

Interdisciplinary Symposium on Oil, Thursday, December 4, 2008

Featured Speakers:

Terry Lynn Karl
Michael Klare

Symposium Participants:

Lisa Breglia (Global Affairs) on Mexican oil, Pemex and privatization

Michael Malouf (English) on oil and consumer culture

Paul Smith (Cultural Studies) on the founding of OPEC in 1960

Ming Wan (PIA) on China/Africa oil trade and relations

Terry Lynn Karl is Professor of Political Science and Gildred Professor of Latin American Studies at Stanford University. She is an internationally recognized expert on the politics of oil and the author of many books and articles including the prize-winning *The Paradox of Plenty: Oil Booms and Petro-States*, *Oil Wars* (with Mary Kaldor and Yahia Said), and *Bottom of the Barrel: Africa's Oil Boom and the Poor* (with Ian Gary).

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Michael Klare is the Five College Professor of Peace and World Security Studies at Hampshire College and is world renowned for his work on international resources, armaments and wars. He is the author of many books including the acclaimed *Resource Wars: The New landscape of Global Conflict*, *Blood and Oil: The Dangers and Consequences of America's Growing Dependency on Imported Petroleum*. His newly published book is *Rising Powers, Shrinking Planet: The New Geopolitics of Energy*.

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1:00 pm – 7:00 pm, FAIRFAX CAMPUS, Mason Hall, Meese Room