

Tackling the 'Double Democratic Deficit' and Improving the Accountability of ESDP

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Programme

Session 1: The 'Double Democratic Deficit': Parliamentary Accountability of the Use of Force under International Auspices.

Chair: **Dr. Heiner Hänggi**, Assistant Director, DCAF
Speakers: **Prof. Patricia Chilton**, University of East Anglia
Dr. Hans Born, Senior Fellow, DCAF Double Democratic Deficit: Main findings
Ambassador Jan Hoekema, Netherlands' Ministry of Foreign Affairs, former Member of the Netherlands' Parliament Double Democratic Deficit: a practitioner's view
Elmar Brok, MEP, Chair of the European Parliament Foreign Affairs Committee
Armand de Decker, Chairman of the Belgium Senate and President of the WEU Assembly

Session 2: Accountability of EU operations and armaments policy

Chair: **Dr. Giovanna Bono**, University of Bradford
Project findings: **Dr. Rory Keane** and **Dr. Björn Müller-Wille**, University of East Anglia
Dr. Jocelyn Mawdsley, Université Libre de Bruxelles.
Speakers: **Niall Burgess**, Policy Unit, Council of the EU
Khoen Liem, DG Research, European Commission

Session 3: Accountability of Arms Exports and Non-Proliferation Policy

Chair: **Catriona Gurlay**, ISIS Europe
Project findings: **Dr. Gerrard Quille**, ISIS Europe
Speakers: **Paul Barnwell**, Chair, Council Working Group on Armaments (COARM)
Marc Deffrennes, Unit on Non-Proliferation and Disarmament, European Commission

Session 4: The IGC and Enlargement: Implications for the Future Accountability of ESDP

Chair: **Dr. Richard Youngs**, Institute of Studies on Conflicts and Humanitarian Action, Madrid
Speakers: **Dr. Radek Khol**, Institute of International Relations, Prague
Prof. Eric Remacle, Institut d'Etudes Européennes, Université Libre de Bruxelles