

*International organizations and multilateralism.
A view from Central Europe – débat en présence
des ambassadeurs de l'OECD*



Les organisations internationales et le multilatéralisme du point de vue de l'Europe Centrale

Débat de l'Institut d'Europe Centrale et Orientale (IESW) et du Centre Scientifique de l'Académie Polonaise des Sciences à Paris sous le patronage de la Représentation Permanente de la République de Pologne auprès de l'OCDE

Date : lundi 19 février 2018

Heure : de 18h00 à 20h00

Adresse : 74, rue Lauriston - 75116 Paris, Le Centre Scientifique de l'Académie Polonaise des Sciences à Paris

Organizacje międzynarodowe i multilateralizm z perspektywy Europy Środkowej

Debata IESW-PAN Stacja Naukowa w Paryżu pod patronatem Stałego Przedstawicielstwa RP przy OECD

Data: Poniedziałek 19 lutego 2018 r.

Godzina: 18:00-20:00

Adres: 74, rue Lauriston - 75116 Paris, PAN Stacja Naukowa w Paryżu

DETAILED PROGRAM: SCREENPLAY OF THE EVENT**INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS & MULTILATERALISM: A VIEW FROM CENTRAL EUROPE**

Venue: Scientific Centre of the Polish Academy of Sciences, Paris74, rue Lauriston - 75116 Paris

Date: February 19, 2018

Time: 1800-2000

Organizers:

- Institute of East-Central Europe (IESW),
- Scientific Centre of the Polish Academy of Sciences in Paris,
- Permanent Representation of Poland to the OECD.

URL: <http://www.iesw.lublin.pl/projekty/pics/181-debataOECD.jpg>

SPEAKERS:

[the organization of the space/podium to be confirmed]

HE. Marlies Stubits-Weidinger, Ambassador of Austria to the OECD

HE. Petr Gandalovic, Ambassador of Czech Republic to the OECD

HE. Zoltán Cséfalvay, Ambassador of Hungary to the OECD

HE. Aleksander Surdej, Ambassador of Poland to the OECD

HE. Ingrid Brockova, Ambassador of Slovakia to the OECD

HE. Irena Sodin, Ambassador of Slovenia to the OECD

Moderator: Dr. Anna Visvizi, IESW, Lublin, Poland

Arrival of the distinguished speakers:

ca. 17:45

Introductions/welcome 3 x 5 = 15 [ca. 15 mins]**Official introduction and welcome of the speakers/audience: 5 mins**

the Director of the Scientific Centre of the Polish Academy of Science, Prof. Maciej Forycki

Official welcome: 5 mins

HE. Aleksander Surdej, Ambassador of Poland to the OECD

Introduction to the debate and introduction of the speakers: 5 mins

Dr. Anna Visvizi, Head of Research, IESW

1st round of questions: 6 x 3 = 18 [ca. 20 mins] + likely spontaneous interventions = 25 mins

--one question, the same one, to all panellists;

-- suggested speaking time: 3 mins per person

-- the Moderator will abstain from asking additional clarifying questions; she will conclude only;

What is the value-added of international organizations [in the identification of global problems, building consensus around solutions to them and enabling decision-making about the actions]? Are IOs still relevant today?

2nd round of questions 6 x 3 = 18 [ca. 20 mins] + possible spontaneous interventions = 25 mins

-- **one question to each of the Ambassadors, preferably a question suggested by the Ambassador herself/himself**

-- suggested speaking time: 5 mins per person

-- the Moderator make ask additional questions and insert brief comments in order to establish a logical passage to the next Ambassador's intervention;

-- the Ambassadors will be encouraged to enter in dialogue too;

3rd round of questions: 6 x 3 = 18 [ca. 20 mins] + possible spontaneous interventions = 25 mins

-- preferably, questions from the Audience (the Audience will be informed about this opportunity beforehand)

-- if no questions from the Audience, the Moderator will steer the debate along the lines defined by the following questions:

- How to ensure that the international organizations and other forms of multilateral dialogue deliver global public goods in right forms and quantities;
- What are the sources of power and legitimacy of established international organizations as multilateral forums; how to ensure that they function in a manner that, while effective, fulfils the key imperatives of accountability and representation;
- How to shield international organizations from misuse and instrumentalization?

4th round: closing statements: 6 x 1 = 6 [ca. 10 mins] + 3 + 2 + 2 = 20 mins

--each panellist will be given 1 minute for his/her closing remarks;

-- closure and thank you by the Moderator;

Thank you by HE, Amb. A.Surdej,

Thank you and invitation for networking cocktail, by the Director of the Centre

Family picture [The Ambassadors + Prof. Forycki + Dr. Visvizi]

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