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The EU and NATO in a More Contested World: Enabling a Genuine Strategic Partnership

Expert Seminar

6 April 2016

*Warsaw, PISM
Warecka 1A*

9.30-10.00 Registration and welcome coffee

10.00-10.20 Opening

Sławomir Dębski, director, PISM
Antonio Missiroli, director, EUISS

10.20-12.00 Session I

The Boundaries of Informality: Going Around the Double Veto

- *What are the lessons learned from successful and failed staff-to-staff contacts and what is needed to develop them further?*
- *Have EU and NATO already reached limits of the non-official formats of strategic dialogue?*
- *Has a shared model of EU-NATO cooperation been established and would the solution of the Cypriot issue automatically enable its implementation?*

Tomasz Łękarcki, Department of Security Policy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland

Dick Zandee, Senior Research Fellow, Clingendael Institut

Chair:

Antonio Missiroli, director, EUISS

12.00-13.00 Lunch

13.00-14.00 Session II

EU Global Strategy and NATO Adaptation: a Chance for Breaking the Impasse?

- *What is the place of NATO in the European Global Strategy and the role of EU in NATO Adaptation processes?*
- *Do EU and NATO share threat perception and see a role for each other as strategic partners?*
- *How can EU and NATO work jointly to enable its partner countries to take more share in addressing regional crises?*

Jan Joel Andersson, Senior Analyst, EUISS

Rem Korteweg, Senior Research Fellow, ECFR

Chair: Marcin Terlikowski, PISM

14.00-14.15 Coffe Break

14.15-15.30 Session III

Seeking Value Added: What Items for EU-NATO Cooperative Agenda?

- *How can EU and NATO establish a common understanding and coordinated approach towards the hybrid threats?*
- *Is there a potential in closer cooperation of the EU and NATO in counterterrorism?*
- *What could NATO and EU do together to counter cyberspace threats, including information warfare?*

Daniel Keohane, Senior Researcher, ETH Zürich

Maris Andzans, Senior Resarch Fellow, LIIA, Riga

Chair:

Wojciech Zajączkowski, Director, Department of Foreign Policy Strategy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Poland

15.30-16.00 Wrap-up discussion

Kick-off:

Antonio Missiroli, director, EUISS

Chair:

Marcin Terlikowski, PISM