

**Speakers** 

STRENGTHENING TRANSATLANTIC COOPERATION

## **Look East, Act East:**

## **Transatlantic strategies in the Asia-Pacific region**

Brussels, 11 June 2012

9.00 - 9.30 Registration and coffee

9.30 - 9.45 Welcome remarks

Patryk Pawlak, Research Fellow, EU Institute for Security Studies Ian Lesser, Director, German Marshall Fund of the United States

9.45 - 10.00 Introductory remarks

David O'Sullivan, Chief Operating Officer, EEAS

10.00 - 11.30 Panel I: Economy, trade and resources

Moderator Jacques Pelkmans, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for European Policy Studies

Andrew Small, Transatlantic Fellow, Asia Program, GMF

Peter Sparding, Program Officer, Economic Policy Program, GMF

Bernice Lee, Research Director, Chatham House

Comments Marjut Hannonen, Cabinet of the Commissioner for Trade Karel De Gucht

11.30 - 13.00 Panel II: Global and regional governance

Moderator Amy Studdart, Program Officer, Asia Program, GMF

Speakers Richard Gowan, Policy Fellow, European Council on Foreign Relations

Patryk Pawlak, Research Fellow, EUISS

Comments Michael Reiterer, Senior Adviser, Asia Pacific Department, EEAS

13.00 - 14.00 Buffet lunch

14.00 - 15.30 Panel III: Security

Moderator Ben Ladd, Head of Asia Pacific Strategy, Foreign and Commonwealth Office

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Daniel Keohane, Head of Strategic Affairs, FRIDE
Austin Strange, Researcher, U.S. Naval War College

Comments Jamie Shea, Deputy Assistant Secretary General

for Emerging Security Challenges, NATO

15.30 - 16.00 Coffee break

16.00 - 17.00 Concluding session:

What next for transatlantic cooperation in the Asia Pacific?

Moderator Patryk Pawlak, EUISS

Speakers Steven Everts, Member, Cabinet of HR/VP Catherine Ashton, EEAS

Todd Huizinga, Political Counselor, U.S. Mission to the EU

Refreshments will be available in the seminar room throughout the meeting.