

Arms transfers, defence markets, and the new dynamics in EU – Asia relations



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Maelbeek Room, Residence Palace, Brussels

Agenda

09:30 - 09:45

Welcome remarks

Gustav LINDSTROM

Director, EU Institute for Security Studies

09:45 - 11:00

Session I - Russian and Chinese defence industry trends: implications for the EU

Moderator

Nicu POPESCU

Senior Analyst, EU Institute for Security Studies

Speakers

Richard BITZINGER

Senior Fellow and Coordinator of the Military Transformations Program, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies

Zoe STANLEY-LOCKMAN

Former Associate Analyst, EU Institute for Security Studies

Gustav GRESSEL

Senior Policy Fellow, Wider Europe Programme, European Council of Foreign Relations

11:00 - 11:15

Coffee break

11:15 - 12:30

Session II - Arms trade and export controls: EU's 'hard power' in Asia?

Moderator

Eva PEJSOVA

Senior Analyst, EU Institute for Security Studies

Speakers

Mathieu DUCHÂTEL

Senior Policy Fellow and Deputy Director of the Asia and China Programme, European Council of Foreign Relations

Felix HEIDUK

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