

# THE CHANGING CHARACTER OF WAR CENTRE

## Hilary Term 2023

### **CCW Tuesday Seminar**

*Seminars at 1pm. Lecture Theatre, Manor Road Building.  
All welcome, no booking necessary.*

Week 1: Tuesday 24 January

**Oliver Lewis, Rebellion Defense**  
Technical Innovation in Defence

Week 4 Tuesday 7 February

**Prof Peter Neumann, Kings College London**  
Evolution of far-right extremist ideologies

Week 6: Tuesday 21 February

**Prof Mark van Vugt, Vrije Universiteit**  
**Dr Sirio Lonati, Neoma Business School**  
The follower map: Towards a theory of the roots of  
cultural variations in leadership ideals

Week 8: Tuesday 7 March

**Julia Carver & Sam Seitz, Oxford**  
NATO's Nordic Neophytes: How Sweden &  
Finland's Accession to NATO Alters the Military  
Balance in Northeast Europe

### **Emerging Threats & Technology Working Group**

*Thursdays, 5pm. Hybrid Venue: Hertford College or  
Microsoft Teams. Limited capacity, please email  
[Christopher.Morris@politics.ox.ac.uk](mailto:Christopher.Morris@politics.ox.ac.uk)*

Week 2: Thursday 26 January

Neural & Cognitive Warfare: Technology,  
Operations, and Strategy

Week 4: Thursday 9 February

Bioinformatics & Big Data: Government and Military  
Applications

Week 6: Thursday 23 February

Human-Machine Teams: From Sensor to Shooter  
Across the Domains

Week 8: Thursday 9 March

Genomics & Bioengineering: Securing Advantage in  
the Biological Domain

### **The Nature & Character of US-UK Relations Seminar**

*Seminars at 5.15pm, Wharton Room, All Souls.  
All welcome, no booking necessary.*

Week 1: Wednesday 18 January

**Dr Robert Ralston, University of Birmingham**  
Declinism in Postwar Britain and the United States

Week 3: Wednesday 1 February

**Professor Wyn Rees, University of Nottingham**  
The Post-Cold War Anglo-American military  
relationship

Week 5: Wednesday 15 February

**Dr Barbara Zanchetta, King's College London**  
Regional cooperation: US-UK relations and strategic  
dilemmas following the Soviet invasion of  
Afghanistan, 1979-1989

Week 7: Wednesday 1 March

**Dr Louise Kettle, University of Nottingham**  
Jordan and Kuwait: US-UK relations in the aftermath  
of Suez

### **Cyber Strategy & Information Operations Group**

*Weekly discussion group—Tuesday 4pm.  
Nuffield College or Microsoft Teams.*

**Limited numbers—to book please email:  
[julia.carver@politics.ox.ac.uk](mailto:julia.carver@politics.ox.ac.uk)**

*For weekly discussion topics, please see:  
[www.ccw.ox.ac.uk/cyber-strategy-working-group](http://www.ccw.ox.ac.uk/cyber-strategy-working-group)*

### **History of War Seminar**

*Fortnightly Seminars—Wednesdays 5.15pm.  
The Wharton Room, All Souls College. All welcome, no  
booking necessary*