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## **EVENTS**

### **1. 'Intelligence Analysis for the Private Sector' with Maria Robson Morrow and Lewis Sage-Passant**

15 June  
Online

Maria Robson Morrow teaches research methods in the MS (Intelligence Analysis) program at Johns Hopkins University, and works as the Intelligence Project Program Coordinator at the Harvard Kennedy School. From 2012 to 2017, she worked as a security intelligence analyst in the energy industry in her home country of Canada.

Lewis Sage-Passant is a doctoral researcher at the University of Loughborough, where he studies the history and present structure, sources, and methods of private-sector intelligence teams.

More details [here](#)

### **2. 'The Digital World: Killing Espionage & Saving Intelligence?'**

16 June  
Online

Sue Gordon and Ellen McCarthy will discuss how the digital environment is revolutionizing the craft of intelligence.

Confirmed as the Principal Deputy Director of National Intelligence in 2017, Sue Gordon became the highest-ranking civilian intelligence officer in the US. She has over three decades of service including

both the Central Intelligence Agency and National Geospatial Intelligence Agency.

Ellen McCarthy is the Chairwoman and CEO of the Truth in Media Cooperative and Noodle Labs. Most recently she was Assistant Secretary of State for the Bureau of Intelligence and Research in the US State Department.

More details [here](#)

### **3. 'Code Name Madeline' with Arthur Magida**

16 June

Online

Seventy-nine years ago Noor Inayat Khan was flown to France to take on the dangerous job as a wireless operator for Britain's Special Operations Executive (SOE) in Nazi-controlled France. The daughter of a Sufi mystic from India and an American mother, Khan became an unlikely World War II heroine. For crucial months of the war, Khan was the only wireless operator sending critical information to London from Paris, significantly aiding the success of the Allies on D-Day.

Join us for a discussion with Arthur Magida, author of *Code Name Madeleine: A Sufi Spy in Nazi-Occupied Paris*. Magida will share the rich details he gleaned from dozens of interviews, newly discovered manuscripts, official documents, and personal letters about this valiant young woman.

More details [here](#)

### **4. 'The President, the Spymaster, and Watergate' with Jefferson Morley and James Rosen**

17 June

Online

Fifty years ago, five men were discovered breaking into the Democratic National Committee Headquarters at the Watergate in Washington, DC. President Nixon, desperate to shut down the FBI's investigation of the crime, sought the support of CIA Director Richard Helms.

To mark this anniversary, join us for a discussion with Jefferson Morley, author of *Scorpion's Dance: The President, the Spymaster, and Watergate*, and James Rosen, author of *The Strong Man: John Mitchell and the Secrets of Watergate*. In conversation, Morley and Rosen will explore the concealed, deadly power struggle between Nixon and Helms, two Cold Warriors whose edgy relationship dated back to the 1950s.

More details [here](#)

### **5. 'The Hunt for the KGB's CIA Mole (and Why the US Overlooked Putin)' with Robert Baer**

20 June

Online

In the aftermath of the Cold War, US intelligence caught three high-profile Russian spies. However,

these arrests left major questions unanswered, and rumours have long swirled of another mole, often referred to as the Fourth Man.

One of the most accomplished agents in CIA history, Robert Baer was played by George Clooney in the film *Syriana* and is now regarded as one of the world's foremost authorities on security and the Middle East. He joins us to tell a thrilling true story of Russian espionage and American intelligence – with profound implications for the rise of Vladimir Putin and relations with Russia.

More details [here](#)

## **6. 'OSI: The Original Men in Black' with Josh Goodwin**

23 June

Online

The Office of Special Investigations (OSI) is the Federal Law Enforcement and Counterintelligence Agency for the US Air Force and Space Force. From hunting spies and terrorists to protective service details to forensics crime scene investigations and the occasional UFO investigation, no day is the same in the life of an OSI agent.

Josh Goodwin, a retired OSI counterespionage case officer and special agent, will discuss this unique organisation covering its history and mission set.

More details [here](#)

## **7. 'Virtual Spy Chat' with Darrell Blocker**

23 June

Online

Join Chris Costa, International Spy Museum Executive Director, and Darrell Blocker, former Deputy Director of the CIA's Counterterrorism Center, for a discussion of the latest news in intelligence and national security. Blocker is the Chief Operating Officer for MOSAIC Security, and retired from government service after a 32-year career in the US intelligence community, including 28 years as a CIA operative.

More details [here](#)

## **8. 'The Israeli Perspective on Strategic Intelligence' with Itai Shapira**

29 June

Online

Colonel Itai Shapira (res) has more than 25 years of experience in the Israeli Defense Intelligence (IDI), where he has served in various intelligence analysis and management roles on the strategic, operational, and tactical levels. His last assignments included the deputy for analysis in the IDI's Research and Analysis Division (RAD), the head of the Syrian department in the RAD, and the head of the IDI's "Devil's Advocate" department.

More details [here](#)

## 9. 'Cyber Threat Intelligence: Challenges and Opportunities'

30 June

Online

From breaches like SolarWinds, to the Capitol Pipeline Ransomware incident, cyber-attacks present a growing threat to businesses, governments, and individuals around the world. One way to stay ahead of cyber adversaries, to comprehend threat actor capabilities and intentions and to support national and organizational defence, is through the adoption of cyber threat intelligence. This panel of speakers will discuss the challenges of defending OT/IT assets:

Teresa Shea, Raytheon Intelligence and Space

John Michael O'Hare, Cobwebs Technologies

Scott Stalker, US Space Command

Christopher Cleary, Department of the Navy

More details [here](#)

## 10. NASIH Brown Bag lunches

14 June

Deborah Bauer

*The Officers and the Civilians Behind the Push for Professional Intelligence in fin-de-siecle France*

Register [here](#)

12 July

Ioanna Iordanou

*Venice's Secret Service: Intelligence Organization in the Renaissance*

Register [here](#)

All brown bags take place on Tuesdays, 12.00-1.00PM Eastern.

## CONFERENCES & CALL FOR PAPERS

### 11. Call for Papers - 'Need to Know XI: Defence Intelligence in the Cold War and Beyond'

October 6-7, 2022

Langelands Fort, Denmark

The *Need to Know* conferences aim to stimulate research and discussions on the history of intelligence, with a special focus on the Cold War and the post Cold War era. We hereby invite submissions to deliver papers or proposal panels for this year's Need to Know conference, which will take place at the Cold War Museum at the Langelands Fort, a former spearhead of the Western defence of the Baltic Approaches and an important observation post to intelligence on Warsaw Pact naval activities in the Baltic Sea region.

The aim of this year's conference is to look at defence intelligence during the Cold War and in the transition period afterwards, including the current Russian aggression against the Ukraine. Need to Know XI encourage submissions on intelligence in this pivotal time in history:

- Methods of collection of defence intelligence
- Analysis and decision making during the Cold War
- Intelligence in the transition period of 1990's
- Intelligence relating to the Russian invasion of Ukraine and war

Due to the special history of Museum Langelands Fort, submissions relating to the Baltic Sea region, Denmark, Northern Germany, Poland, and the Baltic States are particularly encouraged.

The submission should include: An abstract of 500–700 words in English and a biographical note listing major professional accomplishments (250 words, in English). The deadline for paper proposals is **1 July 2022**. Submissions and additional questions should be sent to: sylwia.szyc@ipn.gov.pl

More details [here](#)

## **12. HistoCrypt 2022**

June 20-22, 2022

Amsterdam, the Netherlands

HistoCrypt addresses all aspects of historical cryptology/cryptography including work in closely related disciplines (such as history, history of ideas, computer science, AI, (computational) linguistics, or image processing) that is sufficiently formalized or applied, with relevance to historical ciphertxts and codes. This year's conference will be held at the Royal Netherlands Academy of Sciences, and will include the accepted presentations from the 2021 and 2020 conferences.

We welcome everybody interested in the field of historical cryptology (classical cryptography and cryptanalysis) to register for this event. The full programme and registrations details can be found [here](#)

## **13. Intelligence and National Security in a Changing World**

22-23 July, 2022

Cambridge, UK

The annual CSI conference, *Intelligence and National Security in a Changing World*, addresses the most pressing security challenges facing governments, private industry, and even private citizens in a globalized and interconnected world. With panels and distinguished keynote speakers moderated by ISI teaching faculty, the conference offers a chance for attendees to hear first-hand insights (under the Chatham House rule) from former senior officials, intelligence and security practitioners and from academic experts.

This year's panels and lectures will explore, among others, current issues relating to China, Russia and Ukraine, The Baltic States, Sea-power, Future Tech. Confirmed speakers include; Sir Richard Dearlove, Sir Tony Brenton, Dr. Tracey German, Charles Parton OBE, Professor Michael Goodman, Professor Brendan Simms, LCDR, Joe Hatfield and Dr Maxine David.

More details [here](#)

#### 14. KISG Publications

Magda Long, 'American Covert Action and Diplomacy after 9/11', *Diplomacy & Statecraft* (online)  
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/09592296.2022.2062133>

Yusuf Ali Ozkan, 'British intelligence and the Dardanelles: the 1906 Taba affair revisited', *Intelligence and National Security* (online)  
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/02684527.2022.2055936>

Joe Devanny et. al., 'Strategy in an Uncertain Domain: Threat and Response in Cyberspace', *Journal of Strategic Security*, Vol.15, No.2.  
<https://digitalcommons.usf.edu/jss/vol15/iss2/3/>

Tony Insall, 'The Russian invasion of Ukraine: a Norwegian parallel', *KISG series: Intelligence Affairs in History*  
<https://kisg.co.uk/blogposts/f/intelligence-affairs-in-history>

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<https://www.kcl.ac.uk/sspp/departments/warstudies/about/dataprotection.aspx>

Kind regards,  
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