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HARVARD SYMPOSIUM:

RESTLESS SEARCHLIGHT: TERRORISM, THE MEDIA & PUBLIC LIFE

Co-sponsored by the APSA Political Communication Section and the Shorenstein Center at the John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University.

Date: **Wednesday 28th August 2002 from 9.00am to 5.30pm** Place: **Taubman ABC, 5th floor, Taubman Building, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge MA, 02138.**

Program schedule:

08.45-09.00 Registration ~ Taubman ABC

09.00-09.15 **Official welcome** by Alex Jones, Director of the Shorenstein Center

9.15-10.45 Panel 1: The Public's Response to 9/11 ~ Taubman ABC

Chair: Darrell West, Chair, APSA's Political Communications Section/Brown University

David W. Moore, The Gallup Organization
The Public Response in the United States and the Islamic World

Paul Brewer, George Washington University
Crisis and Confidence: A Panel Study of Media Effects on Trust in the Aftermath of September 11 2001

Pippa Norris and Ronald Inglehart, Harvard University & University of Michigan
Islamic Culture and the Roots of 9/11: Testing the 'Clash of Civilizations' Thesis.

Discussant: Richard Flickinger, Wittenberg University

10.45-11.00 Coffee/tea break

11.00- 12.30 Panel 2: The Press and Government in Time of War ~ Taubman ABC

Chair: Marion Just, Wellesley College/Shorenstein Center

Doris Graber, University of Illinois at Chicago
Terrorism, the First Amendment and Censorship: In Search of Public Policy Guidelines

Robin Brown, University of Leeds
Clausewitz in the Age of Al Jezeera: Rethinking the Military-Media Relationship

Regina Lawrence and Cynthia Coleman-Sillars, Portland State University
Public Health in the Public Eye: Media Coverage of the Anthrax Threat

Gadi Wolfsfeld, Hebrew University
Mobilizing the News Media: Norms, Routines, and Dilemmas for Israeli Journalists During the 2nd Intifada

Discussant: Andrew Rojecki, University of Illinois at Chicago

12.30- 2.00 Buffet Lunch with Keynote Speaker ~ Allison Dining Room

Chair: Pippa Norris

Keynote Speaker: Joseph S. Nye, Jr Dean of the John F. Kennedy School of Government

Soft Power in the Global Information Age: The Lessons of 9/11

2.00- 4.00 Panel 3: Constructing the News: September 11 & its Aftermath ~ Allison Dining Room

Chair: Montague Kern, Rutgers University

Michael Traugott and Ted Brader, University of Michigan

Patterns in the American News Coverage of the September 11 Attacks

Bridget Nacos, Columbia University

The News Media and the Muslim Community in New York City before and after 9/11.

Amy Jasperson and Mansour el-Kikhia, University of Texas, San Antonio

U.S. and Middle Eastern Media Perspectives on the Sept 11 Terrorist Attacks

Frank Rusciano, Rider University

Near and Distant Mirrors: Media Perspectives on World Opinion following September 11th

Discussant: Steve Livingston, George Washington University

4.00- 5.30 Closing wine and cheese reception ~ Allison Dining Room
