

What role is religion playing in shaping the future of the globe? Is it making the world more or less dangerous? Can it help humanity address challenges like international conflict, climate change and poverty? The goal of this lecture series is to explore these questions with help from leading scholars and public policy experts.

The series is offered as part of Religious Studies 137, but the university community is invited to attend. All lectures are on Tuesdays, 3-4:30pm in The McNeil Building, room 286-7 unless otherwise indicated. For updated information on schedule and location, please visit facebook.com/PennReligionGlobalFuture, or email Gabriel Raeburn at raeburn@sas.upenn.edu. Stay tuned for details about the series-culminating Boardman Symposium in the spring!

Religion and the Future of War/International Security / Feb 5

Monica Toft, Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy

Religion and Conflict Resolution / Feb 12 Marie Harf, Former Senior Advisor to Secretary of State John Kerry

Religion and the Economic Future / Feb 19
Rachel McCleary, Harvard University

Religion and the Future of Human Rights / Feb 26

James Loeffler, University of Virginia

Religion and the Future Lives of Women / Mar 12

Megan Robb, University of Pennsylvania

Religion and Climate Change / Mar 19
Evan Berry, American University

Religion and the Future of Technology / Mar 26

Jennifer Alexander, University of Minnesota

Religion and the Future of American Democracy / Apr 2
Michael Wear, Public Square Strategies, and John Dilulio, U. Penn

Religion and the Struggle for a Just World / Apr 9

Rev. Greg Holston, POWER

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