



Coffee & Politics Series



Professor Peter Chilson

Terrorism in Mali

Conflict and Military Intervention in Sahel



Peter Chilson will discuss recent developments in Mali, including the growing policy rift between the Pentagon, which favors stronger American military involvement, and the Obama White House, which appears to be taking a more cautious approach. He will also explain recent moves in the region by the French and what they may portend for a future U.S. role.

Peter Chilson is Professor of English at Washington State University. He received a Masters of Fine Arts in creative

writing from Pennsylvania State University. He is a former Fulbright Scholar and has travelled frequently to West Africa and written extensively about the region. He is currently at work on a novel about Africa.

Join us for pizza, pop, and stimulating discussion. RSVP to relgar@wsu.edu

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