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A Lecture and Open Discussion

Leo Strauss: A Man of Peace

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Robert Howse is a professor at the New York University School of Law, where he serves on the advisory board of the Center for Law and Philosophy. His new book, *Leo Strauss Man of Peace*, has been called "bold and admirable" by the *Los Angeles Review of Books*, and "distinct and original" by *Notre Dame Philosophical Reviews*. Countering the popular perception of the German-Jewish emigre philosopher as a warmonger, Howse traces Strauss's complex intellectual journey from the political and intellectual polarization of the Weimar Republic, to the diagnosis during World War II (as an exile at the New School in NY) of "German nihilism" as a pathology of thought that contributed to Nazism, to Strauss’s much misunderstood mature works on thinkers such as Machiavelli and Thucydides.

Thursday, December 18th 2014, 18:00 – 19:30
Abraham & Rachel Kluger Building, Room 570

The symposium will be held in English

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