



Parliamentary Scrutiny of the Military in Australia: A Comparative Perspective

War Studies Seminar Series

This War Studies seminar is co-hosted by the ANU School of Law and the Coral Bell School's Strategic and Defence Studies Centre

Drawing on his recent published co-authored book, *Overseen or Overlooked: Legislatures, Armed Forces, and Democratic Accountability* (Stanford University Press, 2025), Philippe Lagassé will discuss how parliamentary scrutiny of defence and military affairs in Australia compares with other Westminster-style systems, European parliaments, and presidential republics. He will highlight why Australia has one of the strongest means of conducting effective parliamentary oversight, and identify ways that it could be improved.

Speaker

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Details

Mon, 18 May, 5:30pm - 6:30pm AEST
Lecture Theatre 1, Hedley Bull Building, 130 Garran Road & Zoom

Register



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