



CeSeR

Centre for Security Research

Conference Programme:

International Security After Brexit and Trump

22 June 2017

University of Edinburgh

Project Room, 50 George Square, EH8 9JU

The Centre for Security Research at the University of Edinburgh is hosting a conference on the international security implications of the UK exiting the EU and the Trump presidency in the US. Held one year after the Brexit referendum, the conference invites scholarship reflecting on these developments from multiple perspectives and across a diverse range of topics.

9:00am registration

9:20 Welcome (Juliet Kaarbo & Andrew Neal, CeSeR Co-Directors)

9.30am-11am **Panel 1: Populism/fascism**

Chair: Andrew Neal (University of Edinburgh)

Caron Gentry (University of St Andrews) *On the Backs of Others: The Possibility of Fascism in the US*

Mike Slaven (University of Edinburgh) *Security Politics as Populist Politicization*

Nasser S. Qadri (University of Glasgow) *Invoking Islam: Securitization of Terrorism and Immigration in a Trump Administration*

Coffee break

11.15am-12.45pm **Panel 2: US transatlantic relationship/NATO**

Chair: Juliet Kaarbo (University of Edinburgh)

Faye Donnelly and William Vlek (University of St Andrews) *Pay-As-You-Go NATO? Transactional security in times of uncertainty*

Laura Roselle (Elon University) *Strategic Narratives and Alliances: NATO After the Election of Donald Trump*

Jarrold Hayes (Georgia Institute of Technology) *Authority, Identity, and the Reconstruction of Trans-Atlantic Security*

Lunch break

1.30pm-2.45pm **Panel 3: Brexit/UK/EU**

Chair: Sissela Matzner (University of Edinburgh)

Monika Gabriela Baroszewicz (Vistula University) *Fortress Europe: The Dangers of Democratic Insecurities*

Olivier Lewis (University of St Andrews) *Brexit as a Natural Experiment to Test Theories of Differentiated European Integration: Will UK-EU security cooperation continue despite politicisation?*

Hager Ben Jaffel (King's College London) *Police co-operation after Brexit: Lessons from the field*

Break

3pm -4.45pm **Panel 4: US/capitalism/the world**

Chair: Andrew Hom (University of Edinburgh)

David Hughes (University of Lincoln) *Trump, the Crisis of Capitalism, and World War*

Jan Mus (Vistula University) *Brexit, Trump and Peripheralisation*

Jan Pospisil (University of Edinburgh) *Strong Again? Sovereign Security after the Post-Liberal Takeover*

Break

5pm-6.15pm **Keynote speech**

Professor Brent J. Steele: 'Dislodging Certainty: A way forward for security studies in an era of Brexit, Trump, and post-truth politics'

6:15-6:20 Closing Remarks (Juliet Kaarbo & Andrew Neal, CeSeR Co-Directors)

Wine reception (scheduled to finish 7.30pm)

Programme as of 31 May 2017

