

Research Seminar on International Security & Social Science 2008-2009

- October 9 **Col. Joseph Felter**, National Security Affairs Fellow, Hoover Institution
“**The Enemy of my Enemy is Iran: Iranian Influence in Iraq**”
- October 16 **Dara Cohen**, Predoctoral Fellow, CISAC; Peace Scholar, United States
Institute of Peace; PhD Candidate, Political Science, Stanford University
“**Explaining Sexual Violence During Civil War**”
- October 23 **Jacob Shapiro**, Assistant Professor of Politics and International Affairs,
Princeton University
“**Can Hearts and Minds be Bought? The Economics of
Counterinsurgency in Iraq**”
- October 30 **Eli Levite**, Nonresident Senior Associate, Carnegie Endowment
Steven Kull, Director, Program on International Policy Attitudes and
WorldPublicOpinion.org
“**Iran’s Nuclear Program: Perspectives Inside and Outside of Iran**”
- November 6 **Ward Wilson**, Independent Nuclear Weapons Scholar, Trenton, NJ
“**Four Myths About Nuclear Weapons: Hiroshima, H-Bomb,
Deterrence and Usefulness**”
- November 13 Seminar will consist of afternoon session at the **FSI Annual
International Conference: TBA**
- November 20 **Rose McDermott**, Visiting Fellow, Center for Advanced Study in the
Behavioral Sciences, Stanford University; Professor of Political Science,
University of California, Santa Barbara
“**Presidential Leadership, Illness, and Decision Making**”
- December 4 **Emily Meierding**, PhD Candidate, Political Science, University of
Chicago
“**Locating the Oil Wars**”
- January 8 **David Lake**, Professor of Political Science, University of California, San
Diego
“**Hierarchy in International Relations**”
- January 15 **Max Abrahms**, CISAC Predoctoral Fellow; PhD Candidate, Political
Science, UCLA
“**Why Terrorism Still Does Not Work**”

- January 22 **Mary Sarotte**, Associate Professor of International Relations, USC
“1989 & the Architecture of Order: The Competition to Lead the Post-Cold War World”
- January 29 **Dane Swango**, CISAC Predoctoral Fellow; PhD Candidate, Political Science, UCLA
“Participation in the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty”
- February 5 **Gabrielle Hecht**, Associate Professor of History and Director of Graduate Studies, Program in Science, Technology, and Society, University of Michigan
“Proliferating Markets: the Transnational Trade in Uranium from Africa”
- February 12 **Kelly Moore**, Associate Professor of Sociology, University of Cincinnati
“Disrupting Science: Social Movements, American Scientists, and the Politics of the Military, 1945-1975”
- February 19 **Thomas Bruneau**, CISAC Visiting Scholar; Distinguished Professor of National Security Affairs, Naval Postgraduate School
“US Civil - Military Relations and the Implications of the Private Military Contractors”
- February 26 **Emilie Hafner-Burton**, Assistant Professor of Public Policy and Politics at Princeton University; CISAC Affiliate; Visiting Fellow, Stanford Law School
Alexander Montgomery, Visiting Assistant Professor, CISAC; Assistant Professor of Political Science, Reed College
“Network Analysis for International Relations”
- March 5 **Greg Treverton**, Senior Policy Analyst, RAND Corporation; Professor, Pardee RAND Graduate School
“Making Sense of Domestic Intelligence”
- March 12 **Frank Foley**, CISAC Postdoctoral Zukerman Fellow; PhD, Political Science and Social Sciences, European University Institute
“Co-ordinating Counterterrorism: Institutions and Organizational Routines in the United States, France and Britain”
- April 2 **Charli Carpenter**, Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of Massachusetts, Amherst
“Lasers, Bad; Landmines, Really Bad; Killer Robots, No Big Deal: Network Centrality, Agenda-Vetting, and the Paradox of Weapons Norms”

- April 9 **Scott Sagan**, Co-Director of CISAC (sabbatical 2008-09) and Professor of Political Science
“How the World Disarmed: The History of Nuclear Abolition 2009-2025”
- April 16 **Chick Perrow**, Professor (Emeritus) of Sociology, Yale University; Visiting Professor, CISAC
“Big Organizations and Climate Change: The Rubber Hits The Road And The Smell Is Awful”
- April 23 **John Paul Schnapper-Casteras**, CISAC Predoctoral Fellow; MPP Candidate, Harvard Kennedy School; JD Candidate, Stanford
“A SOFA Built for Two: Implementing U.S.-Iraqi Security Agreements”
- April 30 **Katya Drozdova**, Visiting Scholar, Hoover Institution, Stanford University, and Senior Research Scientist, National Security Innovations
“Spies and Terrorists: Subversive Networks Across Ideologies and Times”
- May 7 **Patrick Johnston**, CISAC Predoctoral Fellow; PhD Candidate, Political Science, Northwestern University
“The Effectiveness of Leadership Decapitation in Counterinsurgency Campaigns”
- May 14 **Brent Durbin**, Postdoctoral Teaching Fellow, Public Policy Program, Stanford University; CISAC Affiliate
“Centralizing U.S. Intelligence”
- May 21 **Lynn Eden**, CISAC Acting Co-Director (2008-09) and Senior Research Scholar
“End of the World: Sense, Nonsense, and Nuclear War”
- May 28 **James Fearon**, Theodore and Frances Geballe Professor in the School of Humanities and Sciences and Professor of Political Science, Stanford University; CISAC Faculty Member
“Can Development Aid Contribute to Social Cohesion? Evidence From a Field Experiment in Post-Conflict Liberia”
- June 4 **Amandeep Singh Gill**, CISAC Visiting Scholar
“Nuclear Learning Revisited”