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Final home exam, autumn 2014

KRIM2950 Torture, Terror and Rights

Date of exam: 12 November at 14:00 to 17 November at 14:00

Choose one of the following two topics:

1. Use relevant contributions on your reading list to describe and discuss the ticking bomb scenario (TBS) and how it has been used in public debates about torture

or

2. Use relevant contributions on your reading list to describe and discuss similarities and differences between torture and terror(ism)

The question can be answered in English or Norwegian.

Size: Maximum 2400 words (roughly 6 pages). Front page, contents page (optional) and bibliography are not included. If footnotes are used in the text (at the bottom of each page), they are included in the 2400 word limit.

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