

**‘Challenges of Security Cooperation in EUrope’,
22-23 October 2012, Aberystwyth, United Kingdom. Aberystwyth University:
Department of International Politics, LSE: European Institute.**

**Monday, 22nd of October,
Main Hall- International Politics Building**

Schedule of Events	
10.00-10.30	Welcome Tea & Coffee, Opening Remarks: Pola Zafra (Aberystwyth University)
10.30-12.00	Guest Lecture: Dr. Felix Ciuta (University College London)
12.00-13.00	Lunch Break (provided)
13.00-14.30 Panel 1	<p>“Europe’s Crises and Threat Management: Identification, Construction, Response” Chair: Dr. Carl Death (Aberystwyth University)</p> <p>Sofiane Ouaret (Kings College London), <i>Unified Security Practices in the European Union? The Case of Europol</i> Norma Rossi (University of Reading), <i>Questioning the Understanding of Organized Crime in the EU: Reconceptualising the European Political Space</i> Giulia Tercovich (Global Governance Institute-Brussels), <i>Evaluation of the New EU Crisis Response Mechanism: the Case of Libya</i> Rafaela Rodrigues de Brito (University of Southampton), <i>Climate Change and International Security: Challenges for the EU</i></p>
14.45-16.15	<p>Roundtable: “Europe’s Unholy Trinity: Austerity- Autonomy- Apostasy” Chair: Bleddyn Bowen (Aberystwyth University)</p>
16.15-16.45	Tea & Coffee Break
16.45-18.00	Guest Lecture: Prof. Campbell Craig (Aberystwyth University)
20.00	Conference Dinner, in town

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10.00-10.30	Welcome Tea & Coffee
10.30-12.00 Panel 2	<p>“Exporting European Security: the Regionalist Ideal at Home and Abroad” Chair: Dr. Jennifer Mathers (Aberystwyth University)</p> <p>Yannis Tsantoulis (University College London), <i>Elite-Networks and the Politics of Writing/Conceptualising the Black Sea Region: Reflecting on a Failure in EUrope’s East</i></p> <p>Yilmaz Kaplan (University of York), <i>The Balkans’ Overdependence on the EU: as a New Security Problem</i></p> <p>Elena Melikishvili (Kings College London), <i>EU and the EaP States: the Patterns of Cooperation and Division</i></p> <p>Katarzyna Kaczmarek (Aberystwyth University), <i>Security in the Neighbourhood through the Promotion of Regionalism?</i></p>
12.00-13.00	Lunch Break
13.00-14.30	Guest Lecture: Prof. Nicholas Wheeler (University of Birmingham)
14.45-16.15 Panel 3	<p>“Moving to ‘Bad Neighbourhoods’ : European Benchmarks and Local Regimes” Chair: Dr. Jan Ruzicka (Aberystwyth University)</p> <p>Danny Singh (University of York), <i>Curbing Corruption in Afghanistan to Enhance Security and Justice Sector Reforms</i></p> <p>Shelly Gottfried (City University London), <i>The EU and the Oligarchy in Israel: a Central Actor, but not a Factor?</i></p> <p>Moritz Reinsch (LSE), <i>Re-evaluating the EU’s Strategic Culture within the Context of Operation Atlanta</i></p> <p>Ira Bliatka (Aberystwyth University), <i>Bordering to the East: Regulating Ways In...</i></p>
16.15-16.45	Tea & Coffee Break
16.45-18.00	<p>Concluding Roundtable Dr Alistair Shepherd (Aberystwyth University)</p>
18.00	Wine Reception