

**JUSTICE WIDE OPEN**  
CITY UNIVERSITY LONDON  
29 FEBRUARY 2012  
9am-2pm

<b>Venue</b>	<b>College Building</b> <i>The Pool</i> for refreshments and lunch <i>A130</i> for talks and discussion
<b>8.45am</b>	<b>REGISTRATION AND TEA/COFFEE</b>
<b>9.00am</b>	<b>INTRODUCTION</b> <b>Professor Howard Tumber</b> , co-director, Centre for Law, Justice and Journalism
<b>9.05-9.20am</b>	<b>OPENING TALK</b> <i>"Alphabet soup - the judicial retreat from open justice"</i> <b>Mr Geoffrey Robertson QC</b> , founder and head of Doughty Street Chambers and 'distinguished jurist' member of the United Nations Justice Council
<b>9.20-10.20am</b>	<b>SESSION 1: The flow of legal knowledge</b> Chaired by Professor Howard Tumber  <i>"Towards transparency?"</i> <b>Mr Hugh Tomlinson QC</b> , Matrix Chambers  <i>"Justice in a cold climate"</i> <b>Dr David Goldberg</b> , information rights academic and activist  <i>"The free legal info landscape: treacherous quagmire or inspiring view?"</i> <b>Ms Emily Allbon</b> , Law Librarian, City Law School

- 10.20-11.30am**      **SESSION 2: Legal reporting and the media**  
Chaired by Judith Townend, PhD researcher
- “Secret justice”*  
**Ms Heather Brooke**, journalist and activist
- “Justice – open and shut”*  
**Mr Mike Dodd**, editor of PA Media Lawyer
- “Revenge of the Bolivian cat: Why the press get human rights wrong and what can be done about it”*  
**Mr Adam Wagner**, barrister, One Crown Office Row and editor of the UK Human Rights Blog
- “Would a ‘Transparency Charter’ help make the courts more open?”*  
**Mr William Perrin**, founder, Talk About Local and member of the Crime and Justice Sector Panel on Transparency
- 11.30-11.45am**      **REFRESHMENT BREAK**
- 11.45-12.15am**      **SESSION 3: An academic perspective**  
Chaired by Professor Ian Loveland, Professor of Public Law, City Law School
- “Open justice – a comparative perspective”*  
**Professor Ian Cram**, Professor of Comparative Constitutional Law, University of Leeds
- “Judicial perspectives on terrorism cases and the media”*  
**Dr Lawrence McNamara**, Reader in Law and ESRC/AHRC Research Fellow, University of Reading
- 12.15-1.00pm**      **CLOSING DISCUSSION**  
*“What are the next steps for open justice in the digital age?”*  
Chaired by Professor Ian Loveland
- 1.00-2.00pm**      **LUNCH**

A set of papers will be published following this event. Please visit the CLJJ website for more information: <http://city.ac.uk/lawjusticejournalism>

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