THE CHANGING CHARACTER OF WAR CENTRE

Michaelmas Term 2018

CCW Tuesday Seminar Series

Changing Character of Conflict Platform: Understanding, Tracing, and Forecasting Change across Time, Space, and Cultures

Seminars at 1pm, Seminar Room G, Manor Road Building, Oxford. A light sandwich lunch is served at 12.50pm. All are welcome.

Week 1: Tuesday 9 October

Dr Katerina Tkacova, CCW, University of Oxford

Introducing the Changing Character of Conflict Platform Project: New approach to quantitative analysis of protracted conflicts

Week 2: Tuesday 16 October

Alexander L Fattal, Pennsylvania State University From "All Art is Propaganda" to All Propaganda is Marketing

Week 3: Tuesday 23 October

Elizabeth Joyce, United Nations Security Council *The Changing Character of Conflict and the Work of the United Nations on Terrorism*

Week 4: Tuesday 30 October

Chloe Lewis, University of Oxford *Responding to Sexual Violence in Conflict: Fighting Impunity in DRC*

Week 5: Tuesday 6 November

Judith Gardner, Rift Valley Institute *Gender, State-collapse, Conflict and State-building: Recent Research from the Somali Context*

<u>Week 6: Tuesday 13 November</u> **Dr David Brenner, University of London** *Rebel Diplomacy: Territoriality, Identity and the 'Foreign' Affairs of Non-State Armed Groups*

<u>Week 7: Tuesday 20 November</u> Dapo Akande and Emanuela-Chiara Gilliard University of Oxford

The Law and Practice of Cross-border Humanitarian Relief Operations: Syria as a Case Study

<u>Week 8: Tuesday 27 November</u> **Dr Christopher Lilyblad, CCW** *The Constitution of Illicit Orders: Contested Sovereignty in Territorial Domains*

CCW and Uehiro Center for Practical Ethics Security Ethics Programme Seminars at 5.30pm, The Wharton Room, All Souls College

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Week 1: Wednesday 10 October

MAJ Joe Chapa, US Air Force/Oxford)

Predator and Virtue Please note alternative venue for Week 1 only: Allen&Overy Room, Pembroke College

<u>Week 3: Wednesday 24 October</u> **Dr Michael Robillard, Oxford Uehiro Center for Practical Ethics** *Autonomous Weapons and Societal Responsibility*

<u>Week 5: Wednesday 7 November</u> **LTC Bob Underwood, US Army/Oxford** *Killing in the Gray Zone: Who Should Die When We Can't 'Kill Our Way to Victory'?*

Week 7: Wednesday 21 November Dr Mitt Regan, Georgetown Law International Law and Targeted Killing

History of War Seminar

Seminars at 5.15pm, The Wharton Room, All Souls College

<u>Week 2: Wednesday 17 October</u> **Richard Reid, University of Oxford** *Remembering and Forgetting Mirambo: Histories of Pre-Colonial War in Modern Africa*

<u>Week 4: Wednesday 31 October</u> **Peter Holquist, University of Pennsylvania** *Testing the "Laws of War": The Russian Army's Conduct on the Danube Front in the 1877-78 Russo-Turkish War*

<u>Week 6: Wednesday 14 November</u> Benjamin Eacott (Oxford) Russian navy 1900-17 Woody Di Wu (Oxford) Republican Chinese navy

<u>Week 8: Wednesday 28 November</u> **Marianne Klerk, University of Oxford** *The Art of the War Deal*