Popular Sovereignty and the Responsibility to Protect
A Conference for the Study of Political Thought Workshop

Friday, April 20, 2012
Henry R. Luce Hall • 34 Hillhouse Avenue

This interdisciplinary workshop, funded by the John K Castle Fund for Ethics and International Affairs, explores the rise to prominence of ‘responsibility to protect’ as a new norm in international law and politics. We are delighted to bring together an eminent group of international lawyers, political theorists, policy makers, and historians to closely consider: (1) R2P’s historical origins, precedents, and current development; (2) how it relates to, reworks, and challenges traditional conceptions of state authority, responsibility, and sovereignty; (3) its justifications, applications, and implications in contemporary political practice.

Participants will include...

Anthony Anghie, University of Utah
Asil Bali, University of California-Los Angeles
Gary Bass, Princeton University
David Bosco, American University
Edward Luck, UN Special Advisor on the Responsibility to Protect
Samuel Moyn, Columbia University
Anne Orford, University of Melbourne
David Scott, Columbia University
Monica del Carmen Serrano Carreño, El Colegio de Mexico
Antonio Vázquez-Arroyo, University of Minnesota

To register for the conference, please email yalecsp@gmail.com.