
The Centre for Syrian Studies (CSS) at the University of St Andrews will be holding its Fourth International Conference on Syria on 1-4 August 2018 in St Andrews, Scotland.

The Conference theme focuses on the latter stages of the uprisings and conflict since 2015, with the focus on issues such as the sectarianization of the conflict; the evolution of the balance of power among groups in the conflict; governance and civil society amidst civil war in both regime and opposition areas; diplomacy and external intervention in the conflict; the Syrian diaspora; and issues of “reconciliation” and “reconstruction.” Academics and practitioners will present their research and analysis over the four days of the conference. Non-presenting participants are welcome to attend and engage in the conversation.

**Keynote Speakers:**
Eberhard Kienle
Leila Vignal

**Roundtable Speakers:**
Raymond Hinnebusch
Leila Vignal
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