

International Law Conference

# THE UNITED NATIONS AND STATE BUILDING

Thursday 27 November 2003

Law Lecture Theatre, Faculty of Law  
cnr Fellows and East Roads, ANU

The one day conference will discuss the role of the United Nations in dealing with states emerging from periods of violence. It will consider the lessons to be learned from UN involvement in East Timor, Afghanistan and Iraq.

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| 9.30-11am   | Session 1:<br>Speakers: | <b>The UN and state building in Afghanistan and Iraq</b><br>Professor Amin Saikal, Director, Centre for Arab & Islamic Studies (The Middle East & Central Asia), ANU<br>Professor William Maley, Director, Asia-Pacific College of Diplomacy, ANU |
| 11-11.30am  | Morning tea             |   |
| 11.30-1pm   | Session 2:<br>Speakers: | <b>Gender, human rights and state building</b><br>Dr Judith Gardam, Reader, Faculty of Law, University of Adelaide<br>Associate Professor Anne Orford, Faculty of Law, University of Melbourne  |
| 1-2.15pm    | Lunch                   |   |
| 2.15-3.45pm | Session 3:<br>Speakers: | <b>The future of the UN and state building</b><br>Professor Chris Reus-Smit, Head, International Relations, RSPAS, ANU<br>Dr Daniel Fitzpatrick, Faculty of Law, ANU  |
| 3.45-4 pm   | Conclusion              | Professor Hilary Charlesworth   |

To register to attend the conference, please complete the accompanying registration form and return it by **Monday 24 November** to

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