

# Arab police reform

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## Between citizens and security

An event co-organised with the Konrad-Adenauer Foundation

The event will be translated from and into French, English and Arabic

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7 December 2018, Tunis

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09:00-09:30

Welcoming remarks

**Canan Atilgan**

Director, Regional Program South Mediterranean, Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Tunis

**Florence Gaub**

Deputy Director, European Union Institute for Security Studies, Paris

09:30-11:00

Policing the Arab World: Local and international interest in police modernisation

*Moderator*

**Florence Gaub**

Deputy Director, European Union Institute for Security Studies, Paris

*Speakers*

**Stéphane Halgand**

Head of the Centre of Thematic Expertise on Security/Crisis, DG NEAR, European Commission, Brussels

**Col. Emad Alrbihat**

Judiciary Police Department, Jordanian Public Security Directorate, Amman

**Rached Bettaieb**

Director General of National Security, Tunisian Ministry of Interior, Tunis

11:00 - 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 - 12:45

Serving the community and serving the state

*Moderator*

**Henry Peck**

Senior Coordinator, Office of the General Counsel, Human Rights Watch, London

**Alexander Walsh**

Independent Researcher, London

**Omar Rafie**

Advisor, Adam Smith International, Amman

**Lea Lavut**

Independent Researcher, New York University, New York

12:45 - 14:00 Lunch break

14:00 – 15:00

A story of success: examples from Palestine & Tunisia

*Moderator*

**Mattia Toaldo**

Political Officer, Delegation of the European Union to Libya, Tunis

*Speakers*

**Maj.-Gen. Hazem Attallah**

Chief of the Palestinian Civil Police Force, Palestinian National Authority, Palestine

**Ch. Supt. Pekka Kokkonen**

Head of Police Advisory Section, EUPOL COPPS, Palestine

**Ch. Supt. Johannes Parzer**

Project Director and Liaison Officer, German Federal Police (Bundespolizei), Tunis

**Abdelbasset ben Hassen**

President, Arab Human Rights Institute, Tunis

15:00 – 16:30

Life of the officer: dispensable resource or underfunded employee?

*Moderator*

**Alexander Walsh**

Independent Researcher, London

*Speakers*

**Col. Ihab Youssef**

President, Risk Free Group Egypt (RFG), Cairo

**Sharan Grewal**

Post-Doctoral Research Fellow, Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.

**Khelifa Haroun**

Inspector General, Tunisian Ministry of Interior, Tunis

15:30 - 17.00

Policing in crisis: how violent conflict changes the police

*Moderator*

**Renad Mansour**

Research Fellow, Middle East and North Africa Programme, Chatham House, London

**Jaring Kloosterman**

Tripoli Police Advisor, European Union Integrated Border Assistance Mission (EUBAM) in Libya, Tunis

**Brig. Adeeb al-Shalaf (TBC)**

Police Chief, Free Syrian Police, Aleppo

**Dalia Barsoum**

Project Manager, Yemen Political Dialogue Support Programme, Berghof Foundation, Berlin