1. **Some basic concepts to nail down**
   - Sources of power vs power itself as a resource (kaan)
   - The basic idea of IEMP as networks of power
   - *Entwining*: interaction or interpenetration/articulation?
   - Diffuse vs authoritative power: is diffuse power linked to “hegemony”? (Sarah)
   - crystallization
   - collective and distributive power (Kris, Masoud)

2. **General features of the IEMP model and organizational materialism**
   - Mann’s claim of the centrality (primacy?) of power relations/networks in human history (Tamara)
   - Mann’s claim that class (or any other) crystallizations of the state does not have “ultimate” primacy? (Jainana)
   - Relationship between (a) power networks, and (b) strategy, cohesion, systematic action (Sarah, Aaron)
   - Is there really a difference/incompatibility between Mann’s organizational materialism and Marx’s views? (Griffin, Loren)

3. **Military power**
   - Is military power really “autonomous”? (Kurt)
   - How do the police fit in to this? (Pete)

4. **Ideological power**
   - How do *ideas* fit into this analysis? (Youbin)

5. **Coherence of the state**
   - Is the state less coherent today in spite of the state’s invasive role in society? (Samina)

6. **Class formation**
   - Is a transnational class formation for the working class possible? (Courtney)

7. **Colonialism**
   - Mann’s treatment of colonialism and its impact on power relations (Benny)