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**Conference Keynote Speaker**

**Adam Roberts**

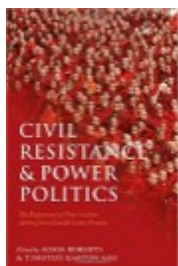
**Oxford University**

on

***Civil Resistance against  
Authoritarian Rule: The  
Tragedy of the Arab Spring***

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"Roberts' recent books include: *Civil Resistance and Power Politics: The Experience of Non-violent Action from Gandhi to the Present*, co-edited with Timothy Garton Ash (Oxford 2011); *Civil Resistance in the Arab Spring: Triumphs and Disasters*, co-edited with Michael J. Willis, Rory McCarthy, and Timothy Garton Ash. He was President of the British Academy, 2009-13.



**Wednesday, February 20<sup>th</sup>**  
**5:00pm - 7:00pm**  
Refreshments will be available  
The Claude Pepper Center



*The People and the Power: Dictators, Supporters, and Detractors* Conference to follow the next day.