

Wed 07 Nov

08:45-11:00 BREAKFAST DEBATES (breakfast served)

12:30-14:00 LUNCH BRIEF (lunch served)

THE FUTURE OF WORK IN THE AGE OF INTELLIGENT MACHINES (ROOM 204)

Jan Peter Balkenende, former Prime Minister of the Netherlands, Martens Centre Honorary Board

Peter Östman, Member of Finnish Parliament, Christian Democrats

Žiga Turk, Professor and Vice Dean, University of Ljubljana

Henna Virkkunen MEP, EPP Group, Kokoomus

Moderated by: Tomi Huhtanen, Executive Director, Martens Centre

KREMLIN'S TROLLS: THE WEST'S ABILITY TO TACKLE HOSTILE INFLUENCE (ROOM 205)

Anna Maria Corazza Bildt MEP, EPP Group, Moderaterna

Sandra Kalniete MEP, EPP Group, Vienotība

Andrius Kubilius, former Prime Minister of Lithuania, Martens Centre Honorary Board

Miriam Lexmann, Director of EU Office, International Republican Institute

Kirsti Narinen, Director for International Affairs, European Centre of Excellence for Countering Hybrid Threats

Pertti Salolainen, Member of Finnish Parliament, Kokoomus

Moderated by: Dimitar Lilkov, Research Officer, Martens Centre

THE DAY AFTER: RESULTS OF THE US MID-TERM ELECTIONS (ROOM 204)

Welcome:

Antonio López-Istúriz White, MEP, Secretary General of the EPP, Secretary Treasurer of the Martens Centre

A discussion with:

Mark Strand, President of the Congressional Institute and Harvard Kennedy School Institute of Politics Fellow

Moderated by: Ioana Lung, Head of Communications and Marketing, Martens Centre

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KEEPING THE UNION TOGETHER: OVERCOMING THE EAST-WEST DIVIDE (ROOM 204)

John Bruton, former Prime Minister of Ireland

Mikuláš Dzurinda, President, Martens Centre

Danuta Maria Hübner MEP, EPP Group, Platforma Obywatelska

Tibor Navracsics, European Commissioner for Education, Culture, Youth and Sport

Petri Sarvamaa MEP, EPP Group, Kokoomus

Moderated by: Roland Freudenstein, Policy Director, Martens Centre

THE FUTURE OF EUROPEAN DEFENCE COOPERATION (ROOM 205)

Lawrence Gonzi, former Prime Minister of Malta, Martens Centre Honorary Board

Arnaud Danjean MEP, EPP Group

Bogdan Klich, Senator, Polish Parliament, former Minister of Defence

Teija Tiilikainen, Director, Finnish Institute of International Affairs

Ilkka Kanerva, Member of Finnish Parliament, Kokoomus

Moderated by: Dr Niklas Novaky, Research Officer, Martens Centre