

PUBLIC SEMINAR

The war in Ukraine and the future of non-proliferation and arms control in the European continent

10 MARCH 2023
09.00 - 12.45

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Via Dei Montecatini, 17 - Rome

The event aims to examine the impact of the war in Ukraine on the security architecture in Europe and the policies needed to rebuild a strategic balance through a credible deterrence posture and the establishment of new regimes or arrangements on arms control and confidence and security building measures. The seminar will focus on EU non-proliferation and arms control strategies within the broader EU security strategy.

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PROGRAMME

08.50 **Registration and access to the Zoom platform**

09.00 **Welcome remarks**

ETTORE GRECO

Executive Vice-President, Istituto Affari Internazionali-IAI

09.10-10.40 **Session I: Nuclear Arms Control in Europe**

Chair

CARLO TREZZA

Ambassador, Scientific Adviser, Istituto Affari Internazionali-IAI

Speaker

CLARA PORTELA

Professor of Political Science, Law School, University of Valencia

Discussants

NIKOLAI SOKOV

Senior Fellow, Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation-VCDNP (online)

FRANCESCA GIOVANNINI

Executive Director, Project on Managing the Atom, Harvard Kennedy School Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs (online)

Q&A session

10.40 Coffee Break

11.00-12.30 **Session II: Conventional Arms Control in Europe**

Chair

MANUEL HERRERA

Researcher, Istituto Affari Internazionali-IAI

Speaker

HANS JOACHIM-SCHMIDT

Associate Fellow, Peace Research Institute Frankfurt-PRIF

Discussant

NILS DUQUET

Director, Flemish Peace Institute

POLINA SINOVETS

Head, Associate Professor, Department of International Relations, Odessa I.I. Mechnikov National University and Director, Odessa Center for Nonproliferation-OdCNP

Q&A session

12.30

Closing remarks

ALESSANDRO AZZONI

Deputy Director General/Principal Director for Security, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation

12.45

End of the event