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## From War to Peace: The Politics of the Troubles

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This panel revisits the 'troubles' and asks a series of questions about how and why those years of war shaped the politics of the British Isles, how peace was eventually negotiated and discusses the consequences of that settlement. Experts reflect on how education, society and policing were affected towards the end of the 'troubles'. It also asks what lessons can be learnt for other divided places.

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'Integrating education in the Shadow of War'

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'Reflections on How Wars End'

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'Lessons for another place: From Belfast to Seoul'

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'The Consequences of Britain's Longest War'

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