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International Law Seminar

GUANTANAMO AND INTERNATIONAL LAW

Is there a legal limbo?

Emeritus Professor Ivan Shearer AM RFD

Date: Tuesday 18 May 2004
Time: 5.30-7pm
Place: Law Link Theatre, Faculty of Law, Building 5
corner Fellows and East Roads, ANU

Professor Shearer is a Member of the UN Human Rights Committee. He served as the Charles H. Stockton Professor of International Law at the US Naval War College, Newport Rhode Island, from 2000-2001. He retired as Challis Professor of International Law in the University of Sydney in December 2003, and is currently a Visiting Fellow in the Faculty of Law at ANU.

In this seminar he will examine the status of the detainees at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, and the arguments in relation to the legality of their continuing detention presently being considered by the US Supreme Court. He will discuss the applicable rules of international humanitarian law and human rights law.

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