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A Special Seminar on

“Terrorism Victimization of Women and Children: Costs, Lessons, and Future Outlook”

Since the dawn of history, women and children have represented the most vulnerable segments of societies. During the past several years, terrorist groups and state-sponsors have escalated targeting these populations including recruitment of members, explosions, kidnappings, conversions, slavery, rape, forced marriages, and murder. The brutalization and globalization of these expanded levels of violence are, indeed, unprecedented.

To discuss the costs, lessons, future outlook, as well as related issues, academic and government experts will offer their insights and recommendations for “best practices” strategies to deal with the challenge.

Date: Friday, January 30, 2015
12:00 Noon to 2:00PM

Place: The Potomac Institute for Policy Studies
901 N. Stuart Street, Suite 200
Arlington, VA 22203
(Ballston Metro Station, Orange Line)

Co-Sponsors:
- Inter-University Center for Terrorism Studies
- International Center for Terrorism Studies, at the Potomac Institute for Policy Studies
- Inter-University Center for Legal Studies, at the International Law Institute
- Center for National Security Law, University of Virginia School of Law

Opening Remarks: Michael S. Swetnam
CEO and Chairman, Potomac Institute for Policy Studies

Moderator: Professor Yonah Alexander
Director, Inter-University Center for Terrorism Studies, and Senior Fellow, Potomac Institute for Policy Studies

Panelists:
- Dr. Kathleen Kuehnast
  Director, Center for Gender & Peacebuilding, United States Institute of Peace

- Professor Patricia A. Maulden
  Associate Professor of Conflict Resolution and Director, Dialogue & Difference Project, School for Conflict Analysis and Resolution, George Mason University

- Nina Shea
  Director, Center for Religious Freedom, Hudson Institute and international human-rights lawyer for over thirty years

- Professor Michael Noone
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