

BRITISH INTERNATIONAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION

31ST ANNUAL CONFERENCE



UNIVERSITY COLLEGE CORK

Hosted by
The Department of History

18th - 20th December 2006

**MONDAY 18TH DECEMBER: 4 –
5.30pm**

**1.1 WOMEN OF THE TWENTY
YEARS' CRISIS**

Convenor: Lucian Ashworth (Limerick)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Lucian Ashworth (Limerick) 'New Wars for Old': Helena Swanwick and the Feminist Critique of Collective Security

Peter Wilson (LSE) Education, Class and War: 'The Three Guineas' in Context and Retrospect

Owen Worth (Limerick) Accumulating the Critical Spirit: The Legacy of Rosa Luxembourg

**1.2 THE EU AND CONFLICT
RESOLUTION: LESSONS FROM
IRELAND**

Convenors: Matt Cannon (Limerick) and Katy Hayward (UC Dublin)

Chair: Katy Hayward (UC Dublin)

Discussant: Katy Hayward (UC Dublin)

Matt Cannon (Limerick) Evaluating the EU Programme for Peace and Reconciliation: Can We Measure Peace?

Cathal McCall (Queen's, Belfast) Reconfiguring Partition and Escaping the Territorial Cage: the EU and the Irish Peace Process

Etain Tannam (UC Dublin) The European Commission and Northern Ireland: A Policy Entrepreneur?

1.3 OLD AND NEW FORMS OF POWER IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Convenors: Francesco Cavatorta (Dublin City) and Frederic Volpi (St Andrews)

Chair: Maura Conway (Dublin City)

Discussant: Ken McDonagh (Trinity College Dublin)

Khaled Fattah (St Andrews) Modernisation and Development Discourse in the Middle East post-September 11

Adham Saouli (St Andrews) International Politics and Domestic Stability in Lebanon

Frederic Volpi (St Andrews) Political Islam Observed: Disciplinary Constructions

Vincent Durac (UC Dublin) The Influence of External Actors on the Distribution of Power Among Political Actors in Egypt

Francesco Cavatorta (Dublin City) The Power of Civil Society? Evidence from Jordan, Algeria and Lebanon

1.4 EUROPE, PROLIFERATIONS AND ARMAMENTS

Convenor: Andrew Cottey (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Andrew Cottey (Cork) The EU and Non-Proliferation

Daniel Feakes (Sussex) European Responses to the Chemical And Biological Weapons

Katerina Tsoukala (Sussex) Consolidation of the Armaments Sector in Europe Examining ESDP Formation as an Outcome of First Pillar Drive for Economic Security

1.5 GLOBALISATION AND GOVERNANCE IN AFRICA: TRADE, AIDS AND DEVELOPMENT

Convenor: Stefan Andreasson (Queen's)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Ian Taylor (St Andrews)

Stefan Andreasson (Queen's) Shareholder and Stakeholder Interests: The Politics of Corporate Governance Reforms in South Africa

Padraig Carmody (St Patrick's College, Dublin) Breaking the Globalisation-AIDS-Poverty Syndrome (GAPS) in Africa

Andy Storey (University College Dublin) Neo-liberal Norms: the EU, 'Everything But Arms' (EBA) and Africa

1.6 WORKERS, MULTI-NATIONAL CORPORATIONS AND GLOBAL POLITICS

Convenor: Irene Lynch-Fannon (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Olufemi Amao (Cork) Multinational Oil Corporations and Nigeria

Elaine Dewhurst (Cork) Avoiding Regulation: Corporations and Migrant Workers

Irene Lynch Fannon (Cork) The Corporation and the Worker: A Question of Regulation, Ethics and Responsibility

1.7 ISSUES IN IRISH POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Orla Lynch (Cork) Muslim Youth Identity: The Case of the UK and Ireland

Diarmuid Whelan (Cork) McCarthyism in Ireland? Garrett Fitzgerald, Ireland and the Cold War

Maurice Fitzgerald (Loughborough) Ireland and the EC, 1966 to 1973

1.8 THEORISING SOVEREIGNTY (SAID)

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL) and Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: Alex Gourevitch (Columbia)

Discussant: Alex Gourevitch (Columbia)

Hidemi Suganami (Aberystwyth) Understanding Sovereignty through Kelsen and Schmitt

Tanja Aalberts (Vrije University, Amsterdam) Sovereignty as Discipline

Philip Cunliffe (KCL) Why is there so much International Theory? Agency and Sovereignty in IR

Silviya Lechner (Aberystwyth) Sovereignty: What to Criticise and How to Do It.

1.9 CO-OPERATION AND CONFLICT IN OUTER SPACE

Convenor: Jill Stuart (LSE)

Chair: Natalie Bormann (Watson Institute, Browns University)

Discussant: tbc

Bhavini Rama (KCL) and **Anna Hill** (Space Synapses, Ltd) International Co-operation and Space Synapse Systems

Alexander Kelle (Queen's, Belfast) Explaining the International Non-Regime to Prevent the Weaponisation of Space

Stephanie Carvin (LSE) Relics in Outer Space? The Legacy of Cold War Space Treaties

Matt Cannon (Limerick) Policymaking in a Vacuum: International Implications of Space

1.10 POLITICISING INTERNATIONAL LAWS: SOVEREIGNTIES, SUBJECTIVITIES AND HUMAN RIGHTS (I)

Convenor: Yoke-Lian Lee (Keele)

Chair: Andrew Neal (Keele)

Discussant: David Mutimer (Bradford)

Aidan Hehir (Sheffield) An Enquiry into the Effect of the Rhetoric and Practice of States Engaged in the 'War on Terror' on the Legal Status of Sovereignty

Yoke-Lian Lee (Keele) 'Sexing the Subject of Law': Women, Sovereignty and the State

Marijana Sevo (Keele) Interventions, Enemies, Exceptions: Kosovo as a Historical Movement

Diarmuid Maguire (Sydney) Sovereignty and Society: Spatial Openings and Transnational Contestation

1.11 STATES/SPACES OF EXCEPTION AND WORLD POLITICS (NASPIR)

Convenor: David Black (Bristol)

Chair: Veronique Pin-Fat (Aberystwyth)

Discussant: Veronique Pin-Fat (Aberystwyth)

David Black (Bristol) and **Lara Coleman** (Bristol) Ruling by Exception: Gendered Policing and Violence in the Neoliberal Order

Laura Guillaume (Aberystwyth) Speaking and Subjectivity in a State of Exception: (De)humanisation and Guantanamo Bay

Laura Shepherd (Birmingham) 'To Save Succeeding Generations from the Scourge of War': The US, the UN and the Violent Reproduction of the International

1.12 RETHINKING IDENTITY IN EAST ASIA: CHINA'S SELF-IMAGE AND THE STATUS OF TAIWAN

Convenors: Ching-Chang Chen (Aberystwyth) and Oystein Tunsjo (Aberystwyth)

Chair: Joel Campbell (Kansai Gaidai University, Japan)

Discussant: Joel Campbell (Kansai Gaidai University, Japan)

Yih-jye Hwang (Aberystwyth) Japan in the Formation of Taiwanese National Identity

Kelvin Cheung (Manchester) Globalisation and the Discursive Construction of Chinese Identity

Ching-Chang Chen (Aberystwyth) Giant Pandas Can be Dangerous

Oystein Tunsjo (Aberystwyth) Nixon, Kissinger and the Discursive Status of Taiwan

1.13 OLD MEDIA IN NEW WARS (ICWG)

Convenor: Maura Conway (Dublin City)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Gregory Kent (Roehampton) Reappraising the Role of the Media in the Kosovo Crisis: A Critique of Communication Studies Approaches to the Study of War and Media

Lene Hansen (Copenhagen) The Clash of Cartoons? The Clash of Civilisations? Media, Genre and Identity in the Danish 2006 Cartoon Crisis

Chris Paterson (Ulster) The Failure of International Law in the Protection of Media Workers in Iraq

Laura Roselle and Brooke Barnett (Elon, North Carolina) Patriotism in the American News: The Effect of an Uncritical American Public on International Relations

1.14 GLOBAL RESISTANCE AND IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Tim Montgomery (Sheffield) Donaldson, Dudayev and Daddach: Three Resisters and Global Power

Karen Buckley (Limerick) Multitude and the Post-Modern Prince: Conceptualising Global Resistance

Ronnie Hjorth (Linköping, Sweden) Civil Disobedience in the Society of States

1.15 HUMAN SECURITY AS FOREIGN POLICY: PERSPECTIVES AND CHALLENGES

Convenor: Mary Martin (LSE)

Details tbc

1.16 THE POLITICS OF GLOBAL CIVIL SOCIETY

Convenor: Anna Stavrianakis (Bristol) and Kyle Grayson (Newcastle)

Chair: Kyle Grayson (Newcastle)

Discussant: Kyle Grayson (Newcastle)

Anna Stavrianakis (Bristol) NGO Critiques of the UK Arms Trade

Ryerson Christie (York, Canada) The Human Security Dilemma: The Clash of Human Security and Civil Society Discourses

Liam O'Hagan (Queen's, Belfast) Fig Leaves and Angst: The Possibilities of Securing Humanitarianism

Thomas Richard Davies (Oxford) The Rise and Fall of Transnational Civil Society

1.17 POLITICAL ECONOMIES OF AMBIGUITY (IPEG)

Convenors: Louise Amoore (Durham) Paul Langley (Northumbria)

Chair: Matt Davies (Newcastle)

Discussant: Ritu Vij (Aberdeen)

Louise Amoore (Durham) Pre-emption, Decision and Pre-emptive Decision

Jacqueline Best (Ottawa) Governing Ambiguity as Uncertainty

Paul Langley (Northumbria) Financial Inclusion/Exclusión

Plenary Lecture 6pm: Professor Phil Cerny - 'Multi-Nodal Politics: Transnational Neopluralism in a Globalizing World'

TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER: 9 – 10.30am

2.1 ISSUES IN BRITISH FOREIGN POLICY (BFPWG)

Convenor: Tim Oliver (LSE)

Chair: Dave Allen (Loughborough)

Discussant: Dave Allen (Loughborough)

Rhiannon Vickers (Sheffield) Harold Wilson, the Labour Party and the War in Vietnam

Elahe Mohtasham (Independent Researcher) Realism and Idealism in the UK's Nuclear Arms Control, Disarmament and Non-Proliferation Politics: A Comparative Historical Analysis

Tim Oliver (LSE) Britain and the New Transatlantic Agenda

Lisbeth Aggestam (Cambridge) Britain - A Promiscuous Ally

2.2 INTERNATIONAL DEMOCRACY PROMOTION

Convenor: Christine Cubitt (Bradford)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Nana Poku (Bradford)

David Chandler (Westminster) Empowering Africa?

Ian Taylor (St Andrews) Constructing the 'Virtual Peace': The Liberal Peace Project in 'Post-Conflict' Sierra Leone

Cristina Barrios (LSE) Exploring the Motivations of American Democracy Promotion

Christine Cubitt (Bradford) Democracy Promotion in Africa: A Panacea for Conflict-Torn Societies?

2.3 THE HIGH POLITICS OF THE ENVIRONMENT

Convenor: Hugh Dyer (Leeds)

Chair: Hugh Dyer (Leeds)

Discussant: tbc

Chukwumerije Okereke (East Anglia) Equity and the Selection of Norms in International Environmental Agreements

Hannes Stephan (Keele) The Civilisational Aspects of Environmental Conflicts

David Humphreys (Open) Public Goods, Neoliberalism and the Crisis of Deforestation

John Vogler (Keele) The High Politics of Climate Change

Maria Julia Trombetta (Oxford Brookes) Environmental Security and the EU as a Security Actor

2.4 WHAT'S AT STAKE IN STATEBUILDING? (1)

Convenor: David Chandler (Westminster)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Augustine Parks (York, Canada) Sovereignty and the Post-Colony: The Tensions of post-Conflict Recovery in Sierra Leone

Stacy Closson (LSE) The Nexus of the Weak State and International Security: It All Depends on the Location of Sovereignty

Christopher Bickerton (Oxford) State-Building as State Failure

David Chandler (Westminster) Governance without Government

2.5 FUTURE FOR BRITISH DEFENCE POLICY

Convenor: Andrew Dorman (KCL)

Chair: Colin McInnes (Aberystwyth)

Discussant: tbc

Warren Chin (KCL) Reflections on the GWOT

Matt Utley (KCL) The Transformations of Acquisitions and Logistics

Andrew Dorman (KCL) Britain and Nuclear Weapons

2.6 SOUTH-EAST ASIAN SECURITY

Convenor: Alan Collins (Swansea)

Chair: Mike Sheehan (Swansea)

Discussant: tbc

Alan Collins (Swansea) ASEAN Security Community: Role of Civil Society

Joern Dosch (Leeds) The Securitisation of ASEAN's External Relations with China, Japan, the US and the EU

Jurgen Haake (LSE) The Security and Foreign Policy of a Weak Pariah State: Myanmar Under SPDC Rule

Hoang Vu Le Thai (Leeds) Hegemonic Stability Theory and Indochina after the Cold War

2.7 IS IT TIME FOR A CRITICAL TERRORISM STUDIES? (CTSWG)

Convenor: Richard Jackson (Manchester)

Roundtable Chair: Richard Jackson (Manchester)

Participants:

Jereon Gunning (Aberystwyth)

George Kassimeris (Wolverhampton)

Ruth Blakeley (Bristol)

Jason Franks (St Andrews)

2.8 THE POLITICS OF THE WTO

Convenor: Hardeep Basra (Birmingham)

Chair: Donna Lee (Birmingham)

Hardeep Basra (Birmingham) The Politics of WTO Accession

Sonia Boutillon (Cambridge) Developing Countries and the WTO: Coalitions and Competition

Fiona Smith (UCL) Reconciling the Irreconcilable: Law, Politics and Non-Trade Concerns in the WTO Agreement on Agriculture

Torsten Henericson-Bell (Cambridge) The Politics of Changing Attitudes Towards Special and Differential Treatment Since the Uruguay Round

Valbona Muzaka (Sheffield) The Global Intellectual Property Regime and Big Pharmaceutical Companies

2.9 POLITICISING INTERNATIONAL LAWS: SOVEREIGNTIES, SUBJECTIVITIES AND HUMAN RIGHTS (III)

Convenor: Yoke-Lian Lee (Keele)

Chair: Marijana Sevo (Keele)

Discussant: tbc

Anna Carline (Liverpool John Moores) International Law and Cultural Translations: (Un)Intelligible Women and Universal Rights

Sharron FitzGerald (Keele) Neo-Colonial Anxiety and the Sub-Altern: Problematizing Legal responses to Human Trafficking

Zoe Pearson (Keele) Privileging International Law: Regulatory Spaces of Human Trafficking

2.10 HISTORICAL AND THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES ON THE JUST WAR TRADITION

Convenor: Patrick Hayden (St Andrews)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Anthony Lang (St Andrews) Is Just War a Christian Concept?

Patrick Hayden (St Andrews) Is There a Rawlsian Contribution to Just War Tradition?

John Williams (Durham) The Borders of a 'Just War'

Serena Sharma (LSE) Is There a Need to Reconceptualise the *Jus ad Bellum/Jus in Bello* Distinction?

2.11 VALUES AND US FOREIGN POLICY AFTER THE IRAQ INVASION (USFPWG)

Convenor: John Dumbrell (Leicester)

Chair: John Dumbrell (Leicester)

Discussant: tbc

Richard Lock-Pullan (Birmingham) Realism and Religion in Contemporary US Foreign Policy

Jason Ralph (Leeds) Mugged by Reality? The Neoconservatives and Democracy Promotion after Iraq

Lee Marsden (East Anglia) Christian Zionism and US Policy in the Middle East

2.12 HEGEMONY TODAY

Convenor: Lee Jarvis (Birmingham)

Chair: Thomas Diez (Birmingham)

Discussant: Jill Steans (Birmingham)

Daniela Tepe (Birmingham) Gramscian Hegemony and Supranationally Operating Civil Societal Actors

Felix Hauf (Johann Wolfgang Goethe Universitaet, Germany)

New Gender Regimes in Post-Fordist Hegemony

Emily Pia (Birmingham) Hegemony and the Sub-Altern:

Discourse on Migration

Lee Jarvis (Birmingham) Articulating Freedom: Hegemony and the War on Terror

Thomas Diez (Birmingham) Hegemony and Normative Power Europe

2.13 CRITICAL SECURITY STUDIES: BEYOND COPENHAGEN

Convenor: Matt McDonald (Birmingham)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Michael Williams (Aberystwyth)

Claudia Aradau (KCL) Politics Out of Security: Thinking Transformation in Critical Security Studies

Matt McDonald (Birmingham) The Copenhagen School and the Construction of Security

Christopher Browning (Keele) and **Matt McDonald** (Birmingham) Securitisation and Emancipation

2.14 REALISM VERSUS CONSTRUCTIVISM IN IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Brent Steele (Kansas) The Reflexive Realists

David Ryan (Cork) Realism and Reconsiderations of US Strategy After Vietnam

Paul Hayman (Durham) Theoretical Territory: Constructivism and the Consequences of Division

Catherine Gegout (Nottingham) Explaining European Intervention in Africa: More than Realism versus Constructivism?

Jodie Hobbs (Exeter) Constructivism and Psychology in IR

2.15 INTEGRATION OR MARGINALISATION? RETHINKING AFRICA'S RELATIONS WITH THE NON-AFRICAN WORLD

Convenor: Rebecca Davies (Plymouth)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Patrick Holden (Plymouth) Feeling Gravities Pull: North Africa's Incorporation into Euro-Mediterranean Space

Noah Bassil (Macquarie University, Australia) The Colonial Legacy and the Causes of Conflict in Darfur

Rebecca Davies (Plymouth) The Global Politics of the African Diaspora: Neo-Liberal Globalisation and the Crisis of Neo-Patrimonialism

Moya Collett (UNSW Sydney) Networks of Conflict in West Africa: The Impact of International Norms

2.16 WHO ACTS? STATE AGENCY IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Convenors: Marjo Koivisto (LSE) and Simona Manea (LSE)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Colin Wight (Exeter)

Felix Berenskoetter (LSE) The Importance of Identifying With: State Actorness as the Search for Friends in the International System

Marjo Koivisto (LSE) 'States Aren't People Too': Social Action and the Emergent Properties of the State

Simona Manea (LSE) Making Sense of Agency with a View of the State as a Processual Entity

Georgios Evangelopoulos (LSE) Theories of Consciousness and State Agency

2.17 EUROPE AND THE NEW GLOBAL SECURITY AGENDA

Convenor: Andrew Cottey (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Jocelyn Mawdsley (Newcastle) The European Security Strategy: Re-inventing European Imperialism?

John Kotsopoulos (Kent) A Human Security Agenda for Europe: EU Foreign Policy Opportunities After the Failure of the Draft Constitution

Maria Malksoo (Cambridge) A Postmodernist Security Imaginary in the Making: 'New European' Responses to the New Global Security Agenda

Ozgur Unal Eris (University of Bahcesehir, Turkey) The EU, Turkey and Security

**TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER: 11 –
12.30pm**

3.1 MILITARY FORCE AND IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Sergio Catignani (KCL) The Utility of Military Force in International Politics: An Assessment of the Counter-Insurgency Campaigns in Iraq and Israel

Ed Lock (UWE) The Politics of Strategic Power: Lessons from Iraq

Andrew Mumford (Sheffield) Rethinking the Malayan Emergency: British Counter-Insurgency Lessons for Iraq

Daniel Street (Leicester) Private Military Companies (PMCs) and the Outsourcing of Western Military Intervention

**3.2 WHAT'S AT STAKE IN
STATEBUILDING? (2) Issues for the
*Journal of Intervention and Statebuilding***

Convenor: David Chandler (Westminster)

Chair: Christopher Bickerton

Discussants:

David Chandler (Westminster)

Vanessa Pupavac (Nottingham)

Richard Caplan (Oxford)

Philip Cunliffe (KCL)

**3.3 DIFFERING CONCEPTIONS OF
SOVEREIGNTY: RUSSIA, EUROPE
AND THE MIDDLE EAST (SAID)**

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL) and Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: Alex Gourevitch (Columbia)

Discussant: Alex Gourevitch (Columbia)

James Heartfield (Westminster) The Unpatriotic Bourgeoisie: How Theories of International Relations Misread European Integration

Elizabeth Teague (Foreign Office) The Concept of 'Sovereignty' in Contemporary Russian Political Discourse

Clemens Hoffman (Sussex) The Creation of Modern Sovereignty in the Middle East: Geopolitical Plurality as a Pre-Modern Historical Legacy

**3.4 THE MOMENT OF COMPLEXITY?
IMPLICATIONS OF THE
EMERGENCE OF A NEW SCIENTIFIC
PARADIGM FOR THE STUDY OF
GLOBAL POLITICS (I) (CRIPT)**

Convenor: Angharad Closs Stephens (Keele)

Chair: Tara McCormack (Westminster)

Discussant: tbc

Frank Madsen (Cambridge) Complexity, Transnational Organised Crime and Terrorism: Can Notions from the Edge of Chaos Help us Understand?

Antoine Bousquet (LSE) Complexity Goes to War? Network-Centric Warfare and the Non-Linear Sciences

Andrew Lang (Cambridge) and **Rosie Cooney** (Australian National) Learning to Learn at the WTO: Complexity, Uncertainty and Governance of the Global Trading System

Howard Loewen (German Institute of Global and Area Studies, Hamburg) Chaos and Order: Chances and Limits of Applying Theories of Complexity to Regional Co-operation in East Asia

3.5 CRITICAL APPROACHES TO OUTER SPACE

Convenor: Jill Stuart (LSE)

Chair: Jill Stuart (LSE)

Discussant: tbc

Columba Peoples (Swansea) Haunted Dreams: Critical Theory and the Militarisation of Space

Natalie Bormann (Watson Institute, Brown University) Whose 'Junk'? Whose Responsibility? Space Debris and the Ontological Drama of Technology

Stephanie Carvin (LSE) Science Fiction or Science Fantasy? The gendered Prtrayal of Aliens and the Discourse of Dominance in Outer Space

Mike Sheehan (Swansea) Leaving the Cradle: Space, Imagination and International Politics

3.6 REGIONAL SECURITY CULTURES AND TRANSNATIONAL CHALLENGES IN AFRICA AND ASIA

Convenors: Jurgen Haacke (LSE) and Paul Williams (Birmingham)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Jurgen Haacke (LSE) and **Paul Williams** (Birmingham) Thinking About Regional Security Culture

Jurgen Haacke (LSE) Regional Security Culture in Southeast Asia: How ASEAN and the ARF Deal With Transnational Challenges

Paul Williams (Birmingham) Regional Security Culture in Africa and the Crisis in Darfur

Daniela Passolt Olimpio (LSE) Co-operation within the Shanghai Co-operation Organisation: Signs of an Evolving Regional Security Culture?

3.7 ANGLO-AMERICAN AND ANGLO-SOVIET RELATIONS IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY (BIHG)

Convenor: Edward Johnson (Central England)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Greg Kennedy (KCL/JSCSC) Culture, Finance and War: Anglo-American Views of China's Ability to Wage Modern Industrial Warfare Against Japan, 1937-1941

Martin Folly (Brunel) An Alliance of the Usual Kind? Anglo-American-Soviet Relations and the Fighting and Winning of the Second World War

Sean Greenwood (Canterbury) Gladwyn Jebb and the Creation of NATO, 1948-1949

Geoffrey Warner (Oxford) Britain, the USA and the Cold War, 1950-1951

3.8 EUROPE AND TERRORISM (I)

Convenor: Andrew Cottey (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Christoph Meyer (Birkbeck) Constructing a European Counter-Terror Strategy: Do Intra-European Differences in Threat Perceptions and Strategic Culture Matter?

Lyndsey Power (Cork) Responding to Terrorism post-9/11: The Case of the EU

Raphael Bossong (LSE) EU Foreign Policy Discourse in Response to International Terrorism

3.9 PROPERTY AND VALUE (IPEG)

Convenor: Earl Gammon (Sussex)

Chair: Jacqueline Best (Ottawa)

Discussant: Jacqueline Best (Ottawa)

Duncan Wigan (Sussex) Financialised Accumulation? Credit Derivatives, Property and the Corporation

James Perry (Vrije University, Amsterdam) Production or Appropriation? The Political Economy of Intangible Assets

Earl Gammon (Sussex) Property, Providence and the End of Stewardship

3.10 THE INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY OF FINANCIALISATION

Convenors: Or Raviv (Sussex) and Johnna Montgomerie (Sussex)

Chair: Randall Germain (Carleton)

Discussant: Randall Germain (Carleton)

David Hudson (UCL) The Financialisation of the Poorest? The Case of Remittances

Or Raviv (Sussex) Predatory Finance and the Financialisation of the Periphery

Mariana Jimenez-Huerta (Manchester) Coping in the Global Financial System: The International Political Economy of Dollarisation in Mexico

Claes Belfrage (Birmingham) Tendential Neoliberalisation and Financialisation in the Swedish Economy: Reproduction and Resistance with Pension Reform

3.11 THE DYNAMICS OF CONTEMPORARY INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY (English School)

Convenor: Barry Buzan (LSE)

Chair: Barry Buzan (LSE)

Discussant: Tim Dunne (Exeter)

Jaewon Lee (Denver) Pluralist, Solidarist and Liberal Anti-Pluralist Facets of International Society as a Whole and Their Relative Impacts on Paths to Democracy in the Era of the Post-Cold War and 21st Century

Nicholas Kerton-Johnson (Bristol) The Justifications for, and Practice of, Military Intervention: Retreating World Society?

Emma Haddad (European Commission) The Refugee and the International Community: Externalising Refugee Policy to Maintain the Status Quo

Wali Aslam (Leeds) Operation Iraqi Freedom: The United States and the Idea of 'Great Power Responsibility' in International Society

3.12 NATIONAL FOREIGN POLICIES IN THE EU (I)

Convenor: Ludovica Marchi (Reading)

Chair: Ludovica Marchi (Reading)

Discussant: Ben Tonra (UC Dublin)

Aleksandra Krakiewicz (Oxford) Has the World Really Changed? The Use of Armed Force in European National Policies After 11 September

Kai Oppermann (Cologne) Salience and Sanctions: A Principal-Agent Analysis of Domestic Win-Sets in Two-Level Games

Rebecca Adler-Nissen (Copenhagen) Opting Out and Losing Influence? A Comparative Analysis of the Impact of the British and Danish EU Opt-Outs

Henrik Larsen (Copenhagen) The Danish Mohammed Cartoon Crisis and the Role of the EU

3.13 RADICAL ISLAM: THE FOREIGN POLICY DIMENSION

Convenor: Caroline Soper (Chatham House)

Chair: Claire Spencer (Chatham House)

Discussant: Maha Azzam (Chatham House)

Shane Brighton (Chatham House) Processes of Radicalisation: The Case of British Muslims

Rosemary Hollis (Chatham House) What Enrages So?

Contemporary British Policy in the Middle East

Richard Whitman (Chatham House) Can the EU Lead Policy in the Middle East?

3.14 THEORETICAL ISSUES IN POLITICS AND IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Florian Wastl (LSE) The Construction of Explanation and Understanding as an Insuperable Divide in International Relations: Problems and Departures

Harry Bauer (LSE) and **Elisabetta Brighi** (European University Institute, Italy) International Relations and the Pragmatist Turn

Badredine Arfi (Florida) Uncovering the 'Constitutive' Role of Trust in IR Order

John Fitzpatrick (Flinders University, Australia) Empire and the Origins of the 'Modern International System'

Michael O'Flynn (Limerick) Their Freedoms and Ours: On the Genesis and Logic of the Neo-Liberal Conception of Freedom

3.15 WRITING POWER: AUTHORSHIP, AUTHORITY AND SECURITY NARRATIVES

Convenor: Kyle Grayson (Newcastle)

Chair: Kyle Grayson (Newcastle)

Discussant: David Mutimer (York, Canada)

Elizabeth Dauphinee (Manchester) The Ethics of Researching Violence

Laura Shepherd (Birmingham) Power and Authority in the Production of UN Security Council Resolution 1325

Kyle Grayson (Newcastle) At a Loss for Words: Rewriting Security

3.16 RETHINKING SECURITY IN EAST ASIA & THE ROLE OF JAPAN

Convenor: Ching-Chang Chen (Aberystwyth) and Oystein Tunsjo (Aberystwyth)

Chair: William Callahan (Manchester)

Discussant: William Callahan (Manchester)

Josuke Ikeda (Tohoku University, Japan) A Japanese Social Science? Creating Human Security and Academic-Policy Complex

Joel Campbell (Kansai Gaidai University, Japan) A Normal Nation? The Japanese Foreign Policy Formation under Koizumi Junichiro

Shiro Sato (Ritsumeikan University, Japan) A Logic of Negative Security Assurances in Northeast Asia: Japan's Perspective

Taku Tamaki (Plymouth) Nuclear-Free Korean Peninsula and the Construction of Diplomacy in Northeast Asia

3.17 ALTERNATIVES TO ENLARGEMENT: THE EUROPEAN

NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICY IN THE MEDITERRANEAN

Convenors: Christopher Bickerton (Oxford) and Michelle Pace (Birmingham)

Chair: Roderick Pace (Malta)

Discussant: Frederic Volpi (St Andrews)

Ana Bojinovic (Ljubljana) Value-added of the EU's Foreign Policy in the Process of the Mediterranean Region Building

Richard Gillespie (Liverpool) and **Hakim Darbouche** (Liverpool) 'Constructing a Mediterranean Region': North African Responses

Michelle Pace (Birmingham) The EU Surrounded by a Ring of Friends: The Impact of the ENP on Europe's South

Sarah Wolff (LSE) Institutional Twinning in Morocco and Egypt: Efficient Instruments of EU's Governance in its Mediterranean Neighbourhood

TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER: 2 – 3.30pm

4.1 ANARCHISM AND VIOLENCE (SGSA)

Convenor: Alex Prichard (Loughborough)

Chair: Dave Allen (Loughborough)

Discussant: tbc

Uri Gordon (Tel-Aviv University) Beyond 'Diversity of Tactics': Re-opening the Anarchist Debate on Violence

Alex Prichard (Loughborough) Towards a Moral Sociology of War

Rachel O'Donnell (York, Canada) We Were Different Then: Indigenous Women in Rural Guatemala and Resistant Consciousness

4.2 POLITICS WITHOUT SOVEREIGNTY? AGENCY IN CONTEMPORARY INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (SAID ROUNDTABLE)

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL) and Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: Philip Cunliffe

Discussant: Chris Brown (LSE)

Participants:

Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Alex Gourevitch (Columbia)

James Heartfield (Westminster)

David Chandler (Westminster)

Tara McCormack (Westminster)

4.3 COUNTER-INSURGENCY AND THE FUTURE OF SECURITY STUDIES

Convenor: Bruno Reis (KCL)

Chair: Alice Hills (Leeds)

Discussant: Lawrence Freedman (KCL)

Warren Chin (Joint Services and Command Staff College) Counter-Insurgency in Iraq

Andrew Dorman (KCL) Sierra Leone: Reflections of the British Experience of Low-Intensity Operations

Bruno Reis (KCL) Theoretical Explorations of Counter-Insurgency

4.4 THE MOMENT OF COMPLEXITY? IMPLICATIONS OF THE EMERGENCE OF A NEW SCIENTIFIC PARADIGM FOR THE STUDY OF GLOBAL POLITICS (II) (CRIPT)

Convenor: Angharad Closs Stephens (Keele)

Chair: Angharad Closs Stephens (Keele)

Discussant: tbc

Simon Curtis (LSE) Complexity and the International System

Mike Sheehan (Swansea) Scientific Zeitgeist and IR Paradigms:
Newtonian Equilibrium to Einsteinian Post-Structuralism

Arthur Gibson (Cambridge) Deviant Logics, Complexity and
Counter-Intuition in the Practice of International Politics

Philippe Bonditti (Sciences Po, Paris) Theory of Complexity and
Foucauldian Methodology: Towards an Understanding of Human
Institutions as Entities Organising Their Closure

4.5 ANGLO-AMERICAN AND ANGLO- SOVIET RELATIONS IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY (BIHG) (2)

Convenor: Edward Johnson (Central England)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Charlotte Alston (Ulster) *The Manchester Guardian* and Russia,
1900-1939

Michael Carley (Akron) Anglo-Soviet Relations, 1924-1927

Jonathan Davis (Anglia Ruskin University) The Second Labour
Government and the Soviet Union: Pragmatism Victorious?

Sylvia Ellis (Northumbria) Harold Wilson, Moscow and
Washington: British Attempts to Mediate the War in Vietnam

4.6 BRINGING THE STATE BACK INTO TERRORISM STUDIES

Convenor: Ruth Blakeley (Bristol)

Chair: Phil Cerny (Rutgers)

Discussant: tbc

Ruth Blakeley (Bristol) State Terrorism in Liberal Democratic
States: Critical for a 'Critical' Terrorism Studies

Richard Jackson (Manchester) The State and Terrorist
Sanctuaries: A Critical Analysis

Lee Jarvis (Birmingham) Problematifying State Narratives of
Temporality in the War on Terror

Gennaro Gervasio (Bristol) Terrorism, Security and the 'Islamic
Threat': Morocco after May 2003

4.7 CRITICAL THEORIES OF POLITICAL ECONOMY

Roundtable Convenors: Randall Germain (Carleton) and Adam
Morton (Nottingham)

Participants:

Randall Germain (Carleton)

Adam Morton (Nottingham)

Juanita Elias (Adelaide)

Mark Blyth (Johns Hopkins)

Werner Bonefeld (York)

Herman Schwartz (Virginia)

4.8 WORK, LABOUR AND ORGANISATION IN NEW TIMES (I)

Convenor: Phoebe Moore (Lincoln)

Chair: Phoebe Moore (Lincoln)

Discussant: Bill Dunn (Sydney)

Matt Davies (Newcastle) and **Magnus Ryner** (Birmingham)
Unprotected Workers and Global Politics: Towards a Materialist Approach

Carol Linehan (Cork) New or Hard Times? The Personal Consequences of Changing Work Forums

Viviana Patroni (York, Canada) Precariat Workers and Working Class Organisation in Argentina

Phoebe Moore (Lincoln) The Political Economy of Community-Based Production: Fordist Foundations or Workers' Freedom?

4.9 HUMAN SECURITY: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES AND LOCAL EXPERIENCES

Convenor: Neil Renwick (Nottingham Trent)

Chair: Neil Renwick (Nottingham Trent)

Discussant: Stuart Croft (Birmingham)

Neil Renwick (Nottingham Trent) applied Critical Human Security: Conceptual and Practical Challenges

Cao Qing (Liverpool John Moores) China's Evolving Human Security Discourse and Cultural Security

Pauline Eadie (Nottingham) Human Security and the Commodification of New Orleans: A Polanyian Explanation for the Hurricane Katrina Disaster

Nana Poku (Bradford) Global Health Governance, Critical Human Security and HIV/AIDS in Africa

4.10 CONCEPTUALISING UNEVEN AND COMBINED DEVELOPMENT

Convenor: Richard Saull (Leicester)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Bill Dunn (Sydney)

Neil Davidson (Stratclyde) From Universal Stages to Combined Development

Sandra Halperin (Sussex/UCLA) Re-envisioning Global Development: Conceptual and Methodological Issues

Robbie Shilliam (Oxford) Traumas and Legacies of Backwardness within Marxist Thought: Trotsky, Althusser and CLR James

Hillel Ticktin (Glasgow) The Importance of the Concept of the Decline of Capitalism to Trotsky's Concept of International Relations within Capitalism

4.11 'SMALL' STATES AND REGIONALISM: EN ROUTE TO CRITICAL RESEARCH

Convenor: Michelle Pace (Birmingham)

Chair: Donna Lee (Birmingham)

Discussant: Michelle Pace (Birmingham)

Peadar Kirby (Dublin City University) Small States Aspiring to High-Tech Success: The Contrasting Role of Regionalism in the Irish and Costa Rican Cases

Roderick Pace (University of Malta) Addressing the 'Vulnerability' and 'Resilience' of Small States: Is Regionalism Important?

Nicola Smith (Birmingham) Regionalisation and the Political Economy of Small States: The Irish Case

Ernesto Vivares (Sheffield) Challenging South American Regionalism: The Bolivian Case

4.12 RETHINKING REALISM: CHANGE, CONTINUITY AND THE MEANING OF REALISM

Convenor: Columba Peoples (Swansea)

Chair: Michael Williams (Aberystwyth)

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| 1.1 Women of the Twenty Years Crisis | 2.1 Issues in British Foreign Policy | 3.1 Military Force in IR | 4.1 Anarchism and Violence | 5.1 The Foreign Policy of Tony Blair | 6.1 London in a Time of Terror | 7.1 Peacekeeping: The Extension of What by Other Means? |
| 1.2 The EU & Conflict Resolution: Lessons from Ireland | 2.2 International Democracy Promotion | 3.2 What's at Stake in State-Building (2) | 4.2 Politics Without Sovereignty? Agency in Contemporary IR | 5.2 Sovereignty, Security & Intervention | 6.2 Sovereignty & Order: Democracy & International Law | 7.2 Challenging the Impasse in Theories of EU Foreign Policy |
| 1.3 Old and New Forms of Power in the Middle East | 2.3 The High Politics of the Environment | 3.3 Differing Conceptions of Sovereignty: Russia, Europe & the Middle East | 4.3 Counter-Insurgency & the Future of Security Studies | 5.3 The Next 'Big Bang'? EU Policy in the Balkans | 6.3 Explaining Contribution to Peacekeeping Operations | 7.3 Human Security in a Post-9/11 Context |
| 1.4 Europe, Proliferations and Armaments | 2.4 What's at Stake in State-Building (1) | 3.4 Implications of the Emergence of a New Scientific Paradigm for the Study of Global Politics (1) | 4.4 Implications of the Emergence of a New Scientific Paradigm for the Study of Global Politics (2) | 5.4 New Approaches to Military Intervention for the Era of 4 th Generation Warfare | 6.4 Assessing Space Activities | 7.4 The Intertextuality of Popular Culture and (International) Politics |
| 1.5 Globalisation & Governance in Africa: Trade, AIDS & Development | 2.5 Future for British Defence Policy | 3.5 Critical Approaches to Outer Space | 4.5 Anglo-American & Anglo-Soviet Relations in the C.20th. (2) | 5.5 Theorising Intelligence | 6.5 Europe and Terrorism (2) | 7.5 Europe & Security in Africa |
| 1.6 Workers, Multi-National Corporations and Global Politics | 2.6 South-East Asian Security | 3.6 Regional Security Cultures & Transnational Challenges in Africa and Asia | 4.6 Bringing the State Back into Terrorism Studies | 5.6 IR Theory: Diversity & Disciplinarity | 6.6 Regional Perspectives on Globalisation & Democratisation | 7.6 The International in the National: Theories & Histories |
| 1.7 Issues in Irish Politics & Foreign Policy | 2.7 Is it Time for a Critical Terrorism Studies? | 3.7 Anglo-American & Anglo-Soviet Relations in the C.20th. (1) | 4.7 Critical Theories of Political Economy | 5.7 Terrorism & Conflict Resolution: Finding the Crossroads | 6.7 Work, Labour & Organisation in New Times (2) | 7.7 The IPE of Financialisation |
| 1.8 Theorising Sovereignty | 2.8 The Politics of the WTO | 3.8 Europe & Terrorism (1) | 4.8 Work, Labour & Organisation in New Times (1) | 5.8 Issues in IPE | 6.8 Geopolitical Insecurities after the War in Iraq | 7.8 The Space(s) of IR: Globality, Territory & the State |
| 1.9 Co-operation & Conflict in Outer Space | 2.9 Politicising International Laws(3) | 3.9 Property & Value | 4.9 Human Security: Global Perspectives & Local Experiences | 5.9 IR & Globalisation & Combined & Uneven Development | 6.9 Issues in East Asian Politics | 7.9 Nationalism, Islam, the Middle East & International Society |
| 1.10 Politicising International Laws (1) | 2.10 Historical & Theoretical Perspectives on the Just War Tradition | 3.10 The International Political Economy of Financialisation | 4.10 Conceptualising Uneven & Combined Development | 5.10 US-European Relations after the Iraq Invasion | 6.10 On-line Ethno-Political Mobilisation | 7.10 Conceptual Contradictions & Practical Problems of a European Security Identity |
| 1.11 States/Spaces of Exception & World Politics | 2.11 Values & US Foreign Policy After the Iraq Invasion | 3.11 The Dynamics of Contemporary International Society | 4.11 Small States & Regionalism: En Route to Critical Research | 5.11 Popular Violence: Mediating the Present | 6.11 Emancipatory Politics Within & Beyond Development & Post-Colonial Context | 7.11 The State in IR |
| 1.12 China's Self-Image & the Status of Taiwan | 2.12 Hegemony Today | 3.12 National Foreign Policies of the EU (1) | 4.12 Rethinking Realism: Change, Continuity & the Meaning of Realism | 5.12 National Foreign Policies of the EU (2) | 6.12 Issues in International Health | 7.12 Human Rights Issues & Controversies |
| 1.13 Old Media in New Wars | 2.13 Critical Security Studies: Beyond Copenhagen | 3.13 Radical Islam: The Foreign Policy Dimension | 4.13 Women & War (1) | 5.13 Regionalism in IR | 6.13 Issues on the Security Agenda | 7.13 Issues in European Foreign Policy |
| 1.14 Global Resistance & IR | 2.14 Realism V. Constructivism in IR | 3.14 Theoretical Issues in IR | 4.14 Security & Theory in IR | 5.14 Global Civil Society, NGO's & Small Arms | 6.14 Democracy & IR | 7.14 Nuclear Weapons: Issues & Controversies |
| 1.15 Human Security as Foreign Policy: Perspectives & Challenges | 2.15 Rethinking Africa's Relations with the Non-African World | 3.15 Writing Power: Authorship, Authority & Security Narratives | 4.15 The Perception & Analysis of Economic, Environmental & Terrorist Risks | 5.15 Security Issues in IR | 6.15 Issues in European Security | 7.15 Humanitarian Intervention & Armed Conflict |
| 1.16 The Politics of Global Civil Society | 2.16 Who Acts? State Agency in IR | 3.16 Rethinking Security & Identity in East Asia | 4.16 The Contemporary Transformation of States | 5.16 Issues in Middle Eastern Politics & Foreign Policy | 6.16 Art, Power & Globalisation | 7.16 Politicising International Laws (2) |
| 1.17 Political Economies of Ambiguity | 2.17 Europe & the New Global Security Agenda | 3.17 The European Neighbourhood Policy in the Mediterranean | 4.17 Europe, Coercive Diplomacy & Peacekeeping | 5.17 Women & War (2) | | |

Discussant: Michael Williams (Aberystwyth)

Columba Peoples (Swansea) Understanding Continuity and Change in Realism

Richard Little (Bristol) Guicciardini, Realism and the Balance of Power

Nicholas Rengger (St Andrews) Cartesian Realism? Raymond Aron's Marriage of Liberalism and Realism

Michaela Neacsu (Open University) Hans J Morgenthau's Discussion of Meaning in International Relations

4.13 WOMEN AND WAR (I)

Convenor: Jenny Mathers (Aberystwyth)

Chair: Caroline Kennedy-Pipe (Sheffield)

Discussant: Kimberley Hutchings (LSE)

Frances Wright (Memphis) Mobility, Nationalism and Womanhood: Public and Political Discourses on the National Service Act, Part Two, in World War II

Krista Cooke (Canadian Museum of Civilisation) Women, War and Material Culture

Heather Spur (Wisconsin) Military Service Through Body, Mind and Spirit: Women's Spaces in the US War with Vietnam

Laura Shepherd (Birmingham) Theory as Practice: A Discourse-Theoretic Reading of UN Security Council Resolution 1325

4.14 SECURITY AND THEORY IN IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Rita Taureck (Birmingham) When Foucault Met Security Studies: A Critical Engagement with the 'Paris School' of Security Studies

Torsten Michel (St Andrews) Goya's Dream or Nightmare?

Reason and Modernity in Contemporary Security Studies

Heikki Patomaki (Helsinki) Global Security: Learning from Possible Futures

4.15 THE PERCEPTION AND ANALYSIS OF ECONOMIC, ENVIRONMENTAL AND TERRORIST RISKS (S&IWG)

Convenor: Peter Gill (Liverpool John Moores)

Chair: Peter Gill (Liverpool John Moores)

Discussant: tbc

Rob Dover (KCL) Representations of Intelligence Activity Since 7/7: Fact, Fiction and Blowback

George Kassimeris (Wolverhampton) 'The Terrorist's Success is Almost Always the Result of Misunderstanding or Misconceptions of the Terrorist Strategy': Anti-Terror Tactics in a Post-9/11 World

Marc Schelhase (Warwick) Security and Political Risks: Towards a Political Economy of Risk

Maria Julia Trombetta (Oxford Brookes) US and EU Perspectives on Environmental Security

4.16 THE CONTEMPORARY TRANSFORMATION OF STATES (NASPIR)

Convenor: Eric Herring (Bristol)

Chair: Neil Cooper (Bradford)

Discussant: tbc

Rick Simon (Nottingham Trent) Putin's Russia: From 'Upper Volta with Rockets' to 'Burkina Faso with Energy'?

Glen Rangwala (Cambridge) Iraq: A Fragmented Rather than Failed State

Tony McKeown (Bristol) Global Governance, Democratic Security and the Transformation of the Columbian State

Sam Raphael (KCL) Blood Money: Corporate Responsibility for Human Rights Abuse in Regions of Operation and Conflict

4.17 EUROPE, COERCIVE DIPLOMACY AND PEACEKEEPING

Convenor: Andrew Cottey (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Adrian Hyde-Price (Leicester) European Democracies and Coercive Diplomacy: Political and Strategic Dilemmas

Gemma Collantes Celador (Barcelona Institute of International Studies) A European Police Strategy? An Analysis of the EU's Contribution to Police Missions

Gregory Mounier (Reading) Europe's International Police Missions: From Peacekeeping to Externalisation of Internal Security Beyond the Borders

TUESDAY 19TH DECEMBER: 4 –
5.30pm

5.1 THE FOREIGN POLICY OF TONY BLAIR (BFPWG)

Convenor: Tim Oliver (LSE)

Chair: Mike Smith (Loughborough)

Discussant: Mike Smith (Loughborough)

Dave Allen (Loughborough) Britain and the EU, 1997-2006: What Difference Has Blair Made?

Julia Gallagher (SOAS) Doing Good in Africa: Blair's New Utopia

Oliver Daddow (Loughborough) Speaking of Europe: Where Did It Go?

David Styan (Birkbeck) A British Brand of 'Soft Power'?

Stephen Dyson (Wabash College) The Blair Identity: Beliefs, Leadership Style and British Foreign Policy

5.2 SOVEREIGNTY, SECURITY AND INTERVENTION (SAID)

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL) and Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: Philip Cunliffe (KCL)

Discussant: Philip Cunliffe (KCL)

Vanessa Pupavac (Nottingham) Domesticating Foreign Policy: FCO and Gender Mainstreaming

Giovanna Bono (Vrije University, Brussels) The 'Securitisation' of EU External Action After 9/11: An Assessment

Tara McCormack (Westminster) The Ethics of Human Security

Alex Gourevitch (Columbia) National Insecurities: Foreign Policy and America's Domestic Impasse

5.3 THE NEXT 'BIG BANG'? EU POLICY IN THE BALKANS

Convenor: Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Discussant: Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Steven Blockmans (T.M.C Asser Institute, The Hague) Can 'Widening' the EU with the Western Balkans Save its 'Deepening'?

Maire McGrattan (Queen's, Belfast) The Transformative Capacity of EU Enlargement in Montenegro and Serbia since the 2004 Enlargement

Gergana Noutcheva (Centre for European Policy Studies, Brussels) Conditionality for Weak States? The EU's Policy in the Balkans

Ana Juncos (Loughborough) The Next Enlargement to the Western Balkans: In Search of a Clear Strategy?

Bernhard Stahl (Prota Mateja nenadovic College, Serbia) Extended Suffering: The EU's Foreign Policy vis-à-vis Serbia and Montenegro (SCG)

5.4 NEW APPROACHES TO MILITARY INTERVENTION FOR THE ERA OF 'FOURTH GENERATION WARFARE'

Convenor: Tim Benbow (KCL)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Tim Benbow (KCL) The Changing Threat: Asymmetric and 'Fourth Generation' Opponents

Simon Murden (Britannia Royal Naval College) The Theory and Practice of Contemporary Bargaining War

Tim Bird (KCL) Implications and Conclusions: A Comprehensive Approach

5.5 THEORISING INTELLIGENCE (S&IWG)

Convenor: Rob Dover (KCL)

Chair: Rob Dover (KCL)

Discussant: tbc

Philip Davies (Brunel) Theories of Intelligence

Rob Dover (KCL) Unwritten Assumptions: The Role of IR Theory in Intelligence

Peter Gill (Liverpool John Moores) The Potential of 'Surveillance' as a Unifying Concept in Theorising About Intelligence

Mark Phythian (Wolverhampton) Intelligence Theory and Theories of International Relations: Shared World or Separate Worlds?

5.6 INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS THEORY: DIVERSITY AND DISCIPLINARITY

Convenor: Milja Kurki (Exeter)

Rountable Chair: Steve Smith (Exeter)

Discussant: Brian Schmidt (Carleton)

Roundtable participants:

Chris Brown (LSE)

Karin Fierke (St Andrews)

Tim Dunne (Exeter)

Colin Wight (Exeter)

5.7 TERRORISM AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION: FINDING THE CROSSROADS

Convenor: Frazer Egerton and Marmonie Toros (Aberystwyth)

Chair: John Horgan (St Andrews)

Discussant: Richard Jackson (Manchester)

Harmonie Toros (Aberystwyth) At a Crossroads: Terrorism Studies and Conflict Resolution

Jason Franks (St Andrews) Critiquing 'Orthodox Terrorism Theory'

Frazer Egerton (Aberystwyth) Analysing Catalysts to Political Violence

Jan Germann and David Bosold (Philipps University, Germany) Birth at Death or Death at Birth? The Demise of Secular Terrorism and the Rise of Religiously Embellished Megaterrorism

John Morrison (St Andrews) The Radicalisation of European Jihadi Terrorists: Why and How do they Engage with the Terrorist Group?

5.8 ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Serdar Altay (Trento, Italy) Ideas, Private Actors and Regime Creation After US Hegemony: the Case of the GATS

Michael Strange (Essex) The WTO as Contingent: Problematising the 'Member State' Identity and the Question of the 'Actor'

Tony Heron (Sheffield) and **Ben Richardson** (Sheffield) Preferential Trade, Path Dependency and the Politics of Economic Liberalisation

Paul Lewis (Birmingham) The Political Debate on Distributive Justice: Can the Principle of Meritocracy Support Rising Inequality?

Max Beber (Cambridge) European Monetary Union and Global Economic Security

5.9 INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, GLOBALISATION AND COMBINED AND UNEVEN DEVELOPMENT

Convenor: Richard Saull (Leicester)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Frederick Guillaume Dufour (Sussex/UCLA)

Sam Ashman (Birmingham) The Constitutive Role of Uneven Development in Contemporary Globalisation

Bill Dunn (Sydney) Permanent Revolution: Muddling Process and Politics

Andrew Herod (Georgia) Space, Scale and Labour

Justin Rosenberg (Sussex) www.uneven-and-combined-development.org

5.10 US-EUROPEAN RELATIONS AFTER THE IRAQ INVASION (USFPWG)

Convenor: John Dumbrell (Leicester)

Chair: Inderjeet Parmar (Manchester)

Discussant: tbc

Adrian Hyde-Price (Leicester) Continental Drift: Transatlantic Relations after the Iraq Invasion

David Dunn (Birmingham) What's Left of Transatlanticism after Iraq?

John Dumbrell (Leicester) US-UK Relations after the Iraq Invasion

5.11 POPULAR VIOLENCE: MEDIATING THE PRESENT (PPG)

Convenor: Simon Philpott (Newcastle) David Mutimer (York)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Mark Lacy (Lancaster)

Matt Davies (Newcastle) 'You Can't Charge People for Saving Their Lives': Work in 'Buffy the Vampire Slayer'

J. Marshall Beier (McMaster, Canada) and **David Mutimer** (York) The Holo-Life: Holo-Addiction, Iraq and Suicide

David Mutimer (York) and **Simon Philpott** (Newcastle) Remembering to Forget: US Foreign Policy and the Recurrence of Innocence

Alina Sajed (McMaster, Canada) Mediations of Home and Placeness: Representations of Diasporic Senses of Identification and Fantasies in Cinematic/Aesthetic Productions

Tim Edwards (Newcastle) Computer Gaming and the Caribbean

5.12 NATIONAL FOREIGN POLICIES IN THE EU (II)

Convenor: Ludovica Marchi (Reading)

Chair: Ludovica Marchi (Reading)

Discussant: Henrik Larsen (Copenhagen)

Apostolos Agnantopoulos (Birmingham) The Europeanisation of Greek Foreign Policy Towards the Middle-East

Nicole Alecu de Flers (Vienna) Irish and Austrian Foreign Policies in the EU: Effects of the CFSP on Small State Foreign Policies

Gregory Kent (Roehampton) The Challenge of Serbia: British, German and French Approaches to EU Policy on Enlargement and the Western Balkans

5.13 REGIONALISM IN WORLD POLITICS

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

David Capie (Victoria University of Wellington) Rethinking Socialisation in Regional Institutions: Cases from the Asia Pacific

Miriam Prys (Oxford) Global Powers as Kingmakers? The Impact of External Actors on the Exercise of Regional Hegemony in the Developing World

Atsuko Higashino (Hiroshima) The EU Enlargement Toward the Western Balkan Countries: The Use of Sub-Regionalism as a Policy Tool

Mikhail A. Molchanov (St Thomas University, Canada) Regionalism and Oil Politics in Russia and Eurasia

5.14 GLOBAL CIVIL SOCIETY, NGO'S AND SMALL ARMS

Convenor: Anna Stavrianakis (Bristol)

Chair: David Mutimer (Bradford)

Discussant: Neil Cooper (Bradford)

Mike Bourne (Bradford) Biting the Bullet: NGO Involvement in Small Arms Transfer Control Effort

Silvia Cattaneo (Bradford) Marking and Tracing: The Discursive (Re-Production of Small Arms as a Security Issue

Anna Stavrianakis (Bristol) Too Close for Comfort: NGO Activity on UK Involvement in Small Arms Processes

5.15 SECURITY ISSUES IN IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Nikola Hynek (Plymouth) Governmentality, 'New Diplomacy' and Knowledge about Security: A Critical Re-Reading of the Landmine Case

Mert Bilgin (Dogus, Turkey) New Security Concepts of NATO, EU and SCO: Compliances and Discords

Kalliopi Chainoglou (KCL) Maintaining International Peace and Security: Pre-emptive Self-Defence and 'Wars of Choice'

Trudy Fraser (St Andrews) 'There's Nothing Wrong with the United Nations – Except its Members'? The United Nations Security Council, the G4 and the Implications for Contemporary Collective Security

5.16 ISSUES IN MIDDLE EASTERN POLITICS AND FOREIGN POLICY

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant:

Asaf Sinever (Nottingham) Three Hypotheses on Middle East Diplomacy

Patrick Kiely (Cork) The Realist Conundrum in the Middle East, 1969-1976

Daniel Neep (SOAS) Violence and Velocity: Constructing the State in Syria

5.17 WOMEN AND WAR (II)

Convenor: Jenny Mathers (Aberystwyth)

Chair: Caroline Kennedy-Pipe (Sheffield)

Discussant: Kimberley Hutchings (LSE)

Maria Holt (Westminster) Identity Under Siege: Palestinian Women, Memory and Conflict in the Camps of Lebanon

Theresa Kaminski (Wisconsin, Stevens Point) The Consequences of Sentimental Imperialism: The Internment of Ethel Thomas Herold

Dana Cooper (Texas Christian University) American Amazons: Transatlantic Marriages and American Women's War Efforts in Britain between the Boer War and World War I

Elgin Medea Brunner (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology) Gender and the Framing of War: A Comparative Discourse Analysis

WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER: 9 – 10.30am

6.1 LONDON IN A TIME OF TERROR

Convenor: Nick Vaughan-Williams (Aberystwyth) and Angharad Closs (Keele)

Chair: Costas Constantinou (Keele)

Discussant: Louise Amoore (Durham)

James Brassett (Warwick) Cosmopolitanism, Conditionality and Control: Discourses of Ethical Possibility Before and After 7/7

Angharad Closs (Keele) Urban Nationalism? London in the Aftermath of the Tube Bombings

Nick Vaughan-Williams (Aberystwyth) New Border Politics? The Shooting of Jean Charles de Menezes

Dan Bulley (Warwick) 'Foreign' Terror? 7/7 and the Deconstruction of the 'Failing State'

6.2 SOVEREIGNTY AND ORDER: DEMOCRACY AND INTERNATIONAL LAW (SAID)

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL) and Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: Tara McCormack (Westminster)

Discussant: Tara McCormack (Westminster)

Oystein Tunsjo (Aberystwyth) Contemporary Dilemmas in the Taiwan Strait

Jae-Won Lee (Denver) International Law and its Impact on the Promotion and Consolidation of Democracy as the Emerging post-Cold War and 21st Century Standard of Civilisation: China, South Korea and Iraq

Page Wilson (LSE) British Foreign Policy and the Crime of Aggression

Charlotte Steinorth (LSE) Democratisation and International Law in the 21st Century: Whiter the Democratic Entitlement?

Lisa Aronsson (LSE) Power Politics or International Justice? The US-EU Split Over ICC

6.3 EXPLAINING CONTRIBUTION TO PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL)

Chair: Paul Williams (Birmingham)

Discussant: Eli Stamnes (Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies)

Alan Bullion (Open University) India and UN Peacekeeping: A Critical Update

Philip Cunliffe (KCL) Understanding African Contributions to Peacekeeping Operations

Eli Stamnes (Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies) Nordic Participation in Peace Operations

Terry McKay (Bradford) NATO Military Police Contributions to Peacekeeping

6.4 ASSESSING SPACE ACTIVITIES

Convenor: Jill Stuart (LSE)

Chair: Mike Sheehan (Swansea)

Discussant: tbc

Mischa Hansel (Cologne) A Theoretical Concept for Assessing the Evolution of National Space Policies in Europe

Nicole Hanel (?) The Military Use of Outer Space as an Aspect of the European Security and Defence Policy

Dave Webb (Leeds Met) Is An Ethical Space Policy Possible?

Jasmina Lijesevic (Swansea) and **Mike Sheehan** (Swansea) Militarisation of Space: A Pre-Requisite of a More Ethical Foreign Policy

6.5 EUROPE AND TERRORISM (II)

Convenor: Andrew Cottey (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Cornelia Beyer (Universitat Koblenz-Landau, Germany) The European Union as a Security Policy Actor? The Case of Counter-Terrorism

Frank Hage (Leiden, Netherlands) Who Gets to be Called a Terrorist? The Determinants of the Inclusion of Militant Groups in the EU's List of Terrorist Organisations

Sharon Nolan (Limerick) An Assessment of the EU's Enhanced Police and Judicial Efforts in the fight Against Terrorism

6.6 REGIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON GLOBALISATION AND DEMOCRATISATION: EAST ASIA, THE INDIAN SUB-CONTINENT, LATIN AMERICA AND THE EU

Convenor: Ruth Bevan (Yeshiva University, New York)

Chair: Ruth Bevan (Yeshiva University, New York)

Discussant: tbc

Vera Simone (California State University) Regional Development, Democracy and the New Global Order from the Perspective of China and East Asia

Veena Thadani (New York University) Globalisation, Democracy, Development in the Indian Sub-Continent

Lois Oppenheim (University of Judaism, California) Democracy and Development in Latin America: The Impact(s) of Globalisation, Regionalism and Neo-Liberalism

Ruth Bevan (Yeshiva University, New York) The EU and the Cultural Contradictions of Globalisation

6.7 WORK, LABOUR AND ORGANISATION IN NEW TIMES (II)

Convenor: Phoebe Moore (Lincoln)

Chair: Matt Davies (Newcastle)

Discussant: Phoebe Moore (Lincoln)

Marsha Pripstein Posusney (Bryant University) Labour Standards and Labour Market Flexibility in the Arab World: Free Trade and Freer Unions?

Kevin Gray (Durham) Organised Labour, Social Welfare and Neoliberal Restructuring: the Case of the South Korean Labour Movement

Nora Rathzal (Umea University) Workers Negotiating Nation, Gender and Production: A Case Study of Workers in a Transnational Company in Mexico
Genevieve LeBaron (York, Canada) Captive Labour and the Free Market

6.8 GEOPOLITICAL INSECURITIES AFTER THE WAR IN IRAQ

Convenor: Francois Debrix (Florida International)
Chair: Francois Debrix (Florida International)
Discussant: Matthew Paterson (Ottawa)

Timothy Luke (Virginia Tech) Hyper-power or Hyper-Power: How 'That Short War' in Iraq Soon Became 'The Long war' for the World

Mark Lacy (Lancaster) Realists Against War: A Response to the Walt and Mearsheimer Controversy on the Israel Lobby

Francois Debrix (Florida International) The American War Machine and the Destruction of Precarious Life

Nicholas Kiersey (Virginia Tech) War and the Post-Imperial State: Implicating Global Disciplinary power in the Occupation of Iraq

6.9 ISSUES IN EAST ASIAN POLITICS

Convenor: BISA
Chair: tbc
Discussant: tbc

Mutsumi Hirano (LSE) Whiter Japan's Foreign Policy

Guoxin Xing (Simon Fraser University, Canada) Peaceful Rising and China's International Image Cultivating

Carolyn Liss (Murdoch, Australia) The Privatisation of Maritime Security in Southeast Asia

Chin-Wei Huang (Newcastle) Taiwan's Industrialisation in the Era of Globalisation and Regionalisation

6.10 ON-LINE ETHNO-POLITICAL MOBILISATION

Convenor: Maura Conway (Dublin City)
Chair: Francesco Cavatorta (Dublin City)
Discussant: tbc

Victor Asal (SUNY), **Maura Conway** (Dublin City) and **Paul Harwood** (North Florida) Ethnopolitical Mobilisation on the Web: A Theory of Online Activist Mobilisation

Victor Asal (SUNY) Ethnopolitical Mobilisation Online: A Quantitative Analysis

Paul Harwood (North Florida) Ethnopolitical Mobilisation Online: The Emerald Web

Maura Conway (Dublin City) Ethnopolitical Mobilisation Online: The Case of Ulster Loyalism

6.11 EMANCIPATORY POLITICS WITHIN AND BEYOND DEVELOPMENT AND POST-COLONIAL CONTEXT (PPG)

Convenor: Yoshihiro Nakano (Sussex)
Chair: tbc
Discussant: tbc

Sara Abebneh (Oxford) How Can We Resist Hegemony?

David Chor-Kit Chung (Essex) Where Does Hegemony Come From? An Analysis of Post-Handover Sino-Hong Kong Discourses: July 1st Demonstrations as a Case Study

Yoshihiro Nakano (Sussex) Ethical Injunction in Post-Development Politics: Death and the Beginning of In-finite Justice

6.12 ISSUES IN INTERNATIONAL HEALTH

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Amanda Dickins (University of East Anglia) International Ethics and the Limits of Deliberation: Global Bioethics

Annika Hughes (LSE) For What is Power Without Life to Sustain it? The Power of the Human Body in International Relations

Clair Apodaca (Florida International) Child Hunger and Governmental Policies: A Cross-National Analysis

6.13 ISSUES ON THE SECURITY AGENDA (NASPIR)

Convenor: Eric Herring (Bristol)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Claire Thomas (Hull) The Security Benefits of Using Violence in the 1990-91 Gulf Conflict

Cornelia Beyer (Koblenz-Landau) Why Realism Can't Win the War on Terror

E. Elize Sakamoto (LSE) Distribution of Arms in the Era of Private International Security: Defining the Responsibilities of Suppliers and Consumers

Julia Trombetta (Oxford Brookes) Emancipatory Securitisation

6.14 DEMOCRACY AND IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant:

Helene Gandois (Oxford) The Regional Organisation as an Agent of Democratization? The African Experience

Matthew Rendall (Nottingham) Democratic Peace and Low-Intensity Democracy

Faye Donnelly (St Andrews) The Social Construction of Democracy

Christopher Hobson (Australian National University) Recovering Democracy

6.15 ISSUES IN EUROPEAN SECURITY

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Convenor: tbc

Iraklis Oikonomou (Aberystwyth) The EU Political-Military-Industrial Complex: A New Research Agenda

Vasilis Margaras (Loughborough) Is the EU Embracing a Security and Defence Dimension? The Emergence of a European Security and Defence Policy (ESDP)

Yuki Abe (Sheffield) The Social Construction of European Security: the Reorganising of NATO in the post-Cold War Era

Holger Stritzel (LSE) Critical Approaches to Security in Europe: A Viable Challenge to Whom?

Tiago Margues (Tallinn University, Estonia) The European Security Strategy and the Construction of Supranational Security Interests

6.16 ART, POWER AND GLOBALISATION

Convenor: Debbie Lisle (Queens)

Chair: Andrew Neale (Keele)

Discussant: tbc

Marianne Franklin (University for Humanistics, Netherlands) Introductory Improvisations on a Theme: Resounding International Relations

Zoe Hepden (Royal Holloway) Art, Politics, Paradox: Some Reflections on Truth in Adorno and Pinter

Julia Svetlichnaya (Westminster) Art and Terror

Judith Devlin (University College Dublin) Stalinist Art

**WEDNESDAY 20TH DECEMBER: 11 –
12.30pm**

**7.1 PEACEKEEPING: THE
EXTENSION OF WHAT BY OTHER
MEANS?**

Convenor: Philip Cunliffe (KCL)

Chair: David Chandler (Westminster)

Discussant: David Chandler (Westminster)

Michael Pugh (Bradford) Peacekeeping as Constant Gardening by Other Means

Philip Cunliffe (KCL) Peacekeeping: The Extension of What by Other Means

Karina Pawlowska (Birmingham) Implementing the Principles of Common Humanity – Or the Continuation of Statist International Economy by Other Means

**7.2 BEYOND INTERESTS AND
NORMS: CHALLENGING THE
IMPASSE IN THEORIES OF EU
FOREIGN POLICY**

Convenor: Christopher Bickerton (Oxford)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Timm Beichelt (Europa-Universität Viadrina, Germany) Beyond Integration: National Interests in the European Union

Jess Pilegaard (Danish Embassy, Zambia) Between Coherence and Fragmentation: The Common Policies of an Uncommon Actor
Tuomas Forsberg (Helsinki) Explaining the Emergence of European Security and Defence Policy (ESDP)

Chris Bickerton (Oxford) Explaining Europe's Role in World Affairs: Governance, Sovereignty and the paradox of 'Fragile Institutionalism'

**7.3 HUMAN SECURITY IN A POST-
9/11 CONTEXT**

Convenor: Carla Barqueiro (Aberystwyth)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Kyle Grayson (Newcastle)

Pauline Evan (Aberystwyth) Human Security in the Long War on Terror: Hegemonic Interventions, Local Subjectivities and Social Engineering

Tara McCormack (Westminster) Security After 9/11: A New Cold War?

Taylor Owen (Oxford) In All But name: The Uncertain Future of Human Security in the UN

Carla Baqueiro (Aberystwyth) Human Security: Whose Security is the post-9/11 World?

**7.4 THE INTERTEXTUALITY OF
POPULAR CULTURE AND
(INTERNATIONAL) POLITICS
(GIRWG & PPWG)**

Convenor: Christina Rowley (Bristol)

Chair: Mike Sheehan (Swansea)

Discussant: Marianne Franklin (University for Humanistics, The Netherlands)

Stephen McVeigh (Swansea) The Galactic Way of War: Warfare in the 'Star Wars' Universe

Melanie Hardie (Bristol) Savage or Barbarian? Media Images of Sudan's 'Civilisational Fault Line'

Christina Rowley (Bristol) 'We Are the Real Countries': Cosmopolitanism and the International/Domestic Divide in 'The English Patient'

Laura Shepherd (Birmingham) Morality, Legality and Gender Violence in 'Angel'

7.5 EUROPE AND SECURITY IN AFRICA

Convenor: Andrew Cottey (Cork)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Emil Kirchner (Essex) Europe's Response to the Roots of Violent Conflict: The Case of Africa

Ted Bikin-Kita (Cork) The EU and Peacekeeping in Africa

Sarah Leonard (Aberystwyth) The EU and the 'Securitisation' of Migration from Africa

7.6 THE INTERNATIONAL IN THE NATIONAL: THEORIES AND HISTORIES (HS&IRWG)

Convenor: Justin Rosenberg (Sussex)

Chair: tbc

Discussant: Neil Davidson (Strathclyde)

Frederick Guillaume Dufour (Sussex/UCLA) The Uneven and Combined Development of Nationalism

Kamran Matin (Sussex) Revolutions from Without, Above and Below: Iran's Uneven and Combined Development, 1921-79

Adam Morton (Nottingham) Mexican Revolution, Primitive Accumulation, Passive Revolution

Suzi Weissman (St Mary's College of California) Disintegrating Democracy: From the Promise of the Soviet since 1905 to the Contemporary Crisis of Corrupt Democratic Forms

7.7 THE INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ECONOMY OF FINANCIALISATION (II)

Convenors: Or Raviv (Sussex) and Johnna Montgomerie (Sussex)

Chair: Paul Langley (Northumbria)

Discussant: Paul Langley (Northumbria)

Matthew Watson (Birmingham) Whither Financialisation? The Contradictory Microfoundations of Finance-led Growth Regimes

Julie Froud (Manchester) tbc

Johnna Montgomerie (Sussex) A Theory of Financialisation: From Model to Analytical Framework

7.8 THE SPACE(S) OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS: GLOBALITY, TERRITORY AND THE STATE (HS&IRWG)

Convenor: Justin Rosenberg (Sussex/UCLA)

Chair: Justin Rosenberg (Sussex/UCLA)

Discussant: tbc

Jeppe Strandsbjerg (Sussex) The Cartographic Production of Territory: Mapping and Danish State Formation, 1450-1650

Stuart Elden (Durham) The Territory Integrity of Iraq: Preservation, Sovereignty, Viability

Henrik Aspengren (SOAS) The Politics of Making Colonial State Space: Bombay Between the Wars

John Gibson (Newcastle) Thinking the Global: Notions of Spatiality in IFI's and Global Justice Discourses

7.9 NATIONALISM, ISLAM, THE MIDDLE EAST AND INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY (English School)

Convenor: Barry Buzan (LSE)

Chair: Jason Ralph (Leeds)

Discussant: Barry Buzan (LSE)

Nuri Yurdusev (Middle East Technical University, Turkey) The Middle East Encounter with the Expansion of European International Society

Fiona Adamson (UCL) The Constitutive Power of Political Ideology: Nationalism and the Emergence of Corporate Agency in World Politics

Roland Dannreuther (Edinburgh) and **Jimmy Kennedy** (Edinburgh) The International Relations of 'The Transition': Ernest Gellner's Social Philosophy and Political Sociology

7.10 CONCEPTIONAL CONTRADICTIONS AND PRACTICAL PROBLEMS OF A EUROPEAN SECURITY IDENTITY

Convenor: Colin Steinbach

Chair: Adam Quinn (LSE)

Discussant: Michael Smith (Loughborough)

Adam Quinn (LSE) 'Toughen up and do as I Say: Conflict and Contradiction in American Attitudes Towards a Unified European Defence Capability

Felix Berenskoetter (LSE) Staying Below the Military Threshold? German Plans for ESDP

Colin Steinbach (LSE) Leading with a Foot on the Brake: British Role Conceptions of the EU as a Security Actor

Rune Henriksen (LSE) Having an 'Open Relationship'? European Special Operations Forces in Counter-Terrorism: ESDP, NATO or Coalitions of the Willing?

7.11 THE STATE IN IR

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

H. Tarik Oguzlu (Bilkent Univeristy, Turkey) The Rise of the State as a Security Actor Again and Again

Albena Azamanova (Kent) From the Functional to the Authoritative State: the Changing Nature of a Compliance in the Early 21st Century

Carola Kantz (LSE) Non-State Actor as 'Agents' in International Relations: Negotiating the Kimberley Process Certification Scheme

Anthony Vinci (LSE) Anarchy, Failed States and Armed Groups: Reconsidering Conventional Analysis

7.12 HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Birsan Erdogan (Netherlands Institute of Human Rights) Minority Rights in Turkey: Resistance to Change?

Ulrich Petersohn (German Institute for International and Security Affairs, Berlin) The German Politics of Intervention in Cases of Gross Human Rights Violations

Owen McIntyre (Cork) The Emergence of a Human Right to Water Under International Law: Issues and Implications

Daniel Gilligan (Durham) Human Rights ‘Hokey Kokey’: Understanding the Divide Between Policy Makers and Non-Governmental Actors

7.13 ISSUES IN EUROPEAN FOREIGN POLICY

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Fabio Zuccheri (Siena, Italy) EU and Applicant Countries: the Need of Legitimacy

Patrick Mueller (Institute for Advanced Studies, Vienna) The ‘Big Three’ EU Member States and the Implementation of a Common European Foreign Policy Toward the Israeli-Palestinian Peace Process

Alfred Tovias (Hebrew University) Exploring the Pros and Cons of Swiss and Norwegian Models of Relations with the EU: What Can Israel Learn from the Experiences of These Two Countries?

Ludovica Marchi (Reading) Analysing the Foreign Policy of EU Member States

Wolfgang Deckers (Richmond) China and the EU: Threat or Opportunity?

7.14 NUCLEAR WEAPONS: ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Nick Ritchie (Bradford) Russians and Rogues: What’s Driving US Nuclear Weapons Policy?

Caroline Baker (Salford) Explaining the Fortunes of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Regime – A Reconsideration of the Value of Realism

Erwin Tan (Aberystwyth) The Security Dilemma and Regional Nuclear Multipolarity

7.15 HUMANITARIAN INTERVENTION AND ARMED CONFLICT

Convenor: BISA

Chair: tbc

Discussant: tbc

Owen Godfrey (Nottingham) The Concept of *Just Post Bellum* in Humanitarian War: A Case Study of the Aftermath of the NATO Intervention in Kosovo

James Pattison (Newcastle) Legitimacy and Humanitarian Intervention: Who Should Intervene?

Ritu Mathur (York, Canada) Witness: Violence and Responsibility in Situations of Armed Conflict

7.16 POLITICISING INTERNATIONAL LAWS: SOVEREIGNTIES, SUBJECTIVITIES AND HUMAN RIGHTS (II)

Convenor: Yoke-Lian Lee (Keele)

Chair: Yoke-Lian Lee (Keele)

Discussant: Costas Constantinou (Keele)

Graham Smith (Lancaster) On the Subject of Our Laws: Kafka’s Trial and the Political

Andrew Neal (Keele) War on Terror or Law on Terror: Foucault and the Politics of Exceptionalism

Claudia Aradau (KCL) The Transformation of Law and the Governmentality of Terrorism

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GENERAL INFORMATION

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