



OSCE Network of Think Tanks and Academic Institutions

Invitation to all Delegations to a Side Event on:

“How to re-consolidate European security as a common project”?

Date: 4 December, 15.15-17.00hrs

Venue: Meeting room North (Hall 4)

This Panel will provide an opportunity to informally address the current crisis of European security. There is no more “business as usual” in relations among OSCE participating States; instead there is a danger of further escalation of tensions, and even a new division in Europe. This panel will explore options for reconsolidating European security as a common project. In this context, the panel will also discuss how and under what conditions a dedicated reflection process by a high-level panel of eminent persons could make a difference to current efforts to address the crisis, and to what extent the OSCE could serve as a platform to support this process.

Programme

Chair: Ambassador Heidi Grau, Head of OSCE Chairmanship Task Force, Federal Department of Foreign Affairs, Switzerland

Speakers:

Ambassador Wolfgang Ischinger, Chairman of the Munich Security Conference

Ambassador Lamberto Zannier, OSCE Secretary General

Sonja Stojanovic Gajic, Director, Belgrade Centre for Security Policy, Member of the OSCE Network

Dr. Walter Kemp, Director, IPI, Vienna, Member of the OSCE Network

Dr. Wolfgang Zellner, Head of CORE, Hamburg, Head of Steering committee, OSCE Network

Conclusions: Ambassador Fred Tanner, Senior Adviser to the OSCE Secretary General and focal person, OSCE Network