

4th Annual Workshop for Women in International Security

4e Atelier annuel pour les femmes en sécurité internationale



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**International Security and the Law:
New Challenges Since 9/11**

**La sécurité internationale et le droit:
Nouveaux défis dans l'après 11 Septembre**

May 5-7, 2011

**University of New Brunswick, Fredericton
Hosted by the Gregg Centre for the Study of War & Society**

PROGRAM

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4/MERCREDI LE 4 MAI

Arrival of Participants/L'arrivée de participants

Informal reception : 7 p.m., Alden Nowlan House, 676 Windsor St. (hosted by the UNB Department of History)

THURSDAY, MAY 5/JEUDI LE 5 MAI

- 7:30-8:30 Breakfast / Petit-déjeuner
- 8:00-8:30 Registration / Inscription
- 8:30-8:45 Welcome / Bienvenue
- 8:45-10:15 International Security Simulation
- 10:15-10:30 Coffee & tea break / Pause café
- 10:30-12:00 Simulation continues and concludes
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch / Déjeuner
- 1:00-1:30 Simulation de-briefing
- 1:30-3:15 Panel 1 – Military Matters and the Law / Issues militaires et le droit
- 3:15-3:30 Coffee & tea break / Pause café
- 3:30-5:15 Mentoring Round Table / Table Ronde: Women in the Profession/Les femmes dans la profession
- 5:30-7:00 Dinner / Dîner
- 7:00-7:30 Wine & Cheese Reception / Réception vin et fromage – UNB Law School, Ludlow Hall, 41 Dineen Dr.
- 7:30 Keynote Address / Discours-programme, UNB Law School, Ludlow Hall (open to the public)
Ann Fitz-Gerald, Ph.D., “The Future of International Security Interventions: Prospects and Challenges”

followed by Public Reception/Réception ouverte au grand public (hosted by the UNB Faculty of Law)

FRIDAY, MAY 6

- 7:30-8:30 Breakfast / Petit-déjeuner
- 8:30-10:15 Panel 2 – New Approaches to International Security / La sécurité internationale : Nouvelles approches
- 10:15-10:30 Coffee & tea break / Pause café
- 10:30-12:15 Panel 3 – The Rhetoric of Law and the Practice of Human Rights / La rhétorique du droit et la pratique des droits de l'homme
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch / Déjeuner
- 1:15-3:00 Panel 4 – Hors de combat : Issues of Law, Justice, and Stability / Hors de combat : Issues de droit, justice, stabilité

- 3:00-3:15 Coffee & tea break / Pause café
3:15-5:00 Panel 5 – International Security in National, Regional, and Global Perspectives
/ La Sécurité internationale en perspectives nationales, regionales et globales

Free for Dinner / Fin de la journée – See list of restaurants and other sites of interest in Fredericton. A map of the downtown area of the city is included in your registration packet.

SATURDAY, MAY 7/SAMEDI LE 7 MAI

- 7:30-8:30 Catered Breakfast / Traiteur repas
8:30-10:15 Mentoring Round Table / Table Ronde: Women in the Academy / Les
femmes en milieu universitaire
10:15-10:30 Coffee & tea break / Pause café
10:30-12:15 Discussion by Sergeant Lizette LeBlanc, Canadian Forces, the first female
Regular Force Sergeant in the history of the Canadian Infantry
12:15-1:15 Lunch / Déjeuner, McConnell Dining Hall
1:15-1:30 Goodbyes / Ferme

Panel 1 : Military Matters and the Law / Issues militaires et le droit

Discussant / Présidente : Noemi Gal-Or, LL.B., Ph.D., Department of Political Science, Kwantlen Polytechnic University

Joanne Collins, University of Ottawa, Master's Candidate

Leaving Women Behind: How the United Nation's Responsibility to Protect Fails Women in Conflict and Ignores Resolution 1325

Khat Valimahomed, Osgoode Hall Law School, York University, J.D. Student

International Humanitarian Law and The War on Terror: An Examination of Foreign Presences in Afghanistan Under Operation Enduring Freedom and the International Security Assistance Force

Shoghig Mikaelian, Concordia University, Doctoral Candidate

Public Opinion and Counter-insurgent Violence: The Case of Israeli COIN Campaigns in Lebanon and the Gaza Strip

Roundtable / Table Ronde : Women in the Profession / Les femmes dans la profession (Chatham House Rule)

Chair / Présidente : Melissa Ptacek

1. Antoinette Issa, LL.M
2. Shawna McGraw, BSc, MSc
3. Major Marla Dow, M.A., LL.B.
4. Noemi Gal-Or, LL.B., Ph.D.

Panel 2 : New Approaches to International Security / La sécurité internationale : Nouvelles approches

Discussant / Présidente : Rhoda Howard-Hassmann, Ph.D., FRSC, Department of Global Studies and Balsillie School of International Affairs, Wilfred Laurier University

Dianne Balraj, Queen's University, Master's Candidate

The missing link between evolutionary psychology and international security: Challenging the orthodoxy of human nature

Béatrice Châteauvert-Gagnon, UQAM, Master's Candidate

In the Valley of Elah : Masculinités, féminités et guerre en Irak

Priya Kumar, University of London, Doctoral Student

Diasporas, Grievance Narratives and the Dot-com: Emerging Security Challenges in Canada

Panel 3 : The Rhetoric of Law and the Practice of Human Rights / La rhétorique du droit et la pratique des droits de l'homme

Discussant / Présidente : Jula Hughes, M.A., Ph.D., LL.B., Faculty of Law, University of New Brunswick

Rebecca Sanders, University of Toronto, Doctoral Candidate
(Im)plausible legality: the rationalisation of human rights abuses in the American 'Global War on Terror'

Caylee Hong, McGill University, LL.B./B.C.L. Candidate
Bill 94 and the Securitization of Religious Difference in Québec

Karena Kyne, York University, Doctoral Candidate
An analysis of the links between the "clash of civilizations discourse" and "bad intelligence" within the post-9/11 context

Panel 4 : Hors de combat : Issues of Law, Justice, and Stability / Hors de combat : Issues de droit, justice, stabilité

Discussant / Présidente : Barbara Falk, MSL, Ph.D., Department of Defence Studies, Canadian Forces College

Fanny Leveau, University of Western Ontario, LL.M. Candidate
Should International Criminal Law Allow the Prosecution of Child Soldiers?

Lauren Balasco, University of Delaware, Doctoral Student
Locating Human Security within the International Criminal Court

Branka Marijan, University of Waterloo, Doctoral Candidate
Not Only Balkan Woes? Post-Intervention and Post-Conflict Lessons from Bosnia

Panel 5 : International Security in National, Regional, and Global Perspectives / La Sécurité internationale en perspectives nationales, regionales et globales

Discussant / Présidente : Anessa Kimball, Ph.D., Department of Political Science, Université Laval

Susan Khazaeli, Doctoral Student, University of Ottawa
Iran's Nuclear Program: Legal Obstacles and Practical Considerations

Gloria Okemuo, Doctoral Student, University of Birmingham Law School
The Law of EU External Relations and the Post 9/11 Security Provisions of the Cotonou Partnership Agreement (CPA): What Challenge(s)?

Louise Tardif, M.A., University of Ottawa

Human Security on the Japanese Foreign Policy Agenda: Changes, Definitions and Applications

**Roundtable / Table Ronde: Women in the Academy / Les femmes en milieu universitaire
(Chatham House Rule)**

Chair / Présidente : Barbara Falk

1. Anessa Kimball, Ph.D.
2. Karen D. Davis, Ph.D.
3. Rhoda Howard-Hassmann, Ph.D., FRSC
4. Diana Juricevic, J.D., M.A.

Workshop Organizers

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