

## THE 'COMMON GOOD' IN TIMES OF TRANSITION

Tuesday 6 June 2017

Venue: British Academy  
10-11 Carlton House Terrace, London, SW1Y 5AH

### DRAFT PROGRAMME

- 08:30 – 09:00 Registration
- 09.00 – 09.20 **Welcome**  
*Professor Ash Amin CBE FBA, Foreign Secretary & Vice-President, British Academy*  
*Professor Christine Bell FBA, Professor of Constitutional Law & Assistant Principal (Global Justice), University of Edinburgh*
- 09:20 – 10:50 **Navigating Inclusion in Transitions from Conflict**  
Chair: *Jonathan Cohen, Executive Director, Conciliation Resources*  
  
*Speakers:*  
*Professor Jok Madut Jok, Under-Secretary, South Sudan Ministry of Culture and Heritage & Executive Director, Sudd Institute*  
*Dr Matthew Preston, Head, Multilateral Research Group, Foreign & Commonwealth Office*  
*Professor Christine Bell FBA, Professor of Constitutional Law & Assistant Principal (Global Justice), University of Edinburgh*
- 10:50 – 11.15 Tea /Coffee Break
- 11:15 – 12.45 **Local Struggles for Human Rights and Equality:  
Entry Points for Political Change**  
Chair: *Professor Thea Hilhorst, Professor of Humanitarian Aid and Reconstruction, Wageningen University*

Speakers:

*Karin Landgren*, Non Resident Fellow, Centre on International Cooperation, New York University

*Louis-Marie Nindorera*, Regional Director, Institute for Integrated Solutions

*Rohan Edrisinhe (tbc)*, Lecturer, University of Colombo

*Rosa Emilia Salamanca (tbc)*, Director, Institute for Social and Economic Research and Action

12:45 – 13:45

Lunch

13:45 – 15:30

**Parallel Session: Unsticking the Stuck: Peace Implementation, Formalised Unsettlements and Ideas for Moving Them Forward**

Chair: *Dr Jan Pospisil*, Research Fellow, Political Settlements Research Programme, University of Edinburgh

Speakers:

*Katia Papagianni*, Director for Policy and Mediation Support Programme, HD Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue

*Dr Duncan Morrow*, Lecturer and Director of Community Engagement, University of Ulster

*Kristian Herbolzheimer*, Director of the Philippines and Colombia Programmes, Conciliation Resources

*Mandira Sharma*, Co-Founder, Advocacy Forum Nepal

13:45 – 15:30

**Parallel Session: Tactics for Change and Changing Tactics: From Dirty Deal to Social Contract in Deeply Divided Societies**

Chair: *Professor Mary Kaldor CBE (tbc)*, Director, Civil Society and Human Security Research Unit, LSE

Speakers:

*Dr Catherine O'Rourke*, Senior Lecturer in Human Rights, University of Ulster

*Professor Stefan Wolff*, Professor of International Security, University of Birmingham

*Deepak Thapa*, Author and Editor, Himal Books, Kathmandu

*Barney Afako (tbc)*, Standby Team, Mediation Support Unit, United Nations

13:45 – 15:30

**Parallel Session: How to Support Social Change Through Peace Processes and Well Beyond**

Chair: *Andy Carl*, Independent Expert on Conflict Resolution

Speakers:

*Professor Jonathan Goodhand*, Professor in Conflict and Development Studies, SOAS University of London

*Avila Kilmurray*, Founder, Northern Ireland Women's Coalition

*Colleen Duggan (tbc)*, Senior Programme Specialist, International Development Research Centre  
*Aden Abdi (tbc)*, Programme Adviser Somalia/Somaliland, Saferworld

15:30 – 15:50      Tea / Coffee Break

15:50 – 17:00      **Practice and Policy Implications and Solutions**

Chair: *Professor Christine Bell FBA*, Professor of Constitutional Law & Assistant Principal (Global Justice), University of Edinburgh

*Speakers:*

*Charlotte Morris*, Senior Conflict Adviser, UK Department for International Development

*Tatiana Carayannis*, Deputy Director, SSRC Conflict Prevention and Peace Forum

*Martin O'Brien (tbc)*, Director, Social Change Initiative

*Michael Semple*, Visiting Research Professor, Queen's University of Belfast

17:00 – 17:10      **Closing Remarks**

*Professor Ash Amin CBE FBA*, Foreign Secretary & Vice-President, British Academy