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REAPPRAISING THE IRAN-IRAQ WAR THIRTY YEARS LATER

September 23 - 24, 2010

Thursday, September 23, 2010

| Time | Event | Panelists |
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| 11:00 am - 11:30 am | Introduction (Tea/Snacks) | Professor Nigel Ashton |
| PANEL 1 | | |
| 11:30 am - 1:00 pm | The Waging of the War: Iran | Chair: Professor Arne Westad Caitlin Talmage (MIT) <i>"Battlefield Effectiveness in Iran and Iraq, 1980-1988."</i> Mareike Enghusen (University of St. Andrews) <i>"The Baseej in the Iran-Iraq War. Ideology, Mobilization, and Motives."</i> |
| 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm | Lunch | |
| PANEL 2 | | |
| 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm | Economic Dimensions of the War | Chair: Ranj Alaaldin Farzin Nadimi (University of Manchester) <i>"The True Role of Oil in the Outcome of the Iran- Iraq War: Some Important Lessons in Historical context."</i> Dr. Glen Rangwala (Cambridge) <i>"The finances of war: Iraq, credit and conflict, September 1980 - August 1990."</i> |

3:30 pm -
4:00 pm **Break (Tea/Snacks)**

PANEL 3

4:00 pm -
5:30 pm **Regional
Perspectives**

Chair: Chris Phillips

Dr. Kristian Coates-Ulrichsen (LSE)
*"The Gulf States and the Iran-Iraq War:
Cooperation and Confusion."*

Elliot Hen-Tov (Princeton)
*"The Ostensible 'Silent Victor' – The Long-Term
Impact of the Iran-Iraq War on Turkey's
Regional Position and Neighborly Relations."*

Meir Javedanfar (MEEPAS)
*"Impact of Iraq vs. Iran war on Iran – Israel
Relations."*

5:30 pm -
5:45 pm **Break (Wine/Tea/Snacks)**

PANEL 4

5:45 pm
6:45 pm **Key Note Speech**

Joost Hiltermann (International Crisis Group)
*"Iran-Iraq War Legacies: Deep Traumas, Fresh
Ambitions."*

7:00 pm **Conference
Dinner**

@ Coopers, 49A Lincoln's Inn Fields

Friday, September 24, 2010

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| PANEL 5 | | |
| 10:00 am - 12:00 pm | American Foreign Policy and the War | Chair: Bryan R. Gibson Dr. Judith Yaphe (Institute for National Strategic Studies) <i>“Changing American Perspectives of the Iraq- Iran War.”</i> Malcolm Byrne (National Security Archive) <i>“Critical Oral History: A New Approach to Examining the United States’ Role in the War.”</i> Ambassador Mark Hambley (Department of State) <i>“The Iran-Iraq War: An American Conundrum.”</i> Ambassador Richard Murphy (Department of State) <i>“American Policy and the Iran-Iraq War.”</i> |
| 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm | Lunch | |
| PANEL 6 | | |
| 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm | International Perspectives on the War | Chair: Professor Nigel Ashton Dr. Pierre Razoux (NATO) <i>“France’s discrete involvement in the Iran-Iraq War.”</i> Dr. Artemy Kalinovsky (LSE) <i>“The Soviet Union and the Iran-Iraq War.”</i> Dr. Chris Emery (LSE) <i>“Reappraising the Carter Administration’s Response.”</i> |
| 2:30 pm - 3:00 pm | Break (Wine/Tea/Snacks) | |

PANEL 7

3:00 pm -
4:30 pm

**The Waging of
the War: Iraq**

Chair: Dr. Kristian Coates Ulrichsen

Dr. Ibrahim Al-Marashi (IE University)

*“Lessons Learned: Civil Military Relations during
the Iran-Iraq War and its influence on the 1991
Gulf War and 2003 Iraq War.”*

Dr. Williamson Murray and Dr. Kevin Woods
(Institute for Defense Analysis)

“Saddam and the Iran-Iraq War.”

4:30 pm -
5:30 pm

**Closing Reception
(Wine/Tea/Snacks)**

Professor Nigel Ashton