

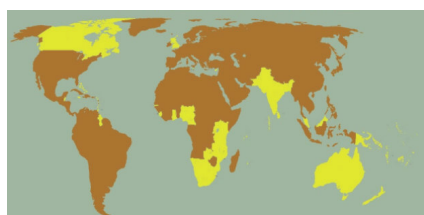
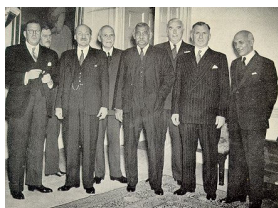
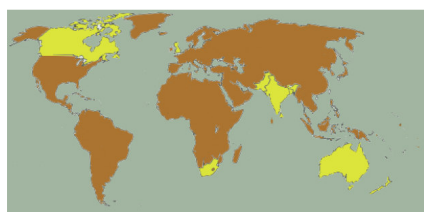
The Modern Commonwealth @ 60: Identity and Relevance in Perspective

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9:15 Keynote Speech
Amitav Banerji - Commonwealth Secretariat, Director of Political Affairs

Concepts and trends in Commonwealth history

10:00 Reflections on Empire
Andrew Williams – University of Saint Andrews

10:20 The Contemporary Commonwealth – In Search of a Strategy
James Mayall – University of Cambridge

10:40 Discussion
Coffee break

Rethinking 1949: achievements and limits

11:30 De Londres à Singapour: la longue marche du Commonwealth vers l'institutionnalisation
Virginie Roiron – Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Strasbourg

11:50 A New Canada in a New Commonwealth: multiculturalism, democratic governance, and international representation
Laurence Cros – Université Paris Diderot

12:05 Discussion

The Commonwealth as a regional player: Pacific challenges

14:15 Le désengagement britannique dans le Pacifique: aspects et conséquences
Adrien Rodd – Université Paris-Ouest Nanterre

14:35 Just a Drop in the Ocean? Commonwealth Support for its Pacific Island Members in the face of Growing International Interest in the region
Ron Leask – Université de Strasbourg

14:55 Discussion
Tea break

Francophone perspectives on Commonwealth identity

15:45 Interprétations et transpositions du Commonwealth : L.S. Senghor et la tentation d'un 'Commonwealth à la française'
Mélanie Torrent – Université Paris Diderot

16:05 L'élargissement de la Francophonie (1970 – 2010) : bilan et perspectives institutionnelles et politiques
Marion Julia – Fondation Hirondelle, Lausanne

16:25 Rwanda: the long walk to Commonwealth membership
Victoria te Velde – Institute of Commonwealth Studies/Commonwealth Policy Studies Unit

17:00 Discussion and conclusions

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