The Great War in the Middle East 1911-1923

20-22 April 2016

A series of events at the Royal Military Academy Sandhurst and the University of Oxford





Friday 22 April 2016 Pembroke College, University of Oxford

08.30 - Travel to Oxford (St Aldate's) from RMAS

- 10.30 11.15 Coffee and welcome at Pembroke College
- 11.15 12.30Lecture: Ideas for the Future of the Middle East at War's End
Eugene Rogan
 - The Arabists and Imperialists
 - Balfour Declaration and Zionism
 - President Wilson and Self-determination
 - Arab and Turkish Nationalism
- 12.30 14.00 Lunch

14.00 – 16.00Roundtable Discussion: Unresolved Questions on the First World
War in the Middle East

Chair: Eugene Rogan Panellists: John Darwin, Margaret Macmillan, Robert Johnson, Himmet Umunç, Matthew Hughes

- Was this an Allied victory?
- Did the Great War create the conditions for the wars that came after?
- How far did the Great War give birth to the modern state system in the Middle East?
- Is the legacy of the Great War more significant for the Middle East than for Europe?

16.00 Close

To register for the event in Pembroke College only, please email <u>ruth.murray@pmb.ox.ac.uk</u> by 11 April 2016. A confirmation email will sent on Thursday 14 April to attendees.