

Conference Programme

Coercive Arms Control The Paradigm Shift in Arms Control and Non-proliferation

A workshop jointly organized by the Institute for Peace Research and Security Policy at the University of Hamburg (IFSH) and the Department of International Relations at the Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich (LMU)

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Thursday, January 24

12:00 – 13:00 Registration/ Light lunch

13:00 Welcome Professor Michael Brzoska, IFSH & Professor Christopher Daase, LMU

13:15 – 14:45 Paradigm Change in Arms Control? (Chair: Michael Brzoska)

1. Cooperation and Coercion in Arms Control
(Dr. Oliver Meier, IFSH, Hamburg)
2. Prevention and Preemption of Proliferation Risks
(Dr. Sverre Lodgaard, Norwegian Institute of International Affairs, Oslo)
3. Prevention and Preemption: Historical Cases and Technical Options
(Professor Götz Neuneck, IFSH, Hamburg)

14:45 – 15:15 Coffee break

15:15 – 17:00 Paradigm Change in Arms Control? (cont.)

4. International Law and Arms Control: Legality and Legitimacy
(Professor Thilo Maruhn, Justus-Liebig-University Giessen)
5. Informalization of Arms Control: Strengths and Weaknesses
(Professor Christopher Daase, LMU Munich)
6. Addressing Compliance and Defiance
(Ambassador Rüdiger Lüdeking, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin)

Friday, January 25

9:00 – 11:00 Legitimacy and Effectiveness of Arms Control Instruments (Chair: Götz Neuneck)

1. The Role of Sanctions
(Professor Michael Brzoska, IFSH, Hamburg)
2. Cooperative Threat Reduction as a new Arms Control Instrument
(Dr. Ian Anthony, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute)
3. Effectiveness and Legitimacy of the Proliferation Security Initiative
(Dr. Ian Davis, Consultant, BASIC London)

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 13:30 Legitimacy and Effectiveness of Arms Control Instruments (cont.)

4. The Importance of UNSC Resolution 1540
(Dr. Volker Beck, Federal Foreign Office, Berlin)
5. Military Intervention and Disarmament
(Dr. Martin B. Malin, Belfer Center, Harvard University)
6. Whose Security? A Critical Approach to Coercive Arms Control
(Prof. Paolo Cotta-Ramusino, Pugwash Conferences on Science and World Affairs)

13:30 – 15:00 Buffet lunch

15:00 – 15:30 Keynote speech

The Changing Role of Arms Control in Historical Perspective
(Professor Alyson Bailes, Visiting Professor, University of Iceland)

15:30 – 17:30 Panel Discussion on Prospects for a New Arms Control Agenda
(Chair: Christopher Daase)

1. A New Transatlantic Approach? A View from the United States
(Wade Boese, Arms Control Association, Washington, D.C.)
2. A New Transatlantic Approach? A view from Europe
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3. A Russian Perspective
(Dr. Alexander Pikayev, IMEMO, Moscow)
4. An Indian Perspective
(Ambassador Arundhati Ghose, India)
5. A View from the Middle East
(Dr. Emily Landau, The Institute for National Security Studies, Tel Aviv)

17:30 – 18:00 Coffee