

THOMSON REUTERS FOUNDATION FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

25TH ANNIVERSARY

Friday 26th and Saturday 27th September 2008

Friday 26th	Event	Venue
13.00 onwards	Registration	Reuters Institute, 13 Norham Gardens
17.30	Welcome David Levy, Director of Reuters Institute for the Study of Journalism	Milner Hall Rhodes House, South Parks Road
17.30	Introduction of Speaker Frances Cairncross, Rector of Exeter College	Milner Hall Rhodes House, South Parks Road
17.30 – 18.30	Reuters Memorial Lecture Arthur Sulzberger, publisher, New York Times Chaired by Frances Cairncross, Rector of Exeter College	Milner Hall Rhodes House, South Parks Road
19.30	Pre-dinner drinks reception Transport will be provided between Rhodes House and Lady Margaret Hall	Lady Margaret Hall, Norham Gardens
20.00	Dinner Tim Gardam, Chair of Reuters Institute Steering Committee introduces Monique Villa Address by Monique Villa, Chief Executive of Reuters Foundation. Michael Parks, Director of Journalism, Annenberg Institute, USC and former Editor of <i>The Los Angeles Times</i> , gives the Vote of Thanks	Lady Margaret Hall, Norham Gardens

Saturday 27th	Event	Venue
8.00 – 9.00	Breakfast	Lady Margaret Hall
9.30 – 11.00	<p>Workshop: “The Future of Journalism in Africa”</p> <p>The session will explore the role of independent journalism in securing good governance. The Speakers are: Geoffrey Nyarota, The Editor and founder of The Zimbabwe Times; Tony Heard former Editor of Cape Times and now Advisor to the South African President Thabo Mbeki; Bernard Tabaire, Editor of the Sunday Monitor, Uganda; Sina Odugbemi of The World Bank and Paul Collier, Director, Centre for the Study of African Economies. Chaired by Colin Bundy, Warden of Green College</p>	Nissan Lecture Theatre, St Antony’s College, Woodstock Road
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee break	
11.30 - 13.00	<p>Moral Maze</p> <p>Proposition: “Good journalism is in crisis”</p> <p>A panel and witnesses: Examining panel: Jean Seaton, Professor of Communications and Media History, University of Westminster; Geert Linnebank, Trustee of the Thomson Reuters Foundation; Peter Jay and Kevin Marsh, Editor of the BBC College of Journalism</p> <p>Supporting the motion: John Ware, BBC; Michael Parks, Director of Journalism, Annenberg Institute, USC and former Editor of The Los Angeles Times; Nick Davies, The Guardian journalist and author of Flat Earth News; David Ure, former Director of Strategy, Reuters</p> <p>Against the motion: Bill Dutton, Director of the Oxford Internet Institute; Charlie Beckett, Director of Polis, LSE; Zoe Smith, Online Broadcast Journalist, ITN; Mehdi Hasan, Commissioning Editor, Channel 4 News</p>	Nissan Lecture Theatre, St Antony’s College, Woodstock Road

13.00 – 14.30	Buffet Lunch during which you are invited to join either, or both, of the book launches below.	Dining Hall, St Antony's College
13.30 -14.30	Book launch: "The Web that Failed: How opposition politics and independent initiatives are failing on the internet in Russia" Floriana Fossato & John Lloyd	St Antony's College
	Book launch: "Counter-Hegemonic News: A Case Study of Al-Jazeera English and Telesur" James Painter	St Antony's College
14.30 – 16.30	Fellows' Symposium Reuters Fellows are invited to join a wide ranging discussion, chaired by Paddy Coulter, former Director of the Reuters Foundation Fellowship Programme, comparing how major stories of the year have been treated in different parts of the world: "Obama: how has the American election been reported around the world?"; "China: Tibet, the Olympics and China as a global economic power"; "Crisis Reporting: the reporting of geo-politics, the War on Terror, Afghanistan, Iran, Russia and the West". In this session we will ensure delegates can raise other major stories they would like to talk about	Nissan Lecture Theatre, St Antony's College, Woodstock Road
16.30 -18.00	Garden Party Closing speech by Colin Bundy, Warden of Green College Many delegates are staying at LMH on the Saturday night and you are invited to make your own arrangements for supper	Green College, Woodstock Road