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Burkle Center for International Relations

Addressing Global Issues

Created in 1979, the Burkle Center fosters research on and promotes discussion of international relations, U.S. foreign policy, and complex issues of global cooperation and conflict. We bring the brightest minds in these fields to UCLA and encourage faculty and students to explore and shape debate.

Promoting Public Awareness

The Center sponsors annual conferences, lecture series, and other events that bring world leaders and internationally renowned scholars to UCLA. Past events have featured U.N. Secretary-General **Kofi Annan**, former Presidents **Bill Clinton** and **Jimmy Carter**, former Secretary of State **Warren Christopher**, and Nobel Prize winner **Thomas Schelling**.

Fostering Cutting-Edge Research

The Center supports cutting-edge research in the field of international relations by providing funding for faculty and graduate student research and hosting fellows such as **General Wesley K. Clark (ret.)** and **Dr. Kantathi Suphamongkhon**, the 39th Foreign Minister of Thailand. The Burkle Center also sponsors forums for interdisciplinary dialogue, offers scholarships for students, and promotes key publications on international relations.

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Burkle Center for International Relations at UCLA



2007–2008 Events

Annual Conference

U.S. Foreign Policy Towards Rogue States
March 2008

Annual Lectures

Bernard Brodie Distinguished Lecture on the Conditions of Peace

Arnold C. Harberger Distinguished Lecture on Economic Development featuring the 39th Foreign Minister of Thailand Kantathi Suphamongkhon

Daniel Pearl Memorial Lecture featuring David Brooks of the New York Times
Tuesday, February 26, 2008, 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Burkle Talks

Larry Korb, Former Assistant Secretary of Defense, and **Phillip Carter**, Iraq War Veteran, discuss the Petraeus Report
Wednesday, September 26, 2007, 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM

Gen. Wesley K. Clark discusses his new book, *A Time to Lead, for Duty, Honor, and Country*
Friday, October 05, 2007, 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM

Gillian Sorensen, Former U.N. Assistant Secretary-General discusses *Recent Developments and Careers at the U.N.*
Thursday, November 29, 2007, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

UC-Irvine Professor Deborah Avant discusses Blackwater and private security in Iraq
Tuesday, December 04, 2007, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Stanford Law Professor David Victor discusses Climate Change
Friday, February 01, 2008, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Co-sponsored Events

Lecture by **Prosecutor Stephen Rapp** on the Trial of Charles Taylor and the Sierra Leone Civil War
Monday, October 22, 2007, 3:00PM - 4:20PM

Lecture by **Former U.S. Ambassador Jack Matlock** on *Living With Russia*
Monday, November 19, 2007, 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Lecture by **Dean Kishore Mahbubani**, Singapore's former Ambassador to the United Nations and Dean of the Lee Kwan Yew School of Public Policy in Singapore
Tuesday, February 19, 2008, 12:00-2:00 PM

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All events listed are open to the public.*

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- Fund a Fellowship
- Support Faculty Research
- Foster Public Lectures and Events
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