International History Research Seminar

Michaelmas Term 2016-17

28 September: Culture and Perception in the Age of the Great War

Harry Richards (Keele University): "An Engineered Panic? Spy Fever and Spy Scares in August 1914"

Alex Mayhew (LSE): ""Long Distance Relationships": Postcards to and from the Western Front during the First World War"

12 October: **Italian Politics through American Eyes**

Katy Hull (Georgetown University): "The So-Called Democracy: American Sympathizers with Italian Fascism in the 1920s"

Alice Ciulla (University of Roma Tre): "U.S. Intellectuals and the Italian Communist Party, 1964-80"

26 October: Religion, Violence and Terror

Burcin Cakir (Glasgow Caledonian University): "Ottoman Call to Jihad and Its Aftermath: Entangled Histories in the Middle East"

Judith Jacob (LSE): "Origin Myths: How an Indonesian Terrorist Group Shapes its History"

16 November: **Circumventing the Cold War**

Angela Romano (European University Institute): "The Business/Government Synergy in Pre-Gaullist France's China Policy"

Valeria Zanier (LSE): "The Role of Economic Actors in the Making of China-Italy Relations"

30 November: Nationalism and Jewish Identities

Tamir Karkason (Hebrew University of Jerusalem): "The Jewish-Ottoman Enlightenment in the 19th Century: When Cultures Make Contact"

Roman Vater (University of Oxford): "National Alternatives to Zionism: The Case of the Young Hebrews, 1939-1976"

4-6 PM, 32 Lincoln's Inn Fields, Room B13.

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