

Participation Bites

A Civic Futures Seminar Series creating space to explore some of the major issues of our times.

Iraq: Searching for Hope

A talk by Canon Andrew White



Friday 29 January 2010, 15:00-17:00 (registration from 14:30)

**John Stanley Bell Lecture Theatre, Richmond Building,
University of Bradford**

**Cost: places are free, but must be booked in advance
using the form below**

About the Seminar

In June 2007, with support from the Office of the Secretary of Defense and the Chaplaincy of Multi-National Forces-Iraq, Canon White launched the Iraqi Inter-Religious Initiative (IRRI), a series of conferences of very senior Iraqi Sunni, Shia and other religious leaders aimed at the renunciation of sectarian violence and support for the emergence of an Iraqi state under the rule of law. A conference held that month of senior religious leaders produced the Baghdad Religious Accord. Canon White will speak about the work of the IRRI and his work for reconciliation in Iraq.



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Booking Form

I wish to book _____ place(s) at this talk (*please give names of additional participants on a separate sheet or on a photocopy of this form*)

Surname:

Forename:

Mr/Ms/Dr etc:

Address:

Postcode:

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Venue

The seminar will be held in the John Stanley Bell lecture theatre in the Richmond Building on the main University campus. There is good public transport to the University. A **limited** number of permits for the University car parks will be available. Please tick the box on the booking form to request one of these, which will be allocated "first come, first served". There is also some unrestricted parking on the public roads nearby. Detailed joining instructions will be emailed to all registered participants.

Enquiries

For all enquiries, please contact:

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Booking and cancellation

Please use the form below to reserve your place. There is no charge. For additional copies of the form, please ring us or visit <http://www.brad.ac.uk/events/pax/2010-01-29.php>. If, after booking, you find you cannot attend, please let us know by telephone or email

The Speaker



Canon Andrew White, often referred to as "the Vicar of Baghdad," serves as parish priest to a congregation of over 3,000 Iraqi people at St. George's, Iraq, which is also home to a medical and dental clinic serving all faiths.

Canon White is the President of the Foundation for Relief and Reconciliation in the Middle East. (www.frrme.org) and the Associate Pastor of All Nations Church, North Carolina. He is the author of three books including *The Vicar of Baghdad: Fighting for Peace in the Middle East* and is married with two sons.



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Booking Form (continued from overleaf)

Email address:

Phone:

(Joining instructions will be sent by email wherever possible to reduce paper use)

Please inform us of any requirements regarding disability, communication etc:

Please tick if you would like us to contact you regarding the requirements outlined above

*Please tick to request a parking permit (permits will be allocated "first come, first served" and do **not** guarantee a parking space)*

Signature:

Date:

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