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## *The Separation of Powers*

**Sir Stephen Sedley**

Wednesday 14th January, 6.30-7.30pm  
Army and Navy Club, 36-39 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5JN

On 14th January 2015, Politeia's new series with BPP University *A Free Society Under the Rule of Law*, will be addressed by **Sir Stephen Sedley** on *The Separation of Powers*.

Montesquieu's remark that without separation of the state's powers there would be 'an end of everything' may have been an overstatement, but it contained an important truth. The separation of powers in the British state, while it has long and deep historical roots, is not a fixed set of relationships and may today be under critical pressure

The lecture will take place on **Wednesday 14th January, 6.30p.m-7.30p.m**, at the **Army and Navy Club**, 36-39 Pall Mall, London, SW1Y 5JN with a reception for those attending from 6 p.m. We would be very pleased if you can join us then. If you would like to attend please email [Secretary2@politeia.co.uk](mailto:Secretary2@politeia.co.uk) with your name, organisation, position, and email address. Places will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.

\* Politeia's series with BPP, [\*A Free Society Under the Rule of Law\*](#), considers how the principles on which freedom under the law rests in this country, can continue to remain at the heart of Britain's justice series.

\* **Sir Stephen Sedley** was a Lord Justice of Appeal from 1999 to 2011 and is Visiting Professor of Law at Oxford University. His works include *The Making and Remaking of the British Constitution* (with Lord Nolan; the 1996 Radcliffe Lectures) 1997 and *Freedom, Law and Justice* (1998).

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