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ACCLAIMED JOURNALIST AND HISTORIAN GWYNNE DYER TO SPEAK AT UCC

KAMLOOPS—UCC Social Sciences and Humanities host history and political expert Gwynne Dyer at The University College of the Cariboo on Friday, March 15.

Dyer will speak on The New War and Other Red Herrings at 7:30 p.m. in Old Main, Room OM2621. All are welcome to attend this free event, which includes a question-and-answer period at the end of the presentation.

Dyer is a military and Middle East expert with vast experience in the field and a knack for making that knowledge accessible to the general public. His discussion will focus on U.S. strikes in Afghanistan, Canada's involvement in the war on terrorism and how these events impact energy prices and the global economy in general.

Dyer has worked as a freelance journalist, broadcaster and lecturer for three decades and his syndicated columns on international affairs appear in a dozen languages in nearly 200 newspapers published in more than 40 countries around the world.

He's renowned for his commentary and analysis on the Gulf War on CBC and his award-winning TV series War and, more recently, has provided extensive commentary on the new war on terrorism.

He has also made several radio documentaries, including a seven-hour series, The Gorbachev Revolution, and a six-hour series entitled Millennium, which aired on the CBC in the spring of 1996.

For media interviews prior to his lecture on March 15, Dyer may be reached at (514)246-2412.