

A weekly Friday lunch-time seminar hosted by  
Politics and IR, School of Social and Political  
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The Transatlantic Seminar is designed to promote  
informed discussion of current issues and research  
on American and European politics, economy,  
society and (especially) transatlantic relations.

# TRANSATLANTIC SEMINAR

# AUTUMN 2011

- 22|09|11** **Struan Stephenson MEP (Booking Required, NB 5pm)**  
Playfair Stalin's Legacy: Environmental disasters in Central Asia
- 30|09|11** **Julie Kaarbo, University of Edinburgh**  
SR1 CMB The Domestic Politics of Transatlantic Relations
- 07|10|11** **Andrea Birdsall, University of Edinburgh**  
SR1 CMB Guantanamo Bay, National Security & Human Rights
- 14|10|11** **Roundtable: Richard Corbett, David Martin MEP, John Peterson, Michael Shackleton**  
SR1 CMB Has the European Parliament Come of Age?
- 21|10|11** **Gonzalo Pozo Martin, Kings College London**  
SR1 CMB The Geopolitics of the Arctic
- 28|10|11** **Thierry Balsacq, Univ. of Namur and Univ. of Louvain**  
SR1 CMB The Evolution of EU Internal Security
- 04|11|11** **Janet Fenton, Edinburgh Peace and Justice Centre**  
SR1 CMB Scotland is for Peace
- 11|11|11** **Chris Ogden, University of St. Andrews**  
SR1 CMB The Rise of China
- 18|11|11** **No Seminar**
- 25|11|11** **Roundtable: Emma Murphy, Francesco Cavatorta Ewan Stein chaired by Adham Saouli**  
SR1 CMB Toppling tyrants: Revolution in the Middle East and North Africa
- 28|11|11** **Shami Chakrabarti, Liberty (Booking Required, NB 5.15pm)**  
Playfair Title TBC
- 02|12|11** **Alessandro Fusacchia, Council of the EU**  
SR1 CMB Global Governance and the EU

The seminars are (normally) held Fridays 1pm- 2.30pm in Seminar Room 1 of the Chyrstal Macmillan Building, with no need to book unless stated. Full details available at: [www.pol.ed.ac.uk/events/transatlantic\\_seminars](http://www.pol.ed.ac.uk/events/transatlantic_seminars)

