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AARHUS LECTURE SERIES 2008-2009

During 2008 and 2009 the Centre for Studies in Islamism and Radicalisation will organise a series of monthly lectures on the theme of "Radicalization and Recruitment".

The third in this series of lectures will be given by

Dr Andrew Hoskins*

Leading scholar on
Media and Radicalisation, War and Memory Studies,
Associate Professor in Sociology at Warwick University, UK

under the title of:

Mediation, Premediation and Radicalisation

Time and Place:

Thursday, October 30, 2008, 14-16
University of Aarhus, [Building 1324](#), Room 011

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*Biography of Dr Andrew Hoskins:

Andrew Hoskins is Associate Professor in Sociology at the University of Warwick, UK. He attained his BA (Hons.), MA, and PhD in Sociology at Lancaster. His research focuses on the theoretical and empirical investigation of conflict, security and memory in today's 'new media ecology'.

He is currently Principal Investigator of a two-year project: 'Legitimising the Discourses of Radicalization: Political Violence in the New Media Ecology,' which is funded by the ESRC New Security Challenges Programme and he is also Principal Investigator of a three year AHRC funded project: 'Mediating and Commemorating the 2005 London Bombings'. He is founding co-editor of the new international and interdisciplinary SAGE journal of *Media, War & Conflict* and founding Chief Editor of *Memory Studies*. He is also a member of the Board of the University of Warwick's International Security Initiative.

His *Televising War: From Vietnam to Iraq* (Continuum, 2004) develops his concept of 'new memory' in relation to warfare, notably how the dynamic of memory in recent times is increasingly manufactured, manipulated, and mediatised. His latest book is: *Television and Terror: Conflicting Times and the Crisis of News Discourse* (with Ben O'Loughlin, Palgrave Macmillan, 2007).

