The Graduate School of International Policy and Management (GSIPM) Presents

The Fourth Annual Global Problems and Solutions Colloquium

“Evolving Global Security Challenges:
From Traditional to Nontraditional Security Challenges”

What are the most crucial issues on the nonproliferation agenda over the next five years? Has the U.S. government finally figured out how to "do" nation-building? What is the connection between global warming and conflict? Does promoting democracy abroad really work?

The 2013 Colloquium features frank discussions with leading international experts, top academics, and senior Obama Administration officials on some of the most pressing challenges of the current age, ranging from nonproliferation and cyber security to democratization and human security.

The course provides a unique opportunity for students to interact with global thought leaders and key policymakers as well as students from multiple degree programs, to understand how key international policy issues are related and connected.

**Featured Speakers Include:**

Post-Conflict Reconstruction: **Nicholas Tomb**, Program Coordinator, Center for Stabilization and Reconstruction Studies, Naval Post-graduate School, and co-founder, Global Majority

Nonproliferation Challenges Old and New: **Joseph Cirincione**, President, Ploughshares Fund

Maritime Security in East Asia: **Mark Valencia**, Maritime Policy Associate, Nautilus Institute

Managing Traditional Alliances: **Steve Clemons**, Editor at Large at The Atlantic and founder of the American Strategy Program at the New America Foundation

Cybersecurity/Cyberwarfare: **Adam Segal**, Maurice R. Greenberg Senior Fellow for China Studies, Council on Foreign Relations
Transition and Democracy Building: Sophal Ear, Professor, Naval Postgraduate School and Amy Hawthorne, consultant and former Senior Advisor for Egypt, Bureau for Near East/Asia, Department of State

Food Insecurity and Farms Race: Michael Kugelman, Senior Program Associate for South and Southeast Asia, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars

Role of Culture in International Security: Christopher Twomey, Professor, Naval Postgraduate School

Human Security in North Korea: Scott Snyder, Senior Fellow for Korea Studies and Director of the Program on U.S.-Korea Policy, Council on Foreign Relations

Colloquium History: The GSIPM Global Problems and Solutions Colloquium is a semester long course and guest speaker series. The course brings thought leaders and leading practitioners from all over the world, business leaders, policy wonks, top and grounded scholars, and influential journalists to the classroom to share their insights, frustrations, and tips on solving some of the world’s toughest problems. View information on past colloquiums.

Public Events: Select presentations will be open to the greater MIIS community and public.

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