



**Department of
International Relations**

Detention and Rendition in the “War on Terror”



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**Wednesday 6 May 2009
09:30-17:30**

**Hong Kong Theatre, Clement House,
London School of Economics and Political
Science**

Entry is free and open to all, but registration is necessary. To register, please contact Elizabeth Stubbins Bates (e.t.stubbins-bates@lse.ac.uk) before 30 April 2009.

Preliminary Conference Programme

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09:45 – Welcome and Introductory Remarks

Christopher Coker (Professor of International Relations, LSE)

10:00-11:30 – Detention in the “War on Terror”: Confronting a Range of Human Rights Violations

Chair: Kimberly Hutchings (Professor of International Relations, LSE)

Panellists:

Fiona de Londras (Lecturer in Law, University College Dublin)

Marie Breen Smyth (Director, Centre for the Study of Radicalisation and Contemporary Political Violence, Department of International Politics, Aberystwyth University)

Zachary Katznelson (Legal Director, Reprieve)

11:30 Coffee

11:45-13:15 – Extraordinary Rendition and State Complicity: Perspectives from Law, International Relations and Human Rights Monitoring

Chair: Kirsten Ainley (Lecturer in International Relations, LSE)

Panellists:

Anne FitzGerald (Director, Research Unit, Amnesty International)

Jayne Huckerby (Research Director, Center for Human Rights and Global Justice; Adjunct Assistant Professor of Clinical Law, International Human Rights Clinic, New York University School of Law)

Jason Ralph (Senior Lecturer in International Relations, University of Leeds)

13:15 Lunch

13:45-15:15 – Options for Reform in Counter-Terrorist Detention

Chair: Kate Jenkins (Visiting Professor, Government Department, LSE)

Panellists:

Julia A. Hall (human rights attorney, formerly Senior Legal Counsel, Human Rights Watch)

Shami Chakrabarti (Director, Liberty)

Stephanie Carvin (Lecturer in International Relations, Royal Holloway, University of London)

15:15 Coffee

15:30-16:30 – Roundtable: Creating Productive Links between Academia and Action

Chair: Peter Wilson (Senior Lecturer in International Relations, LSE)

Panellists:

Julia A. Hall (human rights attorney, formerly Senior Legal Counsel, Human Rights Watch)

Jayne Huckerby (Research Director, Center for Human Rights and Global Justice; Adjunct Assistant Professor of Clinical Law, International Human Rights Clinic, New York University School of Law)

Kimberly Hutchings (Professor of International Relations, LSE)

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16:30-17:30 Plenary Session: Questions and Answers

Chair: Barry Buzan (Professor of International Relations, LSE)

17:30 End of Conference