



# Nuclear Weapons in International Law and Politics

10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the ICJ's Advisory Opinion on the Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons.

16 March 2007

12.30-18.30

British Institute of International and Comparative Law, Charles Clore House, 17 Russell Square, London WC1B 5JP

## PROGRAMME

Time	
12:30–13:00	<b>Registration</b>
13:00–14:45	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Session I: Revisiting the Advisory Opinion: Substantive Law</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>The 1972 ICJ Nuclear Test Cases (New Zealand v France and Australia v France) and the 1994 Request by New Zealand for an Examination of the Judgement</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Professor Sir Elihu Lauterpacht QC, Lauterpacht Research Centre for International Law, University of Cambridge</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>The Use of Nuclear Weapons and the Protection of the Environment During International Armed Conflict</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr Erik Koppe, Lecturer, Groningen University, Faculty of Law</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Right and Wrong, Then and Now: The Nuclear Weapons Advisory Opinion and Humanitarian Law</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr Robert Cryer, Reader, Nottingham University, School of Law</p>
14:45–15:00	<b>Break</b>
15:00–16:45	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Session II: Nuclear Weapons, International Law and Politics</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Nuclear Weapons and the Right to Self-Defence</u></b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr Michael Byers, Canada Research Chair in Global Politics and International Law, University of British Columbia</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Great Powers, Law and Nuclear Weapons</u></b></p>

	<p><b>Dr Gerry Simpson</b>, Reader in Law, London School of Economics (LSE), Law Department</p> <p><b><u>Nuclear Weapons and the UN Security Council</u></b></p> <p><b>Matthew Happold</b>, Reader, University of Hull, Law School</p>
16:45–17:00 <b>Coffee/Tea Break</b>	
17:00–18:30	<p><b><u>Session III: The Nuclear Non-Proliferation Regime System</u></b></p> <p><b><u>The Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty: Time for Restructuring?</u></b></p> <p><b>Dr Daniel Joyner</b>, Associate Professor, Warwick School of Law</p> <p><b><u>Realistic Options to Strengthen the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty</u></b></p> <p><b>Dr Ian Anthony</b>, Project leader of Non-Proliferation and Export Control Project (NEC), Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI)</p>
<b>Wine and Cheese Reception</b>	

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