Welcome or welcome back to the Intelligence Seminar! As in previous years, the Seminar will provide a forum for distinguished visiting speakers, innovative intelligence research in progress in Cambridge, and discussion. There is usually time in the latter part of each Seminar for members, if they wish, to mention newly-declassified documents in the archives and other recent discoveries.

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Unless otherwise indicated below, the Seminar venue remains the New Combination Room (NCR) at Corpus Christi College (entry via C staircase, New Court). The Seminar commences promptly at 5.30 pm.

Friday 20 January: 5-30 pm, Corpus Christi NCR (entry via C staircase, New Court)
Seminar to mark the Inauguration in Washington of President Donald J Trump
Less than half an hour before the Seminar begins, control of the nuclear codes will pass to President Trump
Professor Chris Andrew: ‘The Transfer of the Nuclear Codes’
Sir Richard Dearlove: ‘Reflections on the Intelligence Transition’
Dr Dina Rezk (Reading University): ‘Presidents Trump and Sisi’
Three years ago General Michael Flynn, the new President’s National Security Adviser, gave a presentation to the Seminar.

Friday 27 January: 5-30 pm, Corpus Christi NCR (entry via C staircase, New Court)
Dr Aaron Rapport (POLIS), ‘Nuclear Surprise and the “Silly Certainty of Hindsight”’

Friday 3 February: 2pm in Harley-Mason Room, New Court, Corpus (turn right at Porters Lodge). Please note change in usual time and location due to evening event in Corpus
Dr Tom Maguire (Darwin College and KCL), ‘British internal security assistance: ‘Counter-subversion’ and post-imperial influence in the global Cold War’
**Friday 10 February**: 5-30 pm in Harley-Mason Room, New Court, Corpus (turn right at Porters Lodge). *Please note change in usual location due to event in Corpus*

Sir David Omand (formerly first UK Security and Intelligence Coordinator, and Permanent Secretary in the Cabinet Office) and Professor Mark Phythian (Leicester University): ‘Safe and Sound: Ethics, Surveillance, and Secret Intelligence’

**Friday 17 February**: 5-30 pm, Corpus Christi NCR (entry via C staircase, New Court)

Frederic Ischebeck-Baum (KCL): ‘Hawks, Doves and Bears - Ukraine 2017’

**Friday 24 February**: 5-30 pm, Corpus Christi NCR (entry via C staircase, New Court)

Professor Tony Craig (University of Staffordshire): ‘Intelligence Management and the security stovepipe in Northern Ireland, 1968-1974’

**Friday 3 March**: 11 am (coffee) for 11-30 am at the Royal United Services Institute, Whitehall (not far from the MOD) *[Please note change of time & Whitehall location]*

Joint meeting (including lunch) with British Study Group on Intelligence

The meeting is expected to end at 3-30 pm

*Further details will be circulated*

**Friday 10 March**: 5-30 pm, Corpus Christi NCR (entry via C staircase, New Court)

JD Work (Research Director, Cyber Conflict Documentation Project, Washington DC): ‘Russian cyber operations and their intrusion on the current strategic landscape’