Activities of the Chairperson-in-Office

17-25 November 2014:
Consultations held by Special Representative Ambassador Angelo Gnaedinger in Tbilisi, Tskhinvali, Sukhumi and Moscow together with the EU and UN co-chairs of the Geneva International Discussions.

19 November 2014:
Switzerland publishes its self-assessment on the implementation of existing commitments in the human dimension.

22 November 2014:
Central Asia plays an important role as a bridge between Asia and Europe, the CiO said as he concluded a four-day visit to the Central Asian republics of Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan, Tajikistan and Uzbekistan.

27 November 2014:
Chairperson-in-Office calls on all sides to ensure security and freedom of movement of SMM monitors, following recent shooting incidents in Ukraine.
Information on MC Basel

18 November 2014: MC Basel Circular Note (Nr. 10) regarding bilateral meetings (MC.INF/12/14)

20 November 2014: Decision on the timetable and organizational modalities of the 21st Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council (PC.DEC/1137/14)

20 November 2014: Draft agenda for the 21st Meeting of the OSCE Ministerial Council (MC.GAL/1/14 - forwarded to the MC)

24 November 2014: MC Basel Circular Note (Nr. 12) regarding Lunch and Dinner Arrangements (MC.INF/15/14/Rev.1)


26 November 2014: Concept paper on the Working Lunch for HoDs (CIO.GAL/225/14), 4 December 2014, 13:00-15:00

28 November 2014: Cut-off date for MC. DD (new status of decisions will be circulated by 1 December 2014 at the latest)

As of Tuesday 2 December, OSCE operations fully shifted to Basel Messe = Conference Venue.

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- Participating States represented at Ministerial Level (order according to the order of statements status 28 November 2014 at 17.00)

- Participating States not represented at Ministerial Level (order according to the order of statements status 28 November 2014 at 17.00)

➢ If all Ministers and Heads of Delegations keep to the speaking time of 3 minutes, all the participating States will be able to speak on 4 December 2014.
Order of Statements

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- 3-4 Ministers from participating States and Partners as introducers

- Ministers from Partners for Co-operation (order according to the order of statements status 28 November 2014 at 17.00)

- Heads of Delegation from Partners for Co-operation (order according to the order of statements status 28 November 2014 at 17.00)

- Ministers from participating States*

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* The speakers list for participating States is open as of today (27 November 2014), kindly refer to Conference Services to be put on the list.