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THEME: POLITICAL EXTREMISM

THE FAIRMONT WASHINGTON
Executive Forum, Ballroom Level

SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2008

SESSION I – CASE ANALYSIS
MODERATOR – NASSIR GAEMI
9:15 APA’S GOLDWATER RULE: ETHICS OF SPEAKING PUBLICLY ABOUT PUBLIC FIGURES – PART 1 – JEROME KROLL
9:35 DISCUSSION

9:45 SOFIA PEROVSKAIA: FROM NOBLEWOMAN TO TERRORIST: A PSYCHOANALYTICALLY INFORMED PSYCHO-HISTORICAL INTERPRETATION – CARROLL A. WEINBERG
10:05 DISCUSSION

10:15 GENERAL EDWIN WALKER: A CASE STUDY – CHARLES R. OPPEGARD
10:35 DISCUSSION

10:45 BREAK

11:35 DISCUSSION

11:45 FROM THE OUTSIDE-IN: THE ADAPTIVE LEADERSHIP OF HUGO CHAVEZ – STEFAN REICH & KIMBERLY LEARY
12:05 DISCUSSION

12:15 APA’S GOLDWATER RULE: ETHICS OF SPEAKING PUBLICLY ABOUT PUBLIC FIGURES – PART 2 – CLAIRE POUNCEY
12:35 DISCUSSION

12:45 LUNCH

SESSION II – PSYCHOBIOLOGY AND POLITICAL EXTREMISM
MODERATOR – PATRICIA ROSS
2:15 GENES AND IDEOLOGICAL EXTREMES – AARON KOSTKO
2:35 DISCUSSION

2:45 THE PERSONAL AND COMMUNAL SELF – FRED CUMMINS
3:05 DISCUSSION

3:15 BREAK

3:45 THE FUNGIBLE CENTER: COGNITIVE SCIENCE AND THE POTENTIAL AND LIMITS OF MODERATION – PETER BROWN
4:05 DISCUSSION

4:35 DISCUSSION

4:45 ADJOURN
SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2008

SESSION III – RELIGION AND POLITICAL EXTREMISM
MODERATOR – CHRISTIAN PERRING
8:30 Psychopathology and Political Extremism as Mutually Reinforcing Phenomena – FAYEZ EL-GABALAWI
8:50 Discussion

9:00 Enemies of God: An Exploration into the Psychodynamics of Religion and Violence – MARSHA AILEEN HEWITT
9:20 Discussion

9:30 Nietzsche and Freud on the Psychopathology of Religious Extremism – MARK P. JENKINS
9:50 Discussion

10:00 BREAK

SESSION IV – KEYNOTE ADDRESS
MODERATOR – DONALD MENDER
10:30 Terrorism, Psychopathology, and the Limits of Understanding – DEREK BOLTON
11:15 Discussion

11:45 LUNCH

SESSION V – IDENTITY, NORMATIVITY, AND POLITICAL EXTREMISM
MODERATOR – CLAIRE POUNCEY
1:00 Moral Contents and Moral Capacities: A Contribution to Understanding Relationships Between Psychopathology and Political Extremism – JOHN Z. SADLER
1:20 Discussion

1:30 Political Violence and the Concept of Collective Psychopathology – RICHARD KOENIGSBERG
1:50 Discussion

2:00 The Concept of “Extreme” in Politics and Psychopathology: An Intersectional Perspective – PETER ZACHAR
2:20 Discussion

2:30 BREAK

3:00 Integrity, Fanaticism and Psychopathology: Integration or Fragmentation of the Self in Cases of Psychopathology and Political Extremism – DANIEL D. MOSELEY
3:20 Discussion

3:30 The Myth of Political Extremism – ERIC MANDELBAUM
3:50 Discussion

4:00 Boundary Violations of the U.S. Constitution – DONALD MENDER
4:20 Discussion

4:30 ADJOURN

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