

**RIISING POWERS IN THE INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM:
HARNESSING OPPORTUNITIES, MANAGING CHALLENGES¹**

**CENTRE FOR RISING POWERS AND CRASSH
UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE
24-25 FEBRUARY 2012**

9:00-9:30 **Registration**

9.30-11am **Panel 1: Rising Powers in the International System**

Chair and Discussant: Professor Andrew Gamble*

- The Rise of the BRICs – Mr Jim O’Neill * (Goldman Sachs)
- The Historic Struggle for Mastery – Professor Brendan Simms* (POLIS, Cambridge; Member, Steering Committee, CRP)
- Negotiating with and as New Powers – Dr Amrita Narlikar* (POLIS, Cambridge; Director, CRP)

Coffee Break

11.30-1:00 pm **Panel 2: Challenges and Opportunities in the Global Economy**

Chair and Discussant: Professor Willy Brown*

- Losing Control to the BRICs? Mr Stephen King *(HSBC)
- The Role of Rising Powers in Managing Economic Crises – Mr Zia Qureshi* (Director of Strategy and Operations, World Bank)
- Developmental Policies and Global Governance: Washington versus Beijing Consensus - Dr Christos Pitelis* (Director, CIBAM, Judge Business School)

Lunch

2.00-3.30pm **Panel 3: New Security Threats**

Chair and Discussant: Professor Brendan Simms*

- New Security Threats in the New Balance of Power – Sir Richard Dearlove* (Master, Pembroke College; Member of Steering Committee, CRP)
- Energy Security and Climate Change – Dr Eleni Vezirgiannidou* (University of Birmingham)
- Migration and Multiculturalism – Professor Christopher Hill* (POLIS; Member, Steering Committee, CRP)

Tea Break

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4.00-5.30pm Panel 4: The Changing Balance of Power – Perspectives from the “BICs”

Chair and Discussant: Dr Amrita Narlikar*

- Brazil as a Rising Power: Ambassador Roberto Jaguaribe* (Brazilian Ambassador, London)
- India as a Rising Power: Ms Xenia Dormandy* (Chatham House)
- China in the Changing Balance of Power: Mr Stephen Bourne* (Chief Executive, Cambridge University Press)

6:00-7:00pm Reception Sponsored by Cambridge University Press at the CUP Bookshop

7.30pm Dinner for Speakers

Day 2

9.00-10.30am Panel 5: Securing Stability amidst Global and Regional Change – Perspectives from the established powers

Chair and Discussant: Sir Christopher Hum*

- The US Perspective: Economic Counsellor Julie Nutter* (Head, US Embassy Economic Division)
- The EU and Rising Powers: Dr Markus Gehring* (University of Cambridge)
- Coping with Development Challenges: Professor Chris Whitty* (Chief Scientific Advisor, DFID)
- Rising Powers and UN Security Council Reform: Mr Sam Daws* (Foreign and Commonwealth Office & University of Oxford)

Coffee Break

11:00 am-12.30pm Panel 6: Solutions and Ways Forward

Chair and Discussant: Dr Amrita Narlikar*

Round Table Panel Discussion led by CRP Members

- Norms and the emerging global order: Professor Andrew Hurrell* (Balliol, Oxford; Member of CRP International Advisory Board)
- Institutional Solutions – multilateral and regional: Professor Andrew Gamble* (POLIS, Cambridge; Member of CRP Steering Committee)
- Managing Multipolarity and Interdependence: Mr Dan Kim* (CRP Research Associate)
- The G20: opportunities and challenges for rising powers: Ms Maha Kamel* (CRP Research Associate)

*** Indicates confirmed participation**