



OSCE Security Days

Revitalizing Trust and Co-operation in Europe:
Lessons of the Paris Charter

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Dear Sir or Madam,

It is our pleasure to invite you to the Security Days expert roundtable entitled “*Revitalizing Trust and Co-operation in Europe: Lessons of the Paris Charter*” which is co-hosted by the Ministers of Foreign Affairs from the Czech Republic and the Republic of Slovakia. The event will take place in the Czernin Palace (Loretanske namesti 5) in Prague on 16 October 2020 at 9:00 (CET). Due to COVID-19 conditions, the event will take place in a blended format (online and in-person).

The OSCE Security Days event will be dedicated to the importance of co-operative security 30 years after the adoption of the Charter of Paris for a New Europe. The panellists will reflect on progress made over the past three decades in implementing the broad commitments in the Paris Charter as well as continuing challenges, taking into account the 2020 Albanian Chairmanship’s priority of “implementing our commitments together.” The event will also focus on the future perspectives and recommendations on how to move toward realization of a Euro-Atlantic and Eurasian security community.

You will find the tentative agenda and concept note at <https://www.osce.org/secretary-general/465549>. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact on substantial issues Charlotte Bleisch (Charlotte.Bleisch@osce.org, tel. +43 1 514 36 6841); on logistical modalities Diana Alpysbayeva (Diana.Alpysbayeva@osce.org, tel. +43 1 514 36 6421).

The OSCE Security Days event is open to representatives of **international organizations, think tanks and academic institutions, civil society, youth, and the media, subject to prior registration and confirmation from the OSCE Secretariat**. Persons interested in participating should submit an electronic registration form available at <https://events.osce.org/2020-security-days-prague/registration> not later than Monday, 12 October 2020.

We look forward to the participation of many of you and your colleagues.

Yours sincerely,

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Encl.: Agenda and Concept note

**To: Representatives of International Organizations
Representatives of Think-Tanks and Academic Institutions
Representatives of Civil Society Organizations
Representatives of Media Organizations**