7th Annual Workshop

Canada and NATO: Capabilities and Priorities in an Uncertain Environment

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Networking Reception
US Embassy, Ottawa (by invitation only)
May 29, 2014
17:00 – 19:00

All panels will be held at
The Norman Paterson School of International Affairs:
1125 Colonel By Drive
Ottawa, Ontario, K15 586
8h45 - Opening Remarks  
Light breakfast buffet available
Stéfanie von Hlatky (Queen’s University)

9h00-10h30 Panel 1  
Alliance Dynamics and Military Cooperation
Gale Mattox (US Naval Academy/Georgetown)  
*The Allies in Afghanistan: Lessons Learned*
Costanza Musu (University of Ottawa)  
*Why NATO Intervened in Libya but Not in Syria*
Monica Fornari (Laval/NATO Defence College)  
*The ICC and NATO Military Interventions*
Dominika Kunertova (Université de Montréal)  
*The Politics of Burden-Sharing: Normative Dissensus?*
Sarah Jacqueline Scott (University of Ottawa)  
*The Politics of Tactical Nuclear Weapons*
Discussant: Steve Saideman (NPSIA)

10h30-10h45 Break

10h45-12h30 Roundtable  
Women and the War in Afghanistan
Captain Gina Décarie (Canadian Armed Forces)  
Margaret Biggs (Skelton-Clark Fellow, Queen’s)  
Joyce Kaufman (Whittier College)  
Marina Laker (Embassy of Canada in Kabul)
Discussant: Laura Sjoberg (University of Florida)

12h30-13h30 Lunch

13h30-14h30 Keynote  
Keynote Speaker: Cdt Charlotte Isaksson  
Allied Command Operations Gender Advisor, NATO
Introduced by Anessa Kimball (Université Laval/HEI)

14h30-15h45 Panel 2  
Defence Capabilities and Cooperation
Erika Simpson (Western)  
*Alliance Capabilities and Smart Defence*
Julie-Anne Labonté (Royal Military College of Canada)  
*Rethinking Smart Defence*
Valarie Findlay (St.Andrews, UK)  
*NATO and Cybersecurity*
Discussant: Philippe Lagassé (University of Ottawa)

15h45-16h00 Break

16h00- 17h15 Panel 3  
NATO and Canada
Stéphanie Bélanger (Royal Military College of Canada)  
*The Justification of War: Trends from Interview Data*
Penelope Angelopoulos (University of Toronto)  
*CETA and the Integrated Transatlantic Community*
Emily Robinson and Jillian Carter (Dalhousie)  
*Canada in Libya: The Strategic Interests of Humanitarian Intervention*
Discussant: Joyce Kaufman (Whittier College)

17h15-18h15 Reception  
Remarks by Julie Lindhout  
President, Atlantic Council of Canada
Best Paper Award  
Presented by Chelsea Douglas  
Executive Vice-President, WiDS
Panels will be held at the Norman Paterson School of International Affairs:
River Building at 8:30am and Senate Room at 12:30pm (608 Robertson Hall)
University Drive

**MAY 31, 2014**

**8h30-9h30 Video Conference**
*Light Break Fast available*

**Deborah Lyons, Ambassador of Canada to the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan**

Followed by a discussion with:

Marina Laker
Head of Political, Trade and Public Affairs
Embassy of Canada in Kabul

Moderated by Dr. Barbara Falk

**9h30-10h45 Roundtable**
*Careers in Security and Defence*

Rear Admiral Jennifer Bennett (CAF)
Veronica Kitchen (University of Waterloo)
Laura Sjoberg (University of Florida)
Urooj Mian (Citizenship and Immigration Canada)

Discussant: Gale Mattox (US Naval Academy)

**10h45-11h00 Break**

**11h00-12h30 Roundtable**
*Gender and Field Research*

Nadège Compaoré (Queen’s University)
Krystel Chapman (RMCC)
Katrin Wittig (Université de Montréal)
Gaëlle Rivard Piché (NPSIA)

Discussant: Aisha Ahmad (University of Toronto)

**12h30-14h00 Lunch**

Student participants and WIIS-Canada mentors meet for lunch. Lunch boxes will be available.

**14h00-15h30 Panel 4**
*Foreign and Defence Policy Issues*

Poorneema D. Bujun (Université de Montréal)
*NATO and American Status (In) Security*

Erik Burgos (UQAM)
*L’alliance atlantique doit-elle craindre la Russie?*

Tiffany Siroux (Université de Montréal)
*Je t’aime, moin non plus: Repenser la place de l’OTAN au sein du paradigme stratégique français*

Rupinder Mangat (Balsillie)
*Civil-Military Relations: Non-State Civilian Principals for the Military*

Lauren Moslow (University of Calgary)
*Arctic Relations after Crimea*

Discussant: Barbara Falk (CFC)

**15h30 Closing Remarks**

Anessa Kimball (Université Laval Laval/HEI)

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