

Friday 9 September 2011

AFTERNOON Delegates arrive in Geneva; Registration

18:30-19:30 OPENING RECEPTION

19:30-22:00 WELCOME, KEYNOTE ADDRESS AND OPENING DINNER

Chair: Dr John Chipman, Director-General and Chief Executive, IISS

Amr Moussa, Presidential Candidate, Egypt; former Secretary General, The League of Arab States

Saturday 10 September 2011

08:30-08:45 OPENING REMARKS

Dr John Chipman, Director-General and Chief Executive, IISS

08:45-10:00 FIRST PLENARY SESSION

STRATEGIC CHANGE IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA

Chair: Dr John Chipman, Director-General and Chief Executive, IISS

Jean-Claude Mallet, Conseiller d'Etat, France; Member of the Council, IISS
Emile Hokayem, Senior Fellow for Regional Security, IISS-Middle East
Sultan Sooud Al Qassemi, Journalist
Issandr El Amrani, Freelance Journalist and Political Analyst
Karim Sadjadpour, Associate, Middle East Program, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace

10:00-10:30 Coffee break

10:30-11:45 SECOND PLENARY SESSION

IRAN, GULF SECURITY AND NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION

Chair: Dr John Chipman, Director-General and Chief Executive, IISS

HRH Prince Turki Al Faisal Bin Abdulaziz Al Saud, Chairman, Board of Directors, King Faisal Center for Research and Islamic Studies, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
Mark Fitzpatrick, Director, Non-Proliferation and Disarmament Programme, IISS
Dr Ariel E Levite, Nonresident Senior Associate, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace; Member of the Council, IISS

11:45-13:00 THIRD PLENARY SESSION

CRISES, CONFLICT AND INTERVENTION: GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES

Chair: Adam Ward, Director of Studies, IISS

Antonio Patriota, Minister of External Relations, Brazil
Professor Ahmet Davutoglu, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Turkey * tbc
Ambassador Hardeep Singh Puri, Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations in New York

13:00-14:45 LUNCH

15:00-16:30 SIMULTANEOUS SPECIAL SESSIONS (FIRST SITTING)

Session 1: THE FUTURE OF NUCLEAR DETERRENCE

Chair: Mark Fitzpatrick, Director, Non-Proliferation and Disarmament Programme, IISS

Dr James Acton, Senior Associate, Nuclear Policy Program, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace
Dr Tanya Ogilvie-White, Senior Lecturer, School of Social and Political Sciences, University of Canterbury, New Zealand
Professor François Heisbourg, Chairman, IISS

Session 2: WARFARE IN THE CYBER DOMAIN

Chair: Nigel Inkster, Director of Transnational Threats and Political Risk, IISS
Bertrand Lathoud, Head of Information Risk Management - Europe, Paypal
Dr Steve Marsh, Visiting Professor, Defence Academy of the UK
Major General Jonathan Shaw, Assistant Chief of Defence Staff (Global Issues), Security Policy and Operations, Ministry of Defence, UK

Session 3: THE US-RUSSIA "RE-SET": AN ASSESSMENT

Chair: Oksana Antonenko, Senior Fellow for Russia and Eurasia, IISS
Dr Constanze Stelzenmüller, Senior Transatlantic Fellow, German Marshall Fund of the United States
Thomas Graham, Senior Director, Kissinger Associates; former Senior Director for Russia, National Security Council, US
Andrey Kortunov, President, New Eurasia Foundation

Session 4: EGYPT: TRANSITION, DEMOCRACY, STRATEGIC ORIENTATION

Chair: Emile Hokayem, Senior Fellow for Regional Security, IISS-Middle East
Issandr El Amrani, Freelance Journalist and Political Analyst
Ezzedine C Fishere, Visiting Distinguished Lecturer, The American University in Cairo
Nathan J Brown, Professor of Political Science and International Affairs, The Elliott School of International Affairs, The George Washington University

Session 5: NEW AND EMERGING POWERS: MILITARY CAPABILITIES AND STRATEGIES

Chair: Dr Tim Huxley, Executive Director, IISS-Asia; Corresponding Director, Defence and Military Analysis, IISS
General Julio de Amo, Chief of the Institutional Planning Branch, Ministry of Defense, Brazil
Air Chief Marshal S P Tyagi, Former Chief of the Air Staff, Indian Air Force; Member, National Security Advisory Board
Lieutenant General (Retd) David Deptula, Former Deputy Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance, US Air Force

16:30-17:00 Coffee break

17:00-18:30 SIMULTANEOUS SPECIAL SESSIONS (SECOND SITTING)

Session 6: NORTH KOREA: NUCLEAR ADVANCES AND POLITICAL SUCCESSION

Chair: Mark Fitzpatrick, Director, Non-Proliferation and Disarmament Programme, IISS
Dr Jonathan D Pollack, Senior Fellow, John L Thornton China Center, The Brookings Institution
Dr Chung Min Lee, Adjunct Senior Fellow for Asian Security Affairs, IISS; Dean, Graduate School of International Studies, Yonsei University
Aidan Foster-Carter, Honorary Senior Research Fellow in Sociology and Modern Korea, Leeds University

Session 7: THE LEVANT: NEW STRATEGIC DYNAMICS

Chair: Dr Andrew Parasiliti, Executive Director, IISS-US; Corresponding Director, IISS-Middle East
Dr Henri Barkey, Bernard L and Bertha F Cohen Professor for International Relations, Lehigh University
Dr Marwa Daoudy, Lecturer, Centre for Middle East Studies, St Antony's College, University of Oxford
Emile Hokayem, Senior Fellow for Regional Security, IISS-Middle East
Andrew Tabler, Next Generation Fellow, The Washington Institute for Near East Policy

Session 8: FINANCING INSECURITY: DRUGS AND FRAGILE STATES

Chair: Dr Nicholas Redman, Managing Director, Corporate Advisory; Editor, Adelphi Books, IISS
Dr Kwesi Aning, Director of Research, Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Training Centre
Nigel Inkster, Director of Transnational Threats and Political Risk, IISS

Session 9: TRANSITIONS IN NORTH AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST: EUROPE'S ROLE

Chair: Dr Bastian Giegerich, Consulting Senior Fellow for European Security, IISS; Senior Researcher, Bundeswehr Institute of Social Sciences
Dr Nabeel A Khoury, Director, Office of Analysis for Near East and South Asia, Bureau of Intelligence and Research, US Department of State
Fabrice Pothier, Head, Policy Planning Unit, Private Office of the Secretary General, NATO HQ
Professor Mohammed Benhammou, President, Moroccan Centre for Strategic Studies

Session 10: INDIA AND PAKISTAN: PROSPECTS FOR DIALOGUE

Chair: Rahul Roy-Chaudhury, Senior Fellow for South Asia, IISS
Dr Maleeha Lodhi, Former Ambassador of Pakistan to the US and former High Commissioner to the UK; Member of the Council, IISS
Shekhar Gupta, Editor in Chief, *Indian Express*; Member of the Council, IISS
Ambassador Robert D Blackwill, Henry A Kissinger Senior Fellow for US Foreign Policy, Council on Foreign Relations; Trustee and Member of the Council, IISS

18:30-19:30 RECEPTION

19:30-20:15 DISCUSSION PANEL

A LONG TERM STRATEGY FOR AFGHANISTAN

Chair: Adam Ward, Director of Studies, IISS

Nigel Inkster, Director of Transnational Threats and Political Risk, IISS
Brigadier Benjamin Barry, Senior Fellow for Land Warfare, IISS
Rahul Roy-Chaudhury, Senior Fellow for South Asia, IISS
Dr Toby Dodge, Consulting Senior Fellow for the Middle East, IISS

20:15-22:30 DINNER

Sunday 11 September 2011

08:45-10:00 FOURTH PLENARY SESSION

THE RISE OF A MILITARISED ASIA: GLOBAL IMPLICATIONS

Chair: Dr Tim Huxley, Executive Director, IISS-Asia; Corresponding Director, Defence and Military Analysis, IISS

Michael Schiffer, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Asian and Pacific Security Affairs, East Asia, US Department of Defense
Peter Ho, Senior Advisor, Centre for Strategic Futures, Singapore; Member of the Council, IISS
Vice-Admiral (Retd) S C S Bangara, Former Chief, Southern Naval Command, Indian Navy
Professor Aaron L Friedberg, Professor of Politics and International Affairs, Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs, Princeton University

10:00-10:30 Coffee break

10:30-11:45 FIFTH PLENARY SESSION

US POLITICS AND THE AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY DEBATE

Chair: Dr Andrew Parasiliti, Executive Director, IISS-US; Corresponding Director, IISS-Middle East

Dr Dana Allin, Senior Fellow for US Foreign Policy and Transatlantic Affairs, IISS; Editor of *Survival*
Ambassador Robert D Blackwill, Henry A Kissinger Senior Fellow for US Foreign Policy, Council on Foreign Relations; Trustee and Member of the Council, IISS
Philip Stephens, Associate Editor, *Financial Times*

11:45-13:00 SIXTH PLENARY SESSION

TEN YEARS ON: TERROR, WAR AND STRATEGY

Chair: Dr John Chipman, Director-General and Chief Executive, IISS

Carl Bildt, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Sweden
Nigel Inkster, Director of Transnational Threats and Political Risk, IISS
Dr Eliot Cohen, Professor and Director of Strategic Studies, School of Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University; Member of the Council, IISS

13:00-13:15 ENVOI

Professor François Heisbourg, Chairman, IISS

13:15-14:30 CLOSING LUNCH