

# **‘Terror as Usual’ – Media cultures in an age of terror**

**London Screen Studies Group Symposium**

**Friday 25 May 2012**

**Venue:** Clore Management Centre, Torrington Sq, Birkbeck, University of London

**Map:** <http://www.bbk.ac.uk/maps/interactive>

**10.00 Arrive**

**10.15 Introduction to the day**

**Session One 10.30-12.00**

John Hutnyk, Goldsmiths - 'Sexy Sammy and Red Rosie': from burning books to the war on terror

Mina Al-Lami, LSE – Members to martyrs: crossing the line from online to offline jihadism

**12.00-13.00 Lunch**

**Session Two 13.00-14.30**

Marc Hobart, SOAS - 'Terror As Performance' The Bali bombing on the news

Cristina Archetti, Salford - A communications perspective on terror

**14.30-15.00 Coffee/Tea**

**Session Three 15.00-16.15**

Guy Westwell - Queen Mary - Terror and conspiracy in post 9/11 US film

**Open Discussion:** all speakers – What's old and what's new?

**Registration:** Registration is Free but places are limited, so please pre-register by May 23rd at [terrorasusual@gmail.com](mailto:terrorasusual@gmail.com)