

THE WAR IN IRAQ: FOUR YEARS LATER

A TEACH-IN

DATE: MARCH 23, 2007

TIME: 10.00 AM – 5.30 PM

LOCATION: JOHN JAY COLLEGE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE
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Organizers:

Charles B. Strozier, historian, psychoanalyst, and military family member, author, *Apocalypse: On the Psychology of Fundamentalism in America*

Michael Flynn, psychologist, editor, *The Second Nuclear Age*:(forthcoming)

10-10:15am

Welcoming Comments: Charles B. Strozier and Michael Flynn

10:15-11am

Panel 1: The War and Its Costs

Ray McGovern, ex-CIA officer, policy analyst and Iraq war critic, author of *Hijacking "Him" for Empire*

Ervand Abrahamian, historian of modern Iran, author of *Tortured Confessions: Prisons and Public Recantations in Modern Iran*

Chris Hedges, Pulitzer prize-winning journalist, author of *American Fascists* and *War Is a Force that Gives Us Meaning*

11-1pm

Comments and Performances:

Baba Israel, hip hop artist and educator, *Beatbox Dub Poetics* (CD with Yako)

Avram Bornstein, anthropologist, author of *Crossing the Green Line Between the West Bank and Israel*

Demond Mullins, CUNY student and Iraq War veteran, member of Iraq Veterans Against the War

Christian Alfonsi, author of *Circle in the Sand*

Carolyn Eisenberg, historian, author of *Drawing the Line*

Karen Malpede, playwright, author of *Prophecy*, a play about Iraq

1-2pm
Lunch

2-3:15pm
Panel 2: Women on War and Peace

Susan Sarandon, Academy Award
Winning actor, activist and mother of
three

Joan Wile, activist, singer, award-
winning lyricist-composer,
grandmother of five and founder of
"Grandmothers Against the War"

3:15-5:45pm
Further Comments:

Anthony Arnove, writer, author of
Iraq: The Logic of Withdrawal
(*American Empire Project*)

Blanche Cook, historian, author of
Eleanor Roosevelt, Volume 2: the
Defining Years, 1933-1938

Barry Latzer, political scientist,
editor, *Death Penalty Cases*

Margaret Stevens, prior medic in the
U.S. National Guard, graduate student

Amy Goodman, journalist
and Executive Producer of *Democracy*
Now!, co-author of *Static: Government*
Liars, Media Cheerleaders, and the
People who Fight Back

Mary Nolan, historian, Co-author,
Crimes of War: Guilt and Denial in the
Twentieth Century

Ellen Schrecker, historian, author of
Many are the Crimes: McCarthyism in
America

Itai Sneh, historian, author of *The*
Future Almost Arrived: Why Jimmy
Carter Could Not Change U.S. Foreign
Policy (forthcoming)