



“A European Seat in the UN Security Council?”

Conference in Brussels, May 23-25, 2011

Program

Monday, May 23

14.00-18.00 **Arrival at hotel and registration**

18.00-19.30 **Welcome Reception**

19.30-21.30 **Dinner**

What type of Global Governance for the Twenty-First Century?
Democracy, Regionalism, and Reform Initiatives

Welcome: *James Paul*, Executive Director, Global Policy Forum

Speaker: *Daniele Archibugi*, Professor, Birkbeck College,
University of London & Research Director, Italian
National Research Council

Tuesday, May 24

07.45-08.45 **Breakfast**

09.00-11.00 **Panel 1**

What Options for Security Council Reform? The Current State of Play
and the Regional Approach.

Moderator: *Tanja Brühl*, Professor of International Relations,
Goethe University Frankfurt

Panelists: *Celine Nahory*, Senior Advisor, Global Policy Forum
Natalino Ronzitti, Professor of International Law,
Scientific Advisor, Istituto Affari Internazionali
Peter van Walsum, former Ambassador of The
Netherlands to the UN

11.00-11.15 **Break**

11.15-13.15 **Panel 2**

EU representation in the post-Lisbon era – Security Council
Membership as a logical outcome?

Moderator: *Rosa Balfour*, Senior Policy Analyst & Head of the
Europe in the World Programme, European Policy
Centre

Panelists: *Jan Wouters*, Professor & Director of the Centre for
Global Governance Studies, University of Leuven

Esther Barbé, Professor of International Relations,
Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona
Michael Emerson, Associate Senior Research Fellow,
Center for European Policy Studies

13.15-14.30 **Lunch**

Speaker: *Ana Gomes*, Member of the European Parliament from Portugal

14.30-16.00 **Panel 3**

Transitions I – Precedents, other examples (EU in other venues /other regional bodies), obstacles, how to build support

Moderator: *Henning Melber*, Executive Director, Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation

Panelists: *Joan Marc Simon*, President, Democracia Global
Mirjam van Reizen, Professor, Tilburg University

16.00-16.15 **Break**

16.15-18.30 **Panel 4**

Transitions II – Small steps (without amending UN charter), bigger steps (what would a EU seat on the SC look like?)

Moderator: *Nicoletta Pirozzi*, Senior Fellow, Istituto Affari Internazionali

Panelists: *Antonio Missiroli*, Policy Advisor, European Commission
James Paul, Executive Director, Global Policy Forum
Edith Drieskens, Assistant Professor of International Relations, Leuven University

19.00-21.00 **Dinner**

Wrap-up: *Andreas Zumach*, Correspondent, Die Tageszeitung

Wednesday, May 25

07.45-08.30 **Breakfast**

09.00-10.30 **Discussion on Next Steps**

11.00-12.00 **Hearing at the European Parliament**

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