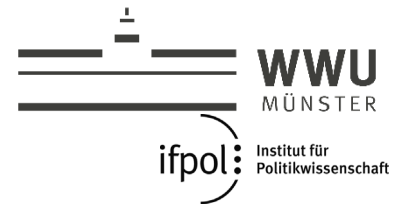


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### Working Group Meeting of the Research Project PluS-i

# Policing from an (inter)national perspective

**Monday, 29 March 2021**

**Background of the project:** The research project PluS-i (Pluralisation of local urban security production; June 2017 – May 2022) studies the heterogenous development of local security production in Germany by interdisciplinary and multi-perspective research. Plural policing is defined as a publicly perceived form of security production and maintenance of different distinguishable stakeholders in congruent, overlapping, or continuous areas of competences. Within the research project, five case studies are conducted to analyse the variety of plural policing in bigger cities in Germany. Not only the variety of stakeholders is studied, relations and differences within the production of security are also examined. The goal is to derive practice-oriented opportunities for action while being in constant dialogue with practitioners.

**Aim of the event:** This PluS-i event aims to obtain a more comprehensive view of plural policing that does not stop at national borders. We specifically invited international colleagues to be introduced to their perspectives on topics such as ‘plural policing in Germany’s neighbouring countries’, ‘citizens and policing’, and ‘public vs. private policing’ in order to compare them with the German point of view.

**Date and “venue”:** Virtual event via Zoom on Monday, 29 March 2021, 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm (European time). Once you have registered for the event, we will send you a link to connect.

**Registration for the workshop:** by email requested by March 22, 2021 to: [Plusi\[at\]uni-muenster.de](mailto:Plusi[at]uni-muenster.de)

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1:00-1:30	<i>Welcoming/Introduction</i>
<b>1:30-2:20</b>	<i>Topic: plural policing</i>
1:35-1:55	Plural Policing from an international perspective <b>Prof.dr.ir. Jan Terpstra, Radboud University, Nijmegen (Netherlands)</b>
1:55-2:05	<i>Plural policing in Germany – an overview</i> <b>Tobias John, University of Münster (Germany)</b>
2:05-2:20	<i>Discussion</i>
2:20-2:35	Break
<b>2:35-3:25</b>	<i>Topic: public and private policing</i>
2:40-3:00	Public and private policing in the USA <b>Seth Stoughton, University of South Carolina (USA)</b>
3:00-3:10	<i>Commercial policing in Germany</i> <b>Dr. Nathalie Hirschmann, University of Münster (Germany)</b>
3:10-3:25	<i>Discussion</i>
3:25-3:40	Break
<b>3:40-4:30</b>	<i>Topic: police volunteers</i>
3:45-4:05	Plural policing within the public sector: the ambivalent case of Dutch voluntary police <b>Dr. Ronald van Steden, Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam and Netherlands Institute for the Study of Crime and Law Enforcement (Netherlands)</b>
4:05-4:15	
4:15-4:30	Police volunteers in Germany <b>Frauke Reichl, University of Münster (Germany)</b>
	<i>Discussion</i>
4:30-4:45	Break
4:45-5:50	<b>Panel discussion</b> among others with Prof. Dr. Gabriele Jacobs (Erasmus University College, Netherlands), Dr. Ronald van Steden, Seth Stoughton, Prof.dr.ir. Jan Terpstra
5:50-6:00	Conclusion and farewell