

POSTGRADUATE INTERNATIONAL STUDIES

Newsletter – May/June 2013

Welcome to the May/June newsletter about recent developments related to our suite of MA degrees in International Studies and the MA in International Law and International Relations.

Prof. Math Noortmann (Course Director, MA in International Law and International Relations)

Annual Postgraduate Day



At our 8th Annual Postgraduate Day on 11 June:

- Professor Peter Newell of the University of Sussex gave a guest lecture on his most recent book *Globalisation and the Environment: Capitalism, Ecology, Power*
- Three of our PhD students presented on aspects of their research degrees.
- Our current MA students gave short summaries of their dissertation plans and received support and questions from fellow students and staff.

This annual event provides an opportunity for our MA students to engage with colleagues from other universities and our PhD students. It also prepares them in presenting their research.

Links with Calcutta University (India)

During his recent visit to Oxford Brookes, the Vice-Chancellor of Calcutta University, Prof Das reconfirmed our cooperation with the Institute of Foreign Policy Studies at Calcutta University.

International Conference on Human Security

The department is organising a major international conference on Human Security in January 2014, with internationally renowned keynote speakers and hundreds of participants. MA students will be invited to participate in the preparation and running of the conference. More details can be found at: <http://www.social-sciences.brookes.ac.uk/conferences/2014/human-security-at-20/>



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