



ESDP @ 10: what lessons for the future?

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PROGRAMME

10:00	Introductory remarks Álvaro de Vasconcelos	Director, EU Institute for Security Studies
10:15	Opening speeches Javier Solana Carl Bildt	EU High Representative for the CFSP, Secretary-General of the Council of the European Union Swedish Minister for Foreign Affairs
11:15-11:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	
11:30	Post-conflict stabilisation: the ESDP experience and future needs <i>Chair:</i> Tomas Ries, Director, Swedish Institute of International Affairs Claude-France Arnould Richard Wright Damien Helly	Directeur 'Questions de défense', Secrétariat général du Conseil de l'UE Deputy Political Director, DG RELEX, European Commission Research Fellow, EU Institute for Security Studies
13:00-14:30	<i>Lunch</i> Keynote speaker	Charles Grant, Director, Centre for European Reform

- 14:30 **Bridging the gap: ESDP, CFSP and external action**
Chair: Nicole Gnesotto, Professeur titulaire de la Chaire Union européenne,
Centre national des Arts et Métiers
Nuno Severiano Teixeira Portuguese Minister of Defence
Pieter Feith EU Special Representative to Kosovo
Koen Vervaeke EU Special Representative to the African Union
- 16:00-16:30 **Coffee break**
- 16:30 **ESDP in a changing world: working with others**
Chair: Álvaro de Vasconcelos, Director, EU Institute for Security Studies
Alain Le Roy Under Secretary-General, Department of
Peacekeeping Operations, United Nations
Jamie Shea Director, Policy Planning, NATO
- 18:00 **Concluding remarks**
Olof Skoog Representative to the Political and Security
Committee, Permanent Representation of
Sweden to the EU
Álvaro de Vasconcelos Director, EU Institute for Security Studies
- 18:30 **End of the conference**