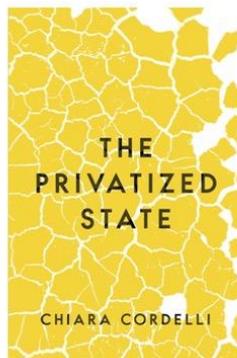




## **CENTRE FOR POLITICAL THOUGHT**

### *Symposium on* **Chiara Cordelli**

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Many governmental functions today—from the management of prisons and welfare offices to warfare and financial regulation—are outsourced to private entities. Education and health care are funded in part through private philanthropy rather than taxation. Can a privatized government rule legitimately? *The Privatized State* argues that it cannot. It shows how privatization undermines the very reason political institutions exist in the first place, and advocates for a new way of administering public affairs that is more democratic and just.

**Friday 12 March, 12.30-14.30 (GMT)**

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*Followed by general discussion*