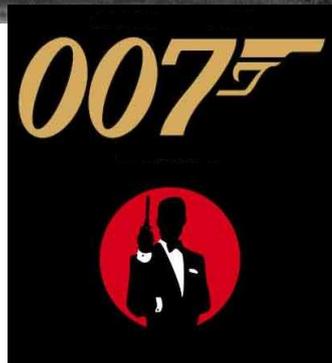
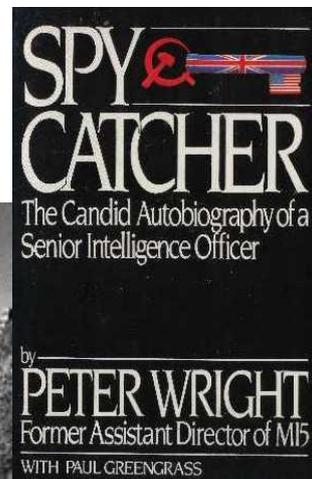


SYMPOSIUM: British Intelligence, Spooks and James Bond: A Diverse Approach to the Secret World

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FRIDAY, 4th May

Time	Event	Paper & Speaker
9.50	Opening Remarks and Welcome: Professor Len Scott	
10.00 –	Discussion with Professor Lord Hennessy (the House of Lords; Queen Mary, University of London) on 'The Secret State'	
11.45 -	PANEL 1 INTELLIGENCE ASSESSMENTS Chaired by Mr Damien Van Puyvelde	Mr Michael Seibold (Dep. of International Politics, Aberystwyth) 'Bureaucratic Security and a Certain Country: British Assessment of French Intelligence Insecurity and the Founding of NATO' Dr Rory Cormac (King's College, London) 'Intelligence and the Sanctioning of Covert Intervention: Lessons from History'
12.45 – 13.30	Lunch break (lunch is provided in the foyer of the Main Hall)	
13.30 -	PANEL 2 INTELLIGENCE & SECURITY IN THE MIDDLE EAST Chaired by Professor Peter Jackson	Mr Steven Wagner (Oxford University) 'British SIGINT and Palestine Security 1934-47' Mr Chikara Hashimoto (Dep. of International Politics, Aberystwyth) 'Fighting the Cold War or Post-Colonialism? What the Records of MI5 Tell Us about British Presence in the Post-War Middle East'
14.30 – 14.45	Break (coffee/tea is provided in the foyer of the Main Hall)	
14.45 –	PANEL 3 INTELLIGENCE ASSESSMENTS – GETTING IT RIGHT or WRONG? Chaired by Professor Martin Alexander	Dr Kristan Stoddart (Dep. of International Politics, Aberystwyth) 'Ten Feet Tall? NATO's Intelligence Assessments of the Warsaw Pact during the Cold War'. Dr Michael Goodman (King's College, London) 'The JIC and the Prediction of International Crises'
16.00 –	Guest Talk by Dr Peter Jarvis & Mrs Sue Jarvis (Founding Members of Bletchley Park Trust) on 'The Formation of the Bletchley Park Trust'	
16.45 –	Drink Reception <i>sponsored by Publishers</i>	
17.30 –	Keynote speech by Sir Rodric Braithwaite (former British Ambassador in Moscow and Chairman of the JIC) on 'A Sceptic View of Secret Intelligence'	

SATURDAY, 5th May

9.30 -	<p>PANEL 4</p> <p>LITERATURE in JOURNALISM and PUBLIC PERCEPTION</p> <p>Chaired by Dr Claudia Hillebrand</p>	<p>Dr Christopher Moran (Warwick University) 'Harry Chapman Pincher: Sleuthing the Secret State'</p> <p>Miss Stephanie Jones (Dep. of Theatre Film & Television Studies, Aberystwyth) "Like a Party Political Broadcast for you-know-who": James Bond in the 1980s'</p>
10.30 - 10.45	Break (Coffee/tea is provided in the foyer of the Main Hall)	
10.45 –	<p>PANEL 5</p> <p>REPRESENTATION and MEDIA</p> <p>Chaired by Professor Len Scott</p>	<p>Mr Andrew Hammond (Warwick University) 'Representation of the CIA and Afghanistan in Hollywood Cinema'</p> <p>Professor Richard J. Aldrich (Warwick University) 'Defender of the Faith: William F. Buckley and the CIA'</p>
12.00 – 13.00	Lunch break (lunch is provided in the foyer of the Main Hall)	
13.00 -	<p>PANEL 6</p> <p>SIGINT: SOCIAL and INTERNATIONAL HISTORIES</p> <p>Chaired by Dr Andrew Priest</p>	<p>Mr Dan Larsen (Cambridge University) 'At the Nexus of Intelligence and International History: British Intelligence, the United States, and Approaching Signals Intelligence in the Early Twentieth Century'</p> <p>Mr Christopher Smith (Dep. of Welsh History and History, Aberystwyth) 'How to Keep Secret: Bletchley Park and Local Community'</p>