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EUROPEAN INTERESTS AND STRATEGIC OPTIONS

The EU and global governance: rules – power – priorities

An EUISS conference in cooperation with the Istituto Affari Internazionali

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Piazzale della Farnesina 1, Rome — 5-6 June 2008

Thursday, 5 June

- 16:30 — 17:00 *Arrival and registration of participants*
- 17:00 — 17:30 **Welcome and opening remarks**
- Giampiero Massolo Secretary-General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Rome
 - Álvaro de Vasconcelos Director, EU Institute for Security Studies, Paris
 - Stefano Silvestri President, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome
- 17:30 — 19:30 **Session I: Effective multilateralism: achievements and challenges**
Chair: Álvaro de Vasconcelos
- Alberto Navarro former Secretary of State for the EU, Madrid
 - Robert Cooper Council of the European Union, Brussels
 - TBA
- 20:00 — 22:00 *Dinner*
- 22:00 ***Transfer to hotel***

The organisers wish to thank the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs for the kind hospitality

Friday, 6 June

- 09:00 — 09:30 *Arrival of participants and welcoming coffee*
- 09:30 — 11:00 **Workshops**
- WORKSHOP 1: Security and development**
Chair: Narcis Serra (CIDOB, Barcelona)
- Koen Vervaeke* EU Delegation to the African Union
 - Rory Keane Network on Conflict, Peace and Co-operation, OECD, Paris
- WORKSHOP 2: Non-proliferation and disarmament**
Chair: Marta Dassù (Aspen Institute, Rome)
- Andreas Strub Council of the European Union, Brussels
 - Oliver Meier Arms Control Association, Berlin
- WORKSHOP 3: Human rights**
Chair: Sven Biscop EGMONT (RIIR), Brussels
- Richard Youngs FRIDE, Madrid
 - Natalino Ronzitti IAI, Rome
- 11:00 — 11:30 *Coffee break*
- 11:30 — 13:00 **Workshops** *continued*
- 13:00 — 14:30 *Lunch*
- 14:30 — 16:30 **Session II: Policy implications and EU priorities**
Chair: Helga Schmid (Council of the European Union)
- Reports from the workshops**
- Roundtable discussion**
- Giuliano Amato Former Prime Minister, Italy
 - Antonio Monteiro Former Foreign Minister, Portugal
 - Helmut Kuhne European Parliament, Brussels
- 16:30 — 17:15 **Closing remarks**
- Helga Schmid Council of the European Union, Brussels
 - Karel Kovanda DG RELEX, European Commission, Brussels
 - Álvaro de Vasconcelos EU Institute for Security Studies, Paris
- 17:15 *End of the seminar. Participants leave.*

**Speakers not yet confirmed*