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Religion, Politics and Development in Muslim Societies

The following seminars will be held at Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies, Marston Road, during Hilary Term 2018 on Wednesdays at 5.00 pm unless otherwise indicated. All welcome.

Professor Bassam Fattouh

17 January

Oxford Institute for Energy Studies

Oil Markets and the Political Economy of Reform in Saudi Arabia

Professor Eric Chaney

24 January

University of Oxford

Religion and the Rise and Fall of Islamic Science

Professor Jean-Philippe Platteau

31 January

University of Namur

Islam Instrumentalised: Religion and Politics in Historical Perspective

Professor Danny Quah

Monday, 5 February

National University of Singapore

What Does the Global Shift in Economic Power mean for Smaller States? Implications of China's Belt and Road Initiative

Dr Toby Matthiesen

14 February

University of Oxford

How much do Doctrinal Debates and the Early Historical Disputes Matter in Sunni-Shi'i Relations?

Dr Adnan Naseemullah

21 February

King's College London

Explaining Political Order and Disorder in Pakistan's Northwest

Dr Nemat Bizhan

28 February

Blavatnik School of Government, Oxford

Foreign Aid and State Building in a Fragile Context: Afghanistan after 9/11

Professor Simon Quinn

7 March

University of Oxford

Exploring a New Research Frontier: What Can Randomised Control Trials Tell Us About Islamic Finance?

Professor Saumitra Jha

Friday, 23 March

Stanford University

Trade and Tolerance: What Can We Learn from South India?