

A STRONGER EUROPE IN A WORLD OF CHALLENGES

ESDC Alumni Seminar 2020

A seminar co-organised by the European Security and Defence College (ESDC), the EU Institute for Security Studies (EUISS) and the Croatian Presidency of the Council of the EU.

20-21 February 2020, Brussels

Thursday 20 February 2020

Networking reception (hosted by the European Security and Defence College)

Venue: Atelier 29, Rue Jacques de Lalaing 29, 1040, Brussels

18:00-18:15

WELCOME ADDRESS

Dirk DUBOIS

Head, European Security and Defence College

Daniel FIOTT

Security and Defence Editor, EU Institute for Security Studies

18:15-18:45

KEYNOTE SPEECH

Marijana KUJUNDŽIĆ

Minister Plenipotentiary, Representative to the Political and Security Committee, Permanent Representation of Croatia to the EU

18:45 - 19:00

GLOBAL STRATEGY PHD PRIZE 2019

Dirk DUBOIS

The European Security and Defence College (ESDC) and the Egmont Institute have the pleasure of announcing that the 2019 edition of their annual Global Strategy PhD Prize has been awarded to Dr Antonio Calcara for his dissertation on: The Decision-Making Dilemma of Arms Procurement Policy.



Friday 21 February 2020

Venue: Breydel Auditorium, 45 Avenue d'Auderghem, Brussels

09:30-10:00

Registration and welcome coffee

10:00-10:15

OPENING REMARKS

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10:15-11:45

PANEL I - WHAT ARE THE CHALLENGES FACING EUROPE IN 2020?

Moderator

Dirk DUBOIS

Head, European Security and Defence College

Speakers

Sven BISCOP

Director of the Europe in the World Programme, Egmont Institute

Daniel FIOTT

Security and Defence Editor, EU Institute for Security Studies

Elena LAZAROU

Policy Analyst, European Parliamentary Research Service

11:45-12:15

Coffee break

12:15-13:30

PANEL II - CSDP MISSIONS AND OPERATIONS: PURPOSE, CHALLENGES AND IMPACT

Moderator

Fernando MORENO

Chairman, ESDC Alumni Association

Speakers

Joao BARBEDO

Deputy Head of Division, CSDP MD ISP 1, EEAS

Bart LAURENT

Director, EUMS C Operations and former Force Commander of EUTM Mali

Markus RITTER

Director, Federal Police Directorate Stuttgart and former Head of Mission of EUAM Iraq

Maria-Cristina STEPANESCU

Romanian Ministry of Interior and former Head of Mission, EUCAP Somalia

13:30-13:45

CONCLUDING REMARKS

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13:45-14:30

Networking lunch (hosted by the EU Institute for Security Studies)