



German Historical Institute

Conference:

Why Do Terrorists Stop?

June 5 - 7, 2008

Conveners:

Alia Ayub (Hoover Institution)

Carola Dietze (GHI)

Christof Mauch (LMU München)

Timothy Naftali (Hoover Institution)

*In Cooperation with the
Amerika Institut (Munich) and the
Hoover Institution.*

Preliminary Program

Thursday, June 5, 2008

- 6:00 – 7:00 pm **Welcome: Christof Mauch and Timothy Naftali**
Public Opening-lecture: Stefan Aust
Comment: Bruce Hoffman
- 7:00 – 9:00 pm **Reception** at the GHI

Friday, June 6, 2008

- 8:30 am **Breakfast**, Reading Room GHI
- 9:00 am **Opening**
- 9:15 – 11:00 am **Panel 1: Revolutionary Terrorism**
Chair: **Christof Mauch**
- Beatrice de Graaf** (Rijksuniversiteit Utrecht):
Red Brigades
- Leena Malkki** (University of Helsinki):
Rode Jeugd
- Assaf Moghadam** (Harvard University):
Red Army Fraction
- 11:00 – 11:30 am **Coffee break**
- 11:30 am – 1:00 pm **Panel 2: Palestinian Terrorist Groups**
Chair: **Alia Ayub**
- Nasra Hassan**:
Remarks on Black September Organization
- Yoram Schweitzer** (Institute for National Security Studies,
Tel Aviv):
*Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine, Wadia
Haddad Organization, May 10 Organization*
- 1:00 – 2:30 pm **Lunch break**

2:30 – 4:15 pm

Panel 3: Ethno-Nationalist Terrorism

Chair: **Timothy Naftali**

Rogelio Alonso (Juan Carlos Univ. Madrid):
ETA

Beatrice de Graaf (Rijksuniversiteit Utrecht):
Free South Moluccan Youths

Jonathan Stevenson (U.S. Naval War College):
IRA

4:15 – 4:45 pm

Coffee break

4:45 – 6:15 pm

Panel 4: Islamic Terrorism

Chair: **Carola Dietze**

Mamoun Fandy (International Institute for Strategic
Studies London):
Al Gama'a Al-Islamiyya

Magnus Ranstorp (Swedish National Defence College):
Hezbollah

7:00 – 9:00 pm

Conference-Dinner:

Tabard Inn, 1739 N St. N.W., Washington D.C.

Saturday, June 7, 2008

8:30 am

Breakfast, Reading Room GHI

9:15 – 11:00 am

Round Table:

Bruce Hoffman (Georgetown University)

Daniel Byman (Georgetown University)

Martha Crenshaw (Stanford University)

11:00 – 11:15 am

Coffee break

11:15 am – 12:15 pm

Final Discussion

Chair: **Christof Mauch & Timothy Naftali**

12:30 pm

Pizza-Lunch at the GHI