenters, just as you hope to have for your own presentation!

Zoom links:

All sessions in Room 235 on June 2:

<https://uwmadison.zoom.us/j/98944410132?pwd=QjVhNjNCaIR5aytmZWQxV3NZa3JNUT09>

All sessions in Room 335 on June 2:

<https://uwmadison.zoom.us/j/97639868262?pwd=NVIQUXJaVGh5NVVCUHHcCnBOMkZFdz09>

All sessions in room 235 on June 3:

<https://uwmadison.zoom.us/j/99160328868?pwd=eUoxOHZ2WXZHbk8xUEtWbXBqakZoZz09>